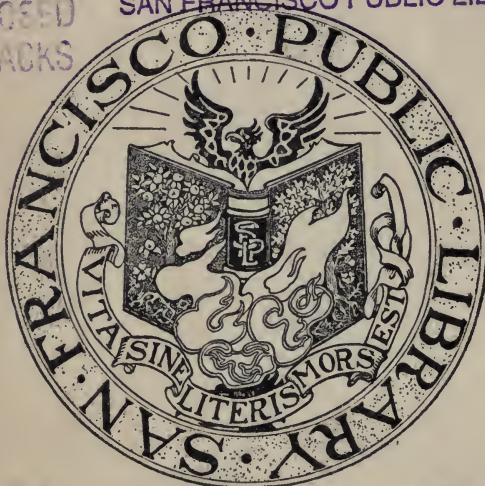




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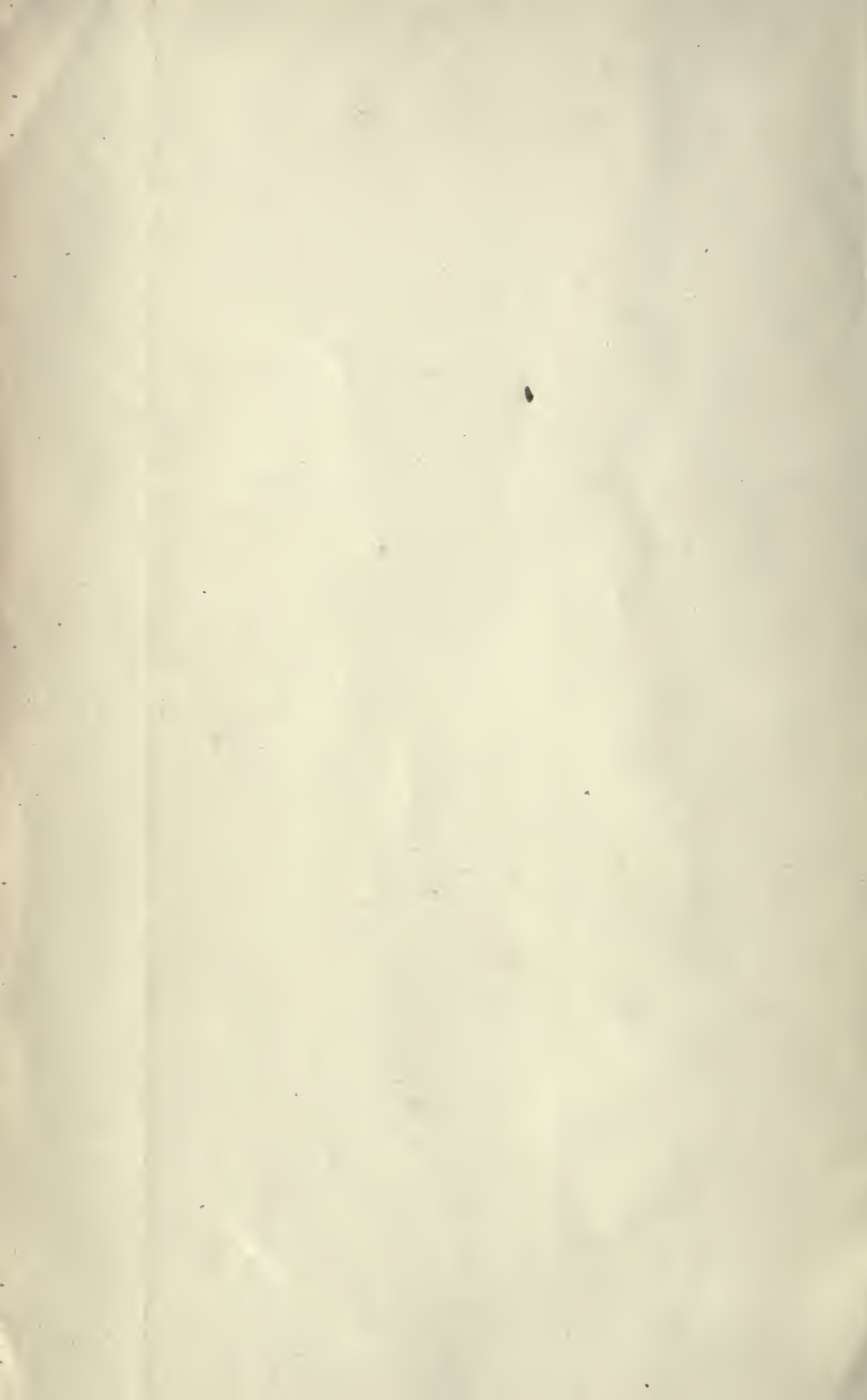
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 2, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, January 2, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Walsh—14.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor McCarthy presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of December 26, 1911, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Favoring the Proposed Closing of the Northerly Portion of Turk Street From Masonic to Parker Avenues.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From the Park-Richmond Improvement Club, favoring the closing of the northerly portion of Turk street, from Masonic avenue to Parker avenue.

Ordered referred to the Streets Committee.

Relative to Bond of Gignac Secret Service Bureau.

Also, *Communication*—From Gignac Secret Service Bureau, requesting surrender of bond heretofore filed as required by Ordinance upon furnishing receipt therefor and filing another bond in lieu thereof.

Ordered referred to Police Committee.

Relative to Death of Mother of Supervisor Gallagher.

Also, *Communication*—From Supervisor Gallagher and family, acknowledging and thanking Board for its expression of sympathy on death of their mother.

Read and ordered filed.

Leave of Absence of Frank Klimm, Member of Board of Health.

Also, *Communication*—From His Honor, the Mayor, recommending that Frank Klimm, member of Board of Health, be granted a leave of absence from State from January 3 to January 22, 1912.

Read and Clerk directed to prepare resolution granting request.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petitions—Of Chas. H. Kendrick, for installation of an electric arc light at the corner of Geary street and Forty-fourth avenue. (22609)

Of Alex. Bond, for street lights on Chestnut street, between Polk and Lombard streets. (22610)

Of J. Kinnican, for installation of a street light at Sixth avenue South and Quint street. (22611)

Of North Beach Promotion Association, for street light in front of St. Francis Church, Vallejo street and Columbus avenue. (22612)

Communications—From North Central Improvement Association, advising that it is making arrangements to turn over to the Pacific Gas and Electric Company electroliers constructed under auspices of said association on Montgomery street, California and Bush streets. (22656)

From Metropolitan Light and Power Company, advising that said company's property and business have been purchased by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company. (22608)

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of Michael Buskey and others, for refund of \$20.35 alleged duplicate payment of taxes for the fiscal year 1911. (22644)

Of Marie Dalberto, for refund of \$7.38, alleged duplicate payment of taxes for the current fiscal year. (22613)

Of Sophie McKay, for refund of \$56.37, alleged erroneous payment of taxes for fiscal year 1911. (22614)

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of C. W. Schilling, for permission to conduct and maintain a laundry at premises 1837 Greenwich street. (22658)

Of Newton G. Cohen, against granting Wing Lee permission to conduct a laundry in the basement of premises No. 946 Stockton street. (22615)

Of Knights of Columbus Hall Association and St. Boniface's Church and School, against granting of a permit for an automobile garage on north side of Golden Gate avenue, between Jones and Leavenworth streets. (22620)

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of H. A. Fruechter, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for accommodation of one horse in rear of premises No. 12 Silliman street. (22645)

Of A. D. McAllister, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of six horses at premises 340 Eleventh street. (22646)

Of Alex. Bond, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of thirty horses at premises on east side of Eleventh street, north of Natoma street. (22647)

Protest—Of Mrs. J. Coffey, against granting permit for a stable at north side of Tehama street east of Fourth street. (22657)

To the Licenses Committee.

Petitions—Of Germania Club, for permission to hold a masquerade ball on January 20, 1912, at Auditorium. (22621)

Of Verein Eintracht, for permission to hold a masquerade ball Saturday evening, February 27, 1912, at Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets. (22676)

Of Independent Order of Redmen, for permission to hold a masquerade ball at Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, January 13, 1912. (22643)

Of San Francisco Schwaben Verein and Deutsche Krieger Verein, for permission to hold a masquerade ball at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, on Saturday evening, January 27, 1912, without the payment of the usual license fee. (22622)

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of Western Club, for permission to hold an amateur boxing exhibition in their club rooms Wednesday evening, January 13, 1912. (22623)

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petitions—Of North Beach Promotion Association, for the construction of an electric street car line over Stockton street through the projected Stockton street tunnel under and over Columbus avenue and North Point street to the exposition grounds by either extending the Municipal Street

Railroad or by offering a franchise for sale. (22654)

Of Daniel O'Connell, requesting that steps be immediately taken for the acquisition of the properties of the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company by condemnation proceedings. (22662)

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of John Gustavson and others, for repeal of resolution establishing grades on Twenty-second avenue, between Kirkham and Lawton streets. (22624)

Of James P. Dunn, for damages in sum of \$2500 for injury to his property which he alleges will accrue by construction of the Stockton street tunnel. (22618)

Of Antoine Borel, for damages in sum of \$2500 for injury to his property which he alleges will accrue by the construction of the Stockton street tunnel. (22619)

Communication—From West Coast Life Insurance Company, with claim in sum of \$12,800.00 for damages alleged will accrue from proposed change of grade on Stockton street and construction of Stockton street tunnel. (22634)

From West Coast Life Insurance Company, with claim in sum of \$7,800 for damages which it is alleged will accrue to their property by change of grade in construction of tunnel in Stockton street. (22634)

File.

The following matters were received, read and ordered filed:

Communications—From Western Bank Note and Engraving Company, acknowledging receipt of order for certain bonds to be delivered February 1, 1912. (22675) -

From United Railroads, with accident statement for quarter ending September 30, 1911. (22673)

From M. A. Harris, acknowledging receipt of resolutions adopted in respect to the memory of his father, former Supervisor Matt. Harris, Sr. (22663)

From Congressman E. A. Hayes, acknowledging receipt of resolution relative to the treatment of American citizens in Russia and stating that he voted for the abrogation of the treaty between the United States and Russia. (22670)

From Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railway Company, transmitting accident statement for quarter ending September 30, 1911. (22659)

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Fire Committee.

Communications—From Health Officer, transmitting protest against Chinese laundry on Natoma street, east of Sixth street. (22653)

From Board of Public Works, recommending that the Compressed Air Machinery Company be granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after December 14, 1911, within which to complete contract for furnishing, testing and delivering gate valves for Ashbury Heights reservoir. (22669)

To the Finance Committee.

Communications—From Board of Health, recommending an extra appropriation of \$350.00 for sanitation purposes commencing January, 1912. (22628)

From Board of Public Works, recommending that \$18,000 be provided for grading site and constructing concrete foundation piers for the Islais Creek incinerating plant. (22629)

Also, recommending that \$15,000 be provided to defray expenses of operation of pipe yard and testing mains of Auxiliary Water Supply System. (22630)

From J. T. Burns, Superintendent of Public Buildings, with estimate in sum of \$1,750.00 for installing Tax Collector's office in temporary City Hall building. (22649)

From City Attorney, advising of appraisalment of property required for Grant Primary School on Broadway, west of Broderick street. (22650)

Also, advising as to liability of City for payment of \$264.44 premiums claimed by Messrs. Billington Hutchinson Company on bonds of City Treasurer. (22651)

From Board of Public Works, recommending that balance of Construction Fund of Engine House No. 42 be transferred to Construction Fund of Engine House No. 43 in order that lighting fixtures for latter building may be purchased. (22642)

From Auditor, for additional appropriation of \$1000 to pay extra office force required during current fiscal year owing to new taxation laws which necessitate compiling additional reports and data for State Board of Equalization. (22625)

From City Attorney, advising that inasmuch as cost of replacing wires that have been cut to permit removal of buildings across the route of the Geary Street Municipal Railway must be paid out of the Geary Street Municipal Railway Fund, the moneys received therefor should be deposited in the same fund. (22671)

From City Attorney, with reappraisalment of certain property on

Broadway west of Broderick required for Grant Primary School purposes. (22674)

Reports—Of W. B. Birdsall, Expert Accountant to Finance Committee, on receipts from passenger fares of Gough Street Railroad Company for month of November, 1911, and percentage thereon due City. (22660)

Also, on receipts from passenger fares of Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad Company for month of November, 1911, and percentage thereon due City. (22661)

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Communication—From Board of Health, transmitting copies of bacteriological and chemical analysis of water taken from various sources of municipal supply. (22640)

To the Judiciary Committee.

Communication—From Justices of Peace, nominating and recommending the appointment of Robert W. Dennis as Justices' Clerk, vice Geo. S. McComb, resigned. (22626)

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Communication—From City Attorney, advising that the purchase of the so-called Cherry Creek properties was consummated on the 27th inst. (22627)

To the Public Buildings Committee.

Communication—From Board of Education, advising that it desires to have its own telephone exchange in the new temporary City Hall building, same being deemed absolutely necessary on account of the confidential nature of much of the business transacted over the telephone. (22672)

Communication—From Board of Public Works, transmitting Progress Report for week ending December 23, 1911, on condition of plans, specifications and other work on buildings to be erected under bond issue. (22631)

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Communication—From Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of constructing artificial stone sidewalks on Alabama street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets; Fulton street, between Parker avenue and North Stanyan street, and on Jersey street, between Diamond and Douglass streets; also

That 15 and 18-inch iron-stone pipe sewers with appurtenances be constructed in the crossing of Eighth avenue and Lawton street, and in Eighth avenue, between Lawton and Moraga streets; also that an 8-inch iron-stone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Twenty-sixth avenue from a point twenty feet northerly from Balboa street to Anza street. (22664)

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Castro and Twenty-sixth streets paved with asphalt and the roadway of the crossing of Irving street and Eighteenth avenue paved with bituminous rock. (22665)

Also, recommending the conditional acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Thirteenth avenue and Kirkham street. (22666)

Also, recommending the ordering of the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to wit:

That an 8-inch iron-stone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in the crossing of Alvarado and Castro streets and in Alvarado street from Castro street to a point 130 feet westerly therefrom.

That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed in Bryant street, between Ninth and Tenth streets. (22667)

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Elsie street, Aztec street, Franconia street, Wolfe street, Isabel street and on Eighteenth avenue and Coso avenue. (22668)

Also, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to wit:

That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Jersey street, between Castro and Diamond streets; on the southerly line of Seventeenth street, between Hartford and Castro streets, and on Hartford street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets; also at the intersection of Hartford and Seventeenth streets. (22632)

Also, transmitting agreement of Southern Pacific Company granting City use of existing masonry culvert passing under roadway of Bosworth street and the tracks of said company as a sewer right of way. (22633)

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Buena Vista avenue and on Congress street. (22635)

Also, recommending that \$10,000 be provided for continuation of preparation of plans and specifications of contemplated sewers. (22636)

Also, advising that certain notices of grade changes have been duly posted. (22637)

Also, advising that notices of contemplated improvements in the matter of closing and abandoning Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues, between Lawton and Moraga streets, have been duly posted. (22638)

Communication—From Board of Public Works, recommending that Willett & Burr, assignee of Foster &

Vogt, be granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after December 25, 1911, within which to complete contract for street work on Beale street, from Folsom to Bryant streets. (22652)

To the Streets, Fire, Hospital and Health Committees.

Communication—From Board of Public Works, transmitting Progress Report for week ending December 23, 1911, on construction, plans and specifications of Sewer System, Auxiliary Water System and Garbage System. (22639)

Referred to Clerk

The following matters were received, read and referred to Clerk:

Communications—From E. B. and A. L. Stone Company, with notice of claim in sum of \$147.50 for materials furnished F. H. Born and used in construction of Grattan School. (22641)

From E. B. and A. L. Stone Company, with release notice on claim of F. H. Born for material furnished and used in construction of Grattan School. (22616)

From Spring Valley Water Company, with release notice on claim of F. H. Born in sum of \$28.00 for water furnished and used in construction of McKinley School. (22617)

From E. B. and A. L. Stone Company, withdrawing withhold notice against Keystone Construction Company for \$250.12 for materials furnished said company and used in construction of Mission viaduct. (22655)

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Finance Committee—By Supervisor Kelly, Chairman.

Fire Committee—By Supervisor Knowles, Chairman.

Hospital and Health Committee—By Supervisor Healy, Chairman.

Judiciary Committee—By Supervisor Loughery, Chairman.

Licenses Committee—By Supervisor O'Dowd, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—By Supervisor Nelson, Chairman.

Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee—By Supervisor Nolan, Chairman.

Blasting Permit.

Merrifield & Mahoney.

The following matters laid over from last meeting were taken up:

Petitions—Of Merrifield & Mahoney, to install, operate and maintain a rock crusher in block bounded by Noriega street, Thirteenth avenue, Ortega street and Fourteenth avenue.

Of Chris. Neese and others, favoring

the granting of a permit to Merrifield & Mahoney to maintain a rock crushing plant in block 944, Sunset District.

Protests—Of D. M. Coghlan and others, against granting Merrifield & Mahoney permission to operate a quarry and rock crusher in block 944, Sunset District.

Of Mary C. Buckingham requesting that Merrifield & Mahoney be denied permission to blast on quarry in block 944, Sunset District.

Of J. Noble Jones and others, against granting Merrifield & Mahoney permission to blast in block 944, Sunset District.

Of Thomas D. Quigley and others, against granting Merrifield & Mahoney permission to operate a rock crusher in block 944, Sunset District.

Of Carl G. Larsen, against granting Merrifield & Mahoney permission to operate a rock crusher in block 944, Sunset District.

Of The Noble Jones Company, against granting Merrifield & Mahoney permission to operate a quarry in block 944, Sunset District.

Privilege of the Floor.

A *Merrifield*, representing the firm of Merrifield & Mahoney, was granted the privilege of the floor and stated that he had invested upwards of \$2500 in the plant established in the Upper Sunset District, and that if the permit was denied he would be out that amount. He insisted that no possible danger would accrue from the operation of his quarry. He stated that he had already exploded three blasts in the district without damage to surrounding property and that in his experience he had blasted in a fifty-foot street with buildings on both sides without breaking a pane of glass.

Edward B. Sweeney, representing protestants, also addressed the Board, requesting that permit to operate quarry be denied for the reason that the district was a residential one and was about to be improved by serpentine roads and parks and the granting of a permit for a quarry would destroy property values. He declared that he was not aware that Merrifield & Mahoney had exploded any blasts up to this time.

Mrs. E. H. Carlton, also representing protestants, stated that Merrifield & Mahoney had informed certain property owners that they intended to cut through Noreiga street and declared that she was opposed to any such proceeding whereby a gulch would be created on that street. She feared that the wind blowing through such a gulch would make the location cold and uncomfortable for the people living there and would make it undesirable for residential purposes. She also ob-

jected to the proposed blasting operation on account of the dirt and dust that she believed would result from the operation of the quarry.

Carl Larsen, also addressed the Board, objecting to the operation of the quarry. He stated that he had investigated the investment of Merrifield & Mahoney in that locality and believed that it did not amount to more than \$450 or \$500. He agreed to pay the applicants \$500 in the event of their withdrawing their application and removing their plant elsewhere.

W. T. Kearny, attorney representing Merrifield & Mahoney, also addressed the Board, stating that his clients were engaged in a legitimate business and that inasmuch as the quarry was located at least six hundred feet from the nearest habitation that the permit should be granted.

Permit Denied.

Supervisor Healy moved that the permit be granted.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Gallagher, Deasy, Healy, Minehan, Nelson, O'Dowd, Pugh—7.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Hayden, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Loughery, Murdock, Nolan, Walsh—10.

Absent—Supervisor Knowles—1.

Hearing of Protest of West End Betterment Club Against Closing of Northerly Portion of Turk Street, from Masonic to Parker Avenues.

The hearing of the protest of West End Betterment Club against closing of northerly portion of Turk street, from Masonic to Parker avenues, fixed by Resolution No. 9112 (New Series), for the hour of 3 p. m., this day, was proceeded with.

Privilege of the Floor.

A. F. *Burke*, attorney, representing Roman Catholic Archbishop, obtained the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that the Archbishop desired the good will of all those protesting to the proposed closing of the northerly portion of Turk street and he believed that if the matter was laid over for sixty days he could arrange for some harmonious settlement of the question.

Action Deferred.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the above matter was, on motion of Supervisor Nolan, laid over for sixty days.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following matter heretofore passed for printing and laid over one week was taken up and finally passed by the following vote:

Laundry Permit.

Resolution No. 9166 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will

of the Board of Supervisors, to Michael Lapeyri to conduct a laundry and erect and maintain a boiler in premises at south side of Fell street, 156 feet 3 inches west of Divisadero street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Nolan, Pugh, Walsh—12.

Noes—Supervisors Cutten, Hocks, Murdock—3.

Absent—Supervisors Deasy, Nelson, O'Dowd—3.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the treasury amounting to \$23,792.56, and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 9537 to 9944, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Kelly, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Installation and Removal of Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Walsh:

Resolution No. 9167 (New Series).

Remove Arc Lamps.

Northeast corner Bush and Kearny.

Southwest corner Bush and Sansome.

Northeast corner Bush and Gough.

Columbus avenue and Greenwich street.

Columbus avenue and Filbert street.

Columbus avenue and Kearny street.

Install Electroliers.

North side of Bush 94 feet west of Market.

Southwest corner of Bush and Battery.

North side of Bush 92 feet west of Battery.

South side of Bush 180 feet west of Battery.

Northeast corner of Bush and Sansome.

Southwest corner of Bush and Sansome.

North side of Bush 70 feet west of Sansome, corner Treasury place.

South side of Bush 186 feet west of Sansome.

North side of Bush 260 feet west of Sansome.

South side of Bush 353 feet west of Sansome.

Southwest corner of Bush and Trinity.

North side of Bush 170 feet west of Montgomery.

South side of Bush 245 feet west of Montgomery.

Northeast corner of Bush and Bel-den.

Southeast corner of Bush and Kearny.

Northwest corner of Bush and Kearny.

Southeast corner of Bush and Claude lane.

North side of Bush opposite Mark lane.

South side of Bush 281 feet west of Kearny.

Northeast corner of Bush street and Grant avenue.

32 electroliers on Columbus avenue from Washington to Lombard streets.

Install Gas Lamps.

North side of Twenty-fifth 83 feet west of Guerrero.

South side of Twenty-fifth 166 feet west of Guerrero.

Northeast corner Twenty-fifth and Fair Oaks.

Southwest corner Twenty-fifth and Fair Oaks.

North side of Twenty-fifth 125 feet west of Fair Oaks.

Remove Gas Lamps.

Northwest corner Twenty-fifth and Fair Oaks.

Southeast corner Twenty-fifth and Fair Oaks.

Install Arc Lamps.

1 arc Third avenue, between Geary and Clement streets.

1 arc Third avenue, between Geary and Anza streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Work Done on School Buildings.

On motion of Supervisor Kelly:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done at school buildings, to wit:

Dec. 28, 1911—Brandon & Lawson, second progress payment on contract for

brick work at the Lowell High School\$11,610.00
 Dec. 28, 1911—Chas. E. Thomas Co., second progress payment on contract for installing heating and ventilating system at the Lincoln School 3,525.00

Total\$15,135.00

Authorizing Payment, Work Done on San Francisco Hospital.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the "Hospital Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done at the San Francisco Hospital, to wit:

Dec. 19, 1911—Lange & Bergstrom, second progress payment on contract for general masonry work at the power house and laundry..\$4,784.25
 Dec. 27, 1911—The Roebling Construction Co., fifth progress payment on contract for partitions and furring.. 6,969.00

Total\$11,753.25

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named institutions for maintenance and tuition, during the month of November, 1911, of minors committed to their charge by the Juvenile Court, to wit:

Nov. 30, 1911—The St. Vincent de Paul Society.....\$3,641.50
 Nov. 30, 1911—Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum 1,689.69
 Dec. 1, 1911—Brother Paul, Superintendent, St. Vincent's Asylum 1,543.42
 Dec. 1, 1911—Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum..... 1,325.88
 Dec. 1, 1911—State of California, account Preston School of Industry..... 745.81
 Dec. 1, 1911—The Boys and Girls' Aid Society 539.35

Total\$9,485.65

Authorizing Payment, Construction of Section A, Intake Tunnel, Townsend Street Pumping Station of Auxiliary Water Supply System.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$8,653.86 to be made out of the "Fire Protection Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in

payment to Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co. (claim dated December 22, 1911), as final payment on contract for construction of Section "A" of the Intake Tunnel for the Townsend Street Pumping Station of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection, in accordance with recommendation of the City Engineer.

Authorizing Payment, Cement and Basalt Blocks Furnished for Paving Right of Way of Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the Geary Street Railway Fund, bond issue of July 1, 1910, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for supplies furnished for paving the right of way of the Geary Street Municipal Railway, to wit:

Dec. 13, 1911—Western Lime and Cement Co., cement furnished during the month of December, 1911.....\$ 965.00
 Dec. 16, 1911—W. W. Wymore, basalt blocks supplied during the month of November, 1911..... 3,597.00

Total\$4,562.00

Authorizing Payment, Yard Work, Denman Grammar School.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2,766.00 to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to Henning & Burke (claim dated December 20, 1911), as fourth installment on contract for yard work at the Denman Grammar School.

Authorizing Payment, Plastering, City and County Jail.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2,444.25 to be made out of the "Additions to Hall of Justice and County Jail Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to A. Knowles (claim dated December 18, 1911), as fifth installment on contract for plastering at the City and County Jail.

Authorizing Payments, Fire Alarm Bells Furnished Department of Electricity and Water for Public Buildings.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for supplies furnished, to wit:

Dec. 19, 1911—Electric Agencies Co., for fire alarm bells

furnished the Department
of Electricity\$ 750.00
Dec. 28, 1911—Spring Valley
Water Co., water furnished
public buildings from No-
vember 20th to December
20th, 1911 1,666.66

Total\$2,416.66

Authorizing Payment, Alterations and
Additions to Branch Public Library,
2435 Sacramento Street.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), Authorizing an expenditure of
\$514.00 to be made out of the Library
Fund in payment to George C. Terrill
(claim dated December 29, 1911), as
acceptance payment on contract for al-
terations and additions to Branch Pub-
lic Library, 2435 Sacramento street.

Providing \$15,000 to Defray Cost of Opera-
tion of Pipe Yard and for Testing
Mains, Auxillary Water Supply System.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$15,000.00
be and the same is hereby set aside,
appropriated and authorized to be ex-
pended out of the "Fire Protection Ac-
count" of the Public Building Fund,
bond issue of 1908, for the purpose of
enabling the Board of Public Works to
meet the cost of operating the pipe
yard and testing mains of the Auxil-
iary Water Supply System for Fire
Protection as they are laid.

Providing \$1750 to Enable Board of Pub-
lic Works to Install Shelving Desks and
Counters, Required for Tax Collector in
Temporary City Hall.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$1,750.00
be and the same is hereby set aside,
appropriated and authorized to be ex-
pended out of the item "For paving,
repaving, grading and repairs to
streets, for reconstruction of and re-
pairs to sewers, and for construction
of and repairs to public buildings and
other structures, excepting school build-
ings" in the budget of the fiscal year
1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the
Board of Public Works to meet the
cost of installing necessary shelving,
desks and counters in the offices of the
Tax Collector in the Temporary City
Hall.

Providing \$1000 to Enable Auditor to
Meet Cost of Extra Work in His Of-
fice.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$1,000.00
be and the same is hereby set aside,
appropriated and authorized to be ex-
pended out of the appropriation for
Urgent Necessities in the budget of
the fiscal year 1911-12, for the pur-

pose of enabling the Auditor to meet
the cost of extra work entailed in his
office in compiling additional reports
and data under the new taxation laws.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were
adopted:

Providing \$300 to Enable Treasurer to
Pay Increase in Salary of Assistant
Bond Clerk.

On motion of Supervisor Kelly:
Resolution No. 9168 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$300.00
be and the same is hereby set aside,
appropriated and authorized to be
expended out of the appropriation for
Urgent Necessities in the Budget of
the fiscal year 1911-12, for the pur-
pose of enabling the Treasurer to pay
increase in salary of Assistant Bond
Clerk in his office.

The attention of the Auditor and
Treasurer is hereby called to the
provisions of this resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten,
Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Her-
get, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery,
Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan,
O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Providing \$200 for Construction of Shed
for Ambulance at Tubercular Pavilion,
San Francisco Hospital.

Also, Resolution No. 9169 (New
Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$200.00
be and the same is hereby set aside,
appropriated and authorized to be
expended by the Board of Public
Works out of the item "For paving,
repaving, grading and repairs to
streets, for reconstruction of and re-
pairs to sewers, and for construction
of and repairs to public buildings
and other structures, excepting
school buildings" in the Budget of
the fiscal year 1911-12, in building
a shed at the Tubercular Pavilion for
housing the ambulance.

The attention of the Auditor,
Treasurer and Board of Public
Works is hereby called to the provi-
sions of this resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten,
Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Her-
get, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery,
Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan,
O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed*
for printing:

Ordering Construction of Pumping Sta-
tion No. 2, Auxillary Water Supply Sys-
tem, at Fort Mason.

On motion of Supervisor Kelly:
Bill No. 1972, Ordinance No. —
(New Series), entitled, "Ordering the
construction of Pumping Station No. 2
of the Auxillary Water Supply System

for Fire Protection, to be located on Fort Mason Military Reservation, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contracts for the doing of said work, and to expend a sum not to exceed three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars out of the "Fire Protection Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in the construction and equipment of said pumping station; and authorizing progressive payments to be made on said work."

Board of Public Works to Contract for Grading Site and for Constructing Concrete Piers for Islais Creek Incinerating Plant and Appropriating \$18,000 Therefor.

Also, Bill No. 1973, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contracts for grading the site and constructing concrete foundation piers for the Islais Creek Incinerating Plant, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by said Board, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed eighteen thousand (\$18,000.00) dollars out of the "Garbage System Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908; and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Board of Public Works to Contract for Installation of Pumps and Pipe Connections at Ashbury Heights Tank of Auxiliary Water Supply System and Appropriating \$18,000 Therefor.

Also, Bill No. 1974, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for installation of pumps and pipe connections at the Ashbury Heights tank of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by said Board, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars out of the "Fire Protection Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908; and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Authorizing Appointment of Swedish, Danish and Norwegian Interpreter for Superior and Police Courts.

Also, Bill No. 1975, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing and providing for the appointment of an interpreter of the Swedish, Danish and Norwegian languages for the Superior and Police Courts of the City and County of San Francisco."

Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Knowles:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to John Lirati & Company, to erect and maintain a boiler of eight horsepower in premises situate at the south side of Lombard street, 100 feet west of Divisadero street, the same to be used for heating water for bottling works.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Andrea Malatesta to erect and maintain a boiler of ten horsepower in premises situate at No. 1450 Grant avenue, the same to be used for furnishing power for creamery.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to L. Laustan to erect and maintain a boiler of twenty-five horsepower in premises situate at No. 3564 Sacramento street, the same to be used for furnishing heat for laundry purposes. Laundry and Engine and Boiler Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Laurent Ray to conduct a laundry and to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of five horsepower in premises situate at No. 329 Noe street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Mrs. Alexander Conden to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than fifteen gallons capacity, in premises situate at the northeast corner of Geary street and Arguello Boulevard, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Edward Rolkin to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons capacity, in premises situate on the west side of Sixth street, 150 feet north of Folsom street, for the purpose of storing therein, crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Andrew Rudgear to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons capacity, in premises situate at south side of Bush street, 137 feet 6 inches east of Stockton street, for the purpose of

storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Jacob Schwartz to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1900 gallons capacity, in premises situate at the north side of Turk street, 137 feet 6 inches west of Mason street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Extension of Time.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing and recommitted to Public Buildings Committee and returned by said Committee amended by reducing time from ninety days to forty days was taken up:

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That McLeran & Peterson be and are hereby granted an extension of forty (40) days' time from and after February 15, 1912, within which to complete their contract for the general construction of the Polytechnic Shop Buildings, for the reason that it has been impossible for the contractor to receive materials on time owing to the railroad strike; and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this Resolution be and the same is hereby remitted.

Privilege of the Floor.

Ralph McLeran was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that owing to strike on Southern Pacific Railroad it would require fully ninety days' time within which to receive his material from the East in order to complete the work on the Polytechnic Shop Buildings. He showed correspondence from the Southern Pacific Railroad in support of his statement.

Motion.

Supervisor Murdock moved the above resolution be amended by increasing time to ninety days.

Motion carried.

Passed to Print.

Whereupon the above Resolution as amended was *passed for printing* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

No—Supervisor Gallagher—1.

Passed For Printing.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Laundry Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Knowles:
Resolution No. — (New Series).

Granting L. Estacalla permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a laundry in premises situate at west line of Ninth avenue, 125 feet north of Irving street, in strict accordance with the Fire and Sanitary Laws and Regulations of the Board of Health and Fire Department.

Garage Permit.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Knowles:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Harry W. Denhard permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a garage in premises at the southeast corner of Waller and Clayton streets, in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 746 (New Series), and under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Fire Marshal.

Privilege of the Floor.

Geo. W. Bahrs was granted the privilege of the floor and protested against the granting of the permit on the ground that it would depreciate property values in the neighborhood which was now improved with high class residences.

Harry W. Denhard, applicant, also addressed the Board, stating that the block in which it was proposed to establish a garage was a business block and that there were grocery stores, a drug store and other business establishments within one hundred feet of proposed garage.

Refused Passage.

Whereupon the question being taken the above Resolution was refused passage by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Hayden, Healy, Herget, Kelly, Knowles, Minehan, Murdock, O'Dowd, Pugh—9.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hocks, Loughery, Nelson, Nolan, Walsh—9.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Knowles:
Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company the following extensions of time on its contracts, to-wit:

Sixty days' time from and after December 11, 1911, within which to complete construction of the Twin Peaks Reservoir, for the reason of changes in the plans; and ninety days' time from and after October 16, 1911, within which to complete the general construction of Pumping Plant No. 1, for the reason of delays caused in painting until the completion of the installation of the machinery; and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising fee

for printing this Resolution be and the same is hereby remitted.

Stable Permit.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Healy:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

E. B. Carr, northwest side of Tehama street, 250 feet northeast of Fourth street, for two horses.

Herman Wachter, No. 24 Felton street (rear), for one horse.

Privilege of the Floor.

W. B. McGerry obtained the privilege of the floor and protested against the granting of permit to E. B. Carr for stable on Tehama street, on the ground that the application notice had not been properly posted.

Passed For Printing.

Whereupon the question being taken the above resolution was passed for printing by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Deasy, Gallagher, Healy, Herget, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—13.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Hayden, Hocks, Murdock—5.

Passed For Printing.

The following Bill was *passed for printing*:

Accepting Grant From United States to Use of Fort Mason Military Reservation as Site for Pumping Station of Auxiliary Water System.

On motion of Supervisor Knowles:

Bill No. 1976, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a grant made by the United States through the War Department to the City and County of San Francisco to use a portion of the Fort Mason Military Reservation for the purpose of a pumping station and authorizing the Mayor to sign an agreement accepting said grant subject to the conditions attached thereto."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Healy:

Resolution No. 9170 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission be and the same is hereby denied Cresta and Harry, to maintain a stable at No. 749 Rhode Island street, for the accommodation of two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Appointment of Robert W. Dennis, Justices' Clerk, Vice Geo. S. McComb, Resigned.

Resolution No. 9171 (New Series), Appointing Robert W. Dennis as Justices' Clerk of the City and County of San Francisco for a period of four years.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Masquerade Ball Permits.

On motion of Supervisor O'Dowd.

Resolution No. 9172 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following named societies be and they are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and at the locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided that the proceeds of such balls be devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to-wit:

Journeymen Butchers' Protective and Benevolent Association, at Pythian Castle Hall, on January 6, 1912.

Turn Verein Eintracht, at Mission Turner Hall, Eighteenth and Lapidge streets, on January 13, 1912.

San Francisco Gruetli Verein, at San Francisco Turner Hall, Sutter and Divisadero streets, on February 10, 1912.

Bohemia Circle No. 200, Companions of the Forest, at Veteran Firemen's Hall, Fell street, between Gough and Octavia streets, on February 9, 1912.

Independent Order of Redmen, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, on January 13, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Mayor to Sell Shack Buildings on Site of Precita Valley School.

On motion of Supervisor Nelson:

Resolution No. 9173 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction, in accordance with provisions of the Charter, the certain shack buildings, located on the west side of Alabama street, ninety feet south of Norwich street, being on lots recently acquired by the City for the Precita Valley (Le Conte) school, being of dimensions 50 feet on Alabama street, with a depth of 110

feet. (Communication from the Board of Education, filed December 23, 1911.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Install Pacific Telephone Service.

On motion of Supervisor Nelson:

Also, Resolution No. 9174 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company be and is hereby requested to install a telephone in new Engine House No. 42 of the Fire Department, situate at San Bruno avenue, near Silliman street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Accepting Deed From Southern Pacific Company For Sewer Right of Way at Tara Street and Ocean Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

Bill No. 1977, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting deed of easement from the Southern Pacific Company (a corporation) to the City and County of San Francisco, of a sewer right of way under the tracks of the railroad company at Tara street and Ocean avenue."

Changing Name of Coolidge Place to Wall Place.

Also Bill No. 1978, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing the name of Coolidge Place to Wall Place."

Establishing Grades, Lilac Street.

Also, Bill No. 1979, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades at certain points on Lilac street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets."

Changing Grades Leavenworth Street, Between Francisco and Chestnut Streets.

Also, Bill No. 1980, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Leavenworth street, between Francisco and Chestnut streets."

Full Acceptance, Church Street, Between Twenty-second and Twenty-third Streets.

Also, Bill No. 1981, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Church street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets."

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 1982, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway

of O'Farrell street, between Broderick street and St. Joseph's avenue; Grove street, between Ashbury and Clayton streets; Clayton street, between Grove and Fulton streets; Seventeenth avenue, between Geary and Clement streets."

Pine Line Permit, Miller & Lux Inc.

Also, Resolution No. —, (New Series), granting Miller & Lux, Inc., permission to lay and maintain a four (4) inch pipe line in and along the streets of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows: From the plant of the California Tallow Works, situate on Evans avenue, between Keith avenue and Lane street, to its property on Evans avenue, between Newhall street and Railroad avenue; also to lay and maintain a four (4) inch pipe line from the plant of Roth, Blum & Company, situate at the corner of Fairfax avenue and Mendell street to its said property on Evans avenue, between Newhall street and Railroad avenue, said pipe line to be used for the purpose of conducting tankage from the plants of said California Tallow Works and said Roth, Blum & Company to the abattoir of said Miller & Lux, Inc.

Said permission is granted upon the following conditions, to-wit: Said pipe line is to be laid in a trench below the surface of the street where the streets are graded, and in use, and along a trestle erected for the purpose where the streets have not been graded, said pipe line to be constructed so as not to interfere with the use of said streets by the public.

All work done under this permit shall be subject to the supervision and inspection of the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco, and shall be in accordance with the Ordinances and Regulations of the Board of Supervisors and said Board of Public Works.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

Resolution No. 9175 (New Series), declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Arlington street, between Charles and Miguel streets, and on Charles street, from Arlington street to the northwesterly line of the S. P. railroad right of way, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed December 23, 1911, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated, a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Closing a Portion of Fourteenth and Fifteenth Avenues.

Also, Resolution No. 9176 (New Series), as follows: Closing and abandoning portions of Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues.

Whereas, This Board has, by Resolution No. 8838 (New Series) declared its intention to close and abandon those portions of Fourteenth avenue and Fifteenth avenue described, as follows:

That portion of Fourteenth avenue, beginning at the southerly line of Lawton (formerly L) street and running thence southerly six hundred (600) feet to the northerly line of Moraga (formerly M) street; said portion of Fourteenth avenue having a uniform width of seventy (70) feet. And that portion of Fifteenth avenue, beginning at the southerly line of Lawton (formerly L) street, and running thence southerly six hundred (600) feet to the northerly line of Moraga (formerly M) street; said portion of Fifteenth avenue having a uniform width of seventy (70) feet; and.

Whereas, The notice of said resolution and of said proposed closing and abandoning of said portions of Fourteenth avenue and Fifteenth avenue, was duly given by the Board of Public Works of this City and County by publication and posting in the manner provided by Section 3 of Chapter 3 of Article 6 of the Charter of said City and County of San Francisco, State of California; and,

Whereas, No objection to said contemplated action was filed with the Clerk of said Board of Supervisors within the time specified by law; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that the public interest and convenience will be conserved by the closing and abandonment of said portions of Fourteenth avenue and Fifteenth avenue above described. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said closing and abandonment of said portions of Fourteenth avenue and Fifteenth avenue above described, be and the same are hereby ordered and the said portion of Fourteenth avenue, to-wit, that portion of Fourteenth avenue, beginning at the southerly line of Lawton (formerly L) street, and running thence southerly six hundred (600) feet to the northerly line of Moraga (formerly M) street; said portion of Fourteenth avenue having a uniform width of seventy (70) feet, and the said portion of Fifteenth avenue, to-wit, that portion of Fifteenth avenue beginning at the southerly line

of Lawton (formerly L) street and running thence southerly six hundred (600) feet to the northerly line of Moraga (formerly M) street; said portion of Fifteenth avenue having a uniform width of seventy (70) feet, be and the same are hereby closed and abandoned as public streets; be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the Board of Public Works and that the Board of Public Works be instructed to make an assessment of benefits and damages and written report thereof to this Board in accordance with law.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Proposed Telephone Merger.

The following matters heretofore recommended to the *Public Utilities and Telephone Rates Committees*, with instructions to report this day, were taken up:

Bill No. 1950, requesting the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company to consolidate their telephone systems in the City and County of San Francisco, consenting to the sale or transfer of the property of either of said telephone companies to the other, and providing that, upon such consolidation, the franchise of the company selling its property shall be surrendered to the City and County of San Francisco, and thereupon shall cease and determine.

Bill No. 1983, permitting the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company to consolidate their telephone systems in the City and County of San Francisco, granting the consent of the City and County of San Francisco to the sale or transfer of the property of the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company fixing the terms and conditions upon which such consent is granted, and providing that upon such consolidation the franchise of the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company shall be surrendered to the City and County of San Francisco and thereupon shall cease and determine.

Report of Joint Committee on Telephone Rates and Public Utilities.

San Francisco, Cal., January 2, 1912.
To the Honorable The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

Your joint Committee on Telephone Rates and Public Utilities, to which was referred by your honorable Board the matter of Bill No. 1950, entitled,

"Requesting the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company to consolidate their telephone systems in the City and County of San Francisco, consenting to the sale or transfer of the property of either of said telephone companies to the other, and providing that, upon such consolidation, the franchise of the company selling its property shall be surrendered to the City and County of San Francisco, and thereupon shall cease and determine"; and

The substitute bill introduced by Supervisor Loughery and entitled,

"Permitting the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company to consolidate their telephone systems in the City and County of San Francisco; granting the consent of the City and County of San Francisco to the sale or transfer of the properties of the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, fixing the terms and conditions upon which consent is granted, and providing that, upon such consolidation, the franchise of the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company shall be surrendered to the City and County of San Francisco and thereupon shall cease and determine," were taken up with a quorum present and discussed, and after consideration the majority of your committee by the following vote, to-wit:

Supervisors Hocks, Herget and Loughery voting Aye, and Supervisors Healy and Walsh voting No, recommends to your honorable Board that the original Bill No. 1950, entitled as above, be indefinitely postponed; and by the following majority vote of your committee, to-wit:

Supervisors Hocks, Herget and Loughery voting Aye, and Supervisors Healy and Walsh voting No, the substitute bill entitled as above is respectfully referred to your honorable Board without recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

R. J. LOUGHERY, Chairman.

Statement of Supervisor Loughery.

Supervisor Loughery took the floor and declared that since signing the above report and since the meeting of the joint committee he had changed his mind as to the advisability of permitting the telephone companies to consolidate. He instanced a number of cases that had come to his attention in which the service rendered by the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company was anything but satisfactory and believed that a competing company in the telephone business would have a tendency to correct inadequate or inefficient service.

Indefinite Postponement.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Loughery permission to consolidate was denied and Bills Nos. 1950 and 1933 (New Series) were *indefinitely postponed* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Murdock explained his vote by saying that he voted for the motion on account of the manner in which the subject was presented, but without prejudice to the merits of the proposed merger in case the question should come up again at another time.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules, and *adopted*:

Clerk to Surrender Bond of G. Gignac
Secret Service Bureau.

On motion of Supervisor Healy:

Resolution No. 9177 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, One L. K. Gignac on September 11, 1911, filed in the office of the Clerk of this Board a certain bond as required by Ordinance No. 453 (New Series), which bond was prematurely filed and is without force and effect, and which was succeeded by a good and sufficient bond December 19, 1911, therefore

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be authorized to surrender said L. K. Gignac the bond first above described and the same is hereby ordered withdrawn from the files of said office.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were introduced under suspension of the rules and *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment, Water and Lighting Service and Stationery.

On motion of Supervisor Kelly:

Resolution No. —, (New Series), authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for supplies furnished, to-wit:

Dec. 28, 1911—Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished through fire hydrants dur-

ing the month of December, 1911	\$10,921.00
Dec. 28, 1911—Schwabacher-Frey Stationery Co., for 61 real estate rolls furnished the Assessor	627.69
Dec. 31, 1911—Pacific Gas and Electric Co., gas and electricity supplied for streets and public buildings during the month of December, 1911	34,630.95
Jan. 2, 1911—Brown & Power, Stationery Co., vehicle tags furnished to the Auditor	855.00

Total\$47,034.64

Authorizing Payment, Sewer Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$719.12 to be made out of the "Fire Protection Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co. (claim dated December 22, 1911), for work done in excess of contract on the construction of Section "A" of the Intake Tunnel for the Townsend Street Pumping Station of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection, in accordance with recommendation of the City Engineer.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Accepting Offer of Cornelia M. Stafford to Sell For \$22,000 Certain Land Required For Grant School Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Kelly:

Resolution No. 9178 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Cornelia M. Stafford (by Rhine & Co., Agents; communication dated December 22, 1911) to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land in Western Addition Block No. 546, required as additional ground for the Grant School; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of Cornelia M. Stafford to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all encumbrances, for the sum of \$22,000.00, payable in School Bonds, issue of 1904, be and the same is hereby accepted, said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Broadway, distant thereon 150 feet westerly from the westerly line of Broderick street; running

thence westerly along said southerly line of Broadway 60 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 127 feet $8\frac{1}{4}$ inches; thence at a right angle easterly 60 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 127 feet $8\frac{1}{4}$ inches to the southerly line of Broadway and point of commencement; being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 546.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to the said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes up to and including the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the purpose of procuring the same, to report the result of his examinations to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed for said land to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Accepting Offer of John Lee Jr. Company, to Sell For \$22,500, Certain Land Required For Grant School Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9179 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from the John Lee Junior Company (by Rhine & Co., Agents; communication dated December 22, 1911) to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land in Western Addition Block No. 546, required as additional ground for the Grant School; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of the John Lee Jr. Company to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all encumbrances, for the sum of \$22,500.00, payable in School Bonds, issue of 1904, be and the same is hereby accepted, said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Broadway, distant thereon 210 feet westerly from the westerly line of Broderick street; running thence westerly along said southerly line of Broadway 65 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 89 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches; thence southeasterly 39 feet $7\frac{3}{4}$ inches; thence easterly 55 feet 9 inches; thence at a right angle north-

erly, 127 feet 8¼ inches to the southerly line of Broadway and point of commencement; being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 546.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to the said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes up to and including the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the purpose of procuring the same, to report the result of his examinations to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed for said land to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Appointment of Joseph A. Heyfron, Assistant Clerk Board of Supervisors, Vice George E. Berger, Deceased.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan: Resolution No. 9180 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Joseph A. Heyfron be and is hereby appointed Assistant Clerk in the Board of Supervisors, vice George E. Berger, Deceased.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Leave of Absence, Frank J. Klimm, Member of Board of Health.

On motion of Supervisor Pugh: Resolution No. 9181 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Frank J. Klimm, member of the Board of Health, be and he is hereby granted leave of absence from the State from January 3rd until January 22 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Walsh, and on motion ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee:

Public Utilities Committee to Consider Matter of Expiration of Street Railway Franchise on California Street.

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Utilities be instructed to consider the matter of the expiration of the franchise heretofore granted for a street railroad in California street,

between First and Thirty-third avenues, which expired December 1, 1911, with a view to securing such terms for its future operation or for a suspension of operations as may be deemed best for the public interest.

Relative to Claims For Damages in Matter of Tunnel Construction.

Supervisor Nolan stated that there had been filed with the Streets Committee a number of claims for damages in the matter of tunnel construction which should properly be filed with Board of Public Works, and requested that Clerk forward same to said Board.

So ordered.

Announcement.

Supervisor Kelly moved that the Board meet in special session on Thursday, January 4, 1912, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of finishing the business of the Board.

Motion carried by the following vote:

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4:45 o'clock p. m. adjourned to meet Thursday, January 4, 1912, at 2 p. m.

W. R. HAGERTY, Clerk.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Thursday, January 4, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor McCarthy presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of January 2, 1912, was laid over until next meeting for approval.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

None.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH BOARD.

None.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

None.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES, EXCEPT FINANCE COMMITTEE.

None.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, \$9500 to Mabel R. Stoneberger, for Certain Land Required for Fire Department Purposes.

Resolution No. 9182 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$9,500.00 to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to Mabel R. Stoneberger (claim dated December 20, 1911), as purchase price under the terms of Resolution No. 9092 (New Series). of lot on the southerly line of Commercial street, 25 feet westerly from the westerly line of Drumm street, of dimensions 25 feet by 59 feet 9 inches, portion of Block "B", Fifty Vara Survey, required for Fire Department purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, City and County Hospital.

Resolution No. 9183 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for supplies furnished the City and County Hospital during the month of November, 1911, to-wit:

Nov. 29, 1911—Miller & Lux, Inc., meats	\$1,101.19
Dec. 1, 1911—Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries.....	1,869.93
Dec. 1, 1911—H. Lehrke Sons, Inc., groceries	739.67
Dec. 4, 1911—Peter Caubu, milk	994.50
Dec. 8, 1911—Associated Oil Co., fuel oil	570.72

Total\$5,276.01

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Authorizing Payment, Mill Work and Hardware, San Francisco Hospital.

Resolution No. 9184 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the "Hospital Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter

named claimants for work done and hardware furnished for the San Francisco Hospital, to-wit:

Dec. 19, 1911—Lange & Bergstrom, fifth progress payment on contract for mill-work

\$1,500.00

Dec. 21, 1911—Bennett Bros., first installment on contract for hardware

3,000.00

Total\$4,500.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Authorizing Payment, Sewer Work.

Resolution No. 9185 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4,089.98 to be made out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co. (claim dated November 29, 1911), as full settlement for contract for extra work done in the construction of Section "C" of the Division street sewer; said work having been done under the tracks of the Southern Pacific Railway Company and said railway company having deposited the aforesaid amount in the Treasury.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Resolution No. 9186 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3,439.65 to be made out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co. (claim dated July 22, 1910), as full settlement of contract for extra work done in the construction of Section "B" of the Division street sewer; said work having been done under the tracks of the Western Pacific Railway Company and said railway company having deposited the aforesaid amount in the Treasury.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Authorizing Payment, Groceries, Relief Home, Plumbing, etc., Richmond Police Station.

Resolution No. 9187 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for supplies furnished and work performed, to wit:

Dec. 1, 1911—H. Lehrke Sons, groceries furnished the Re-

Relief Home during the month of November, 1911.....\$2,754.85
 Dec. 19, 1911—Wm. S. Snook & Son, second progress payment on contract for work of plumbing, heating and gas fitting at the Richmond Police Station..... 656.25

Total\$3,411.10

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park Commissioners.

Resolution No. 9188 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for supplies furnished the Board of Park Commissioners, to wit:

Nov. 11, 1911—Producers Hay Co., hay supplied.....\$1,545.12
 Nov. 23, 1911—Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished parks and squares from October 20th to November 20th, 1911 1,708.01

Total\$3,253.13

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Authorizing Payment, Sand Furnished Board of Public Works, and Construction of Safety Station at Market, Church and Fourteenth Streets.

Resolution No. 9189 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for materials furnished and work done, to wit:

Dec. 19, 1911—Western Lime and Cement Co., sand supplied to the Board of Public Works during the month of December, 1911\$ 927.50
 Dec. 22, 1911—Geo. J. Robbins, full payment of contract price for erection of safety station at intersection of Market, Church and Fourteenth streets 1,875.00

Total\$2,802.50

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Authorizing Payment, Yard Work, Holly Park School.

Resolution No. 9190 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$675.00 to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to Flinn & Treacy (claim dated December 4, 1911), as first installment on contract for yard work at the Holly Park School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Authorizing Payment, Sewer Work.

Resolution No. 9191 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$666.20 to be made out of the Tearing Up Streets Fund, in payment to P. J. Gartland & Co. (claim dated December 6, 1911), for repaving over side sewer trenches at locations stated in bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Authorizing Payment, Official Advertising, Board of Supervisors.

Resolution No. 9192 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of \$606.78 be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to R. A. Crothers, proprietor of The Bulletin (claim dated December 23, 1911), for advertising for Board of Supervisors to October 23, 1911.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Providing \$23,225.00 for Repairs to Public Buildings During Months of January, February and March, 1912.

Resolution No. 9193 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following sums be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of the item "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings," in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, in performing the following work during the months of January, February and March, 1912, to wit:

Repairs to Fire Department buildings, fire boats and fire

boat stations	\$8,250.00
General repairs to public buildings	5,000.00
Repairs to Police Department buildings	2,500.00
Repairs to County Jail.....	2,500.00
Repairs to Relief Home.....	1,275.00
Janitorial supplies	1,250.00
Repairs to Isolation Hospital	500.00
Miscellaneous repairs	500.00
Repairs to Emergency Hospitals	450.00
Repairs to Juvenile Detention Home	375.00
Repairs to buildings of the Department of Elections...	375.00
Repairs to buildings of the Department of Electricity..	250.00

Total\$23,225.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Providing \$20,000 for Repairs to School Buildings During January, February and March, 1912.

Resolution No. 9194 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$20,000.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the item "For the reconstruction of, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings" in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to make necessary repairs to school buildings during the months of January, February and March, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Providing \$10,000 for Repairing and Repaving Streets.

Resolution No. 9195 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved. That the sum of \$10,000.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the item "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings" in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to do necessary repairing and repaving of streets throughout the city.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—17.

Providing \$3500 for Music in Public Parks and Squares.

The following Resolution, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up:

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the sum of \$3,500.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the appropriation for Urgent Necessities in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12 for the purpose of enabling the Board of Park Commissioners to provide music in parks and squares throughout the city, outside of Golden Gate Park, during the remainder of the current fiscal year.

Privilege of the Floor.

Albert A. Greenbaum, representing Musicians' Union, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that in making an appropriation for music in public parks and squares the Board of Supervisors would be acting in accordance with progressive ideas in municipal affairs. He declared that in all the large cities of the East appropriations have been made for years past for music in the public parks and squares and he did not see why San Francisco should be behind in this regard.

Refused Passage.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the above resolution was *refused final passage* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Deasy, Gallagher, Healy, Herget, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—13.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Hocks explained his vote by stating that he had intended to vote for the appropriation, but that owing to the statement of Supervisor Gallagher assuming that Supervisor-elect Jennings was opposed to appropriating money for music and would not favor it during the coming administration, he voted in the negative.

Supervisor Cutten also expressed himself as being in favor of municipal music in public parks and squares, and requested the members of the Board who had been re-elected to use their efforts to obtain an appropriation for that purpose from the Incoming Board.

Providing \$2565.00 to Enable Department of Electricity to Install Sixteen Police Patrol Boxes in Richmond District.

Resolution No. 9196 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2,565.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the item "For construction and equipment of Police Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Police Department purposes" in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the De-

partment of Electricity to install sixteen police patrol boxes in the Richmond District.

The attention of the Auditor, Treasurer, Board of Police Commissioners and Department of Electricity is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Providing \$2500 for Completion of Yard Work at Peabody School.

Resolution No. 9197 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved That the sum of \$2,500.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Education to complete the yard work at the Peabody School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Providing \$2000 for Preliminary Work in Construction of Twin Peaks Tunnel.

Resolution No. 9198 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2,000.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of the item "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings" in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, in preliminary work in connection with the construction of the Twin Peaks tunnel.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Providing \$1023 to Enable Board of Public Works to Do Additional Work Necessary at Richmond Police Station.

Resolution No. 9199 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$1,623.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the item "For construction and equipment of Police Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Police Department purposes" in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to do addi-

tional work required to be done at the Richmond Police Station.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Referred.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Nelson referred to the Public Buildings Committee:

Providing \$1500 to Enable Board of Public Works to Pay Consulting Engineers Engaged to Examine Steel Frames of Buildings.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$1,500.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to remunerate consulting engineers it may deem necessary to engage for the examination of steel frames of buildings, in the event of a difference of opinion arising on work of this character.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Providing \$600, Salary of Swedish, Danish and Norwegian Interpreter for Superior and Police Courts.

Resolution No. 9200 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$600.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of paying the salary of an interpreter of the Swedish, Danish and Norwegian languages for the Superior and Police Courts, during the remainder of the current fiscal year.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Dyeing and Cleaning Permit.

Resolution No. 9201 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Morris Edwards to maintain a dyeing and cleaning works and to erect and maintain a boiler of ten horsepower, in premises, situate at No. 1947 Oakdale avenue, the same to be used for furnishing steam to said works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Her-

get, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 9202 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to F. J. Bayer to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons capacity, in premises situate at the southwest corner of Sacramento and Leavenworth streets, for the purpose of storing therein, crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Resolution No. 9203 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons capacity, in premises situate at the west side of Nineteenth avenue, 250 feet south of Kirkham street, for the purpose of storing therein, crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. 9204 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), to James Herlhy to maintain a stable at No. 3136 Army street for the accommodation of four horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following Bill, laid over from a previous meeting, was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Gallagher *indefinitely postponed*:

Amending Traffic Ordinance Relative to Examinations and Qualifications of Drivers of Motor Vehicles and the Granting of Permits Thereto.

Bill No. 1889, Ordinance No. — Amending Section 27 of Ordinance No. 649 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating moving travel and traffic upon the streets and other public places in the City and County of San Francisco, and providing a punishment for any viola-

tion thereof," the provisions of which require all drivers of motor vehicles in rent or hackney service to obtain permit so to do from Board of Police Commissioners after investigation and examination as to character and ability, excepting therefrom owners of vehicles not in rent or hackney service.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9205 (New Series), Granting McLeran & Peterson an extension of ninety days' time from and after February 15, 1912, within which to complete their contract for the general construction of the Polytechnic shop buildings, for the reason that it has been impossible for the contractor to receive materials on time owing to the railroad strike.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, Pugh, Walsh—16.

Noes — Supervisors Gallagher, O'Dowd—2.

Changing Grades, Richland Avenue.

Bill No. 1967, Ordinance No. 1762 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Richland avenue, between Mission street, and a line at right angles to the southerly line of Richland avenue at a point 520 feet westerly from said Mission street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Full Acceptance, Irving Street.

Bill No. 1968, Ordinance No. 1763 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Irving street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Conditional Acceptance, Utah Street.

Bill No. 1969, Ordinance No. 1764 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Utah street, between Alameda and Fifteenth streets; crossing of Moscow street and Persia avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 1970, Ordinance No. 1765 (New Series), entitled; "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same", the provisions of which order the following street work:

That granite curbs and an asphalt pavement be constructed in Twenty-fourth avenue, between California and Lake streets.

That granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and asphalt pavement, brick cesspools and iron-stone pipe culverts be constructed in the crossing of Moraga street and Tenth avenue.

That 10 and 18-inch iron-stone pipe sewers with appurtenances, brick cesspool and ironstone pipe culverts and an asphalt pavement be constructed in the crossing of Twenty-fifth street and Treat avenue.

That an 18-inch iron-stone pipe sewer with appurtenances, brick cesspools and iron-stone pipe culverts, granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed in the crossing of Twenty-second avenue and Lincoln way.

That brick cesspools, iron-stone pipe culvert and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed in the crossing of Eighteenth and Hampshire streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9206 (New Series), Granting Owen McHugh an extension of sixty days' time from and after December 18, 1911, within which to complete contract for grading Cabrillo street from the westerly line of Forty-second avenue to the westerly line of Forty-fourth avenue, under public contract.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the treasury amounting to \$44,186.05, and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 9952 to 10,076, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Kelly, reported in favor of al-

lowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

NEW BUSINESS

None.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Request for Permission to Maintain Cigar Stand in Temporary City Hall.

Supervisor Bancroft presented:

Petition—Of J. M. Bond, for permission to occupy space for cigar stand near elevator in the temporary City Hall building.

Ordered referred to the Building Committee.

Board of Public Works and Department of Electricity to Be Notified Not to Issue Any Permits to Erect Poles or String Overhead Wires Until Right to Do So Has Been Fully Established.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Deasy under suspension of the rules:

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby instructed to notify the Board of Public Works and Department of Electricity not to grant permits to any corporations for the erection of poles, the laying of conduits or the stringing of overhead wires until opinion requested by Resolution No. 9159 (New Series) of this Board is obtained from the City Attorney.

Amendment.

Supervisor Gallagher moved as an amendment that the opinion of the City Attorney be obtained in the matter and presented to the Board by Monday, January 8, 1912.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Clerk Directed to Obtain Opinion of the City Attorney as to Right of Companies and Corporations to String Overhead Wires and Erect Poles for the Purpose of Furnishing Power.

Resolution No. 9207 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby requested to obtain from the City Attorney on or before Monday, January 8, 1912, his opinion on the subject matter contained in Resolution No. 9159 (New Series) of this Board as to the right

of corporations engaged in the business of furnishing power to erect poles and string overhead wires for the purpose of carrying on such business.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced, under suspension of the rules, and *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Healy:
Resolution No. 9208 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission be and the same is hereby denied August Salda to maintain a stable at No. 364 Precita avenue for the accommodation of one horse.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:
Resolution No. 9209 (New Series),
declaring it to be the intention of the

Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Buena Vista avenue and on Congress street, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed December 28, 1911, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Hergert, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Pugh, Walsh—18.

**Relative to Employment of Bion J. Arnold,
Expert on Street Railroad Transportation.**

The Clerk presented:
Telegram—From Bion J. Arnold, advising that he will be in San Francisco by January 10, 1912, also in re retainer fee.

Ordered *referred to the Public Utilities Committee.*

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 3:30 o'clock p. m. adjourned, to meet Monday, January 8, 1912, at 11:30 p. m.

W. R. HAGERTY, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors January 8, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, W. R. Hagerty, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journals of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

W. R. HAGERTY.

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 1912, 11:30 A. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, January 8, 1912, 11:30 a. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of inducting into office the members who were elected at the municipal election held November 7, 1911.

His Honor Mayor McCarthy, presiding.

ROLL CALL.

The roll was called of the members of the Board of Supervisors whose terms of office were about to expire and the following were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Cutten, Deasy, Gallagher, Hayden, Healy, Herget, Hocks, Kelly, Knowles, Loughery, Minehan, Murdock, Nelson, Nolan, O'Dowd, Walsh—17.

All the newly-elected members of the Board of Supervisors, except Supervisor Jennings, were also in attendance in the chambers.

Resignation of William R. Hagerty, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

The following communication was presented and read by the Chief Assistant Clerk:

January 8, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco:

Gentlemen—I hereby tender my resignation as Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, same to take effect immediately.

W. R. HAGERTY.

Resignation Accepted.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Deasy, the above resignation was accepted.

Remarks of Retiring Members.

Thereupon Supervisor Kelly addressed the Board in part as follows:

"I have no regrets for any of my actions during the past two years as a member of this Board of Supervisors. I only regret I may not be here two years more. You are entering office with the utmost confidence of the people and let us hope that confidence will not be shaken during the next few years."

Supervisors Cutten, Herget, Knowles, Nelson and Walsh also addressed the

Board and his Honor, Mayor Rolph, wishing the new administration every success.

Remarks of Supervisor Murdock

Supervisor Murdock said:

"It is perhaps incumbent on me as the oldest Supervisor in continuous service to assure the outgoing members that they have not left the administration of city affairs in the hands of their enemies. Their interests will be guarded, for we intend to represent all the people. It is not reasonable to believe we will do everything asked of us, but we will try to do all those things that should reasonably be expected of us."

Address of Retiring Mayor.

Thereupon, his Honor Mayor McCarthy delivered the following address:

"Mr. Mayor and gentlemen of the Board: I feel happy that I am retiring from the office of Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco. I feel more happy in the thought that everything that could be done by me has been done for San Francisco and its people generally during the time I have been Mayor. San Francisco is now, and has always been my first thought. I welcome you, gentlemen of the new Board, and pray for everything possible that will help you realize your hopes and ambitions for the betterment of San Francisco. I have been able to do much with the co-operation of the people of San Francisco. I could have done more had that co-operation been general. We wish you luck and say that everything we can do to bring you that luck and success will be given you. I again give you welcome."

Mayor Rolph Assumes the Chair.

The retiring Mayor announced that the hour of 12 o'clock had arrived. Mayor-elect James Rolph Jr. thereupon assumed the chair.

Roll Call.

His Honor Mayor Rolph requested the Clerk to call the roll and the following Supervisors-elect were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,

Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Presentation of Credentials.

Whereupon, the following credentials were presented and *ordered filed*:

Department of Elections—City Hall.

San Francisco, January 8, 1912.

State of California, City and County of San Francisco—ss.

I hereby certify that William H. McCarthy received 42,288 votes, Oscar Hocks received 42,133 votes, Paul Bancroft received 37,720 votes, J. Emmet Hayden received 37,239 votes, George E. Gallagher received 36,821 votes, Henry Payot received 36,290 votes, Charles A. Murdock received 36,191 votes, Thomas Jennings received 35,931 votes, Alexander T. Vogelsang received 34,713 votes.

The above named nine Supervisors, having received the highest vote, in accordance with Section 38a, Article XVI of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, are elected for the period of four years, commencing January 8, 1912.

I further certify that Fred L. Hilmer received 34,519 votes, Andrew J. Gallagher received 34,488 votes, James Blain Bocarde received 33,425 votes, Adolf Koshland received 32,349 votes, Daniel C. Murphy received 31,475 votes, Byron Mauzy received 30,376 votes, McLeran received 28,691 votes, Edward L. Nolan received 28,676 votes, and Guido E. Caglieri received 28,279 votes. And, in accordance with Section 38a, Article XVI of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, are elected Supervisors for the period of two years, commencing January 8, 1912.

Attest my hand and seal this 8th day of January, 1912.

(Seal) J. H. ZEMANSKY,

Deputy Registrar of Voters.

Adopted.

Thereupon, the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and *adopted*:

Appointment of Clerk of Board of Supervisors.

Resolution No. 9210 (New Series).

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed to the several positions as officers and employes of the Board of Supervisors at the respective monthly salaries set opposite their names as follows:

John S. Dunnigan, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.....	\$300.00
John W. Rogers, Chief Assistant Clerk	225.00
Cyril Williams, Expert to Board	300.00
H. A. Mason, Bond and Ordinance Clerk.....	250.00

T. B. McGinnis, Jas. L. Lynch, David A. Barry, Assistant Clerks (each).....	175.00
Charles H. Forbes, Assistant Clerk	150.00
James P. Slevin, Assistant Clerk	140.00
John F. Finn, Assistant Clerk, assigned to Stationery Department (to give a bond in the sum of \$2,000).....	150.00
Thomas Cleary, J. F. Ahern, C. F. Hilsz, Assistant Clerks (each)	125.00
E. C. Mills and Kathryn G. Sullivan, Stenographers (each) ..	100.00
Mary A. Commerford, Filing Clerk and Telephone Operator ..	90.00
Sarah J. McKenna, Telephone Operator	70.00
C. T. Kreling, Sergeant-at-Arms ..	120.00
C. F. Hornung, Chauffeur and Messenger	100.00
Samuel Conlan, Stenographer to Finance Committee.....	150.00

Resolution No. 6178 (New Series), approved July 6, 1911, and all resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby rescinded.

And be it further resolved, That all the foregoing appointments be considered probationary, and that it be accepted as the rule of the service that permanency of position shall be conditioned on efficiency. It shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Board to report any employe who fails in ability, integrity, industry or courtesy, and if the complaints are found justified, removal shall follow:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher, permitted, on motion of Supervisor Murdock, voted *aye* on appointment of Clerk and Chief Assistant and *no* on remainder of resolution.

Whereupon, Clerk J. S. Dunnigan took office and at the request of his Honor the Mayor, called the roll, all members before noted being present.

In Memory of James Blain Bocarde.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and *adopted* by rising vote:

Resolution No. 9211 (New Series)—The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, assuming its constituted duties on January 8, 1912, as its first official act, places on record its sincere respect for the memory of James Blain Bocarde, elected a member of the Board, who, without warning or consciousness of weakness, passed from the fullness of life to the silence of death on November 29, 1911.

Mr. Bocarde represented the best American citizenship. By energy, ability and integrity he had achieved an enviable position among his fellow-men. Born in Ontario, Canada, on January 27, 1857, he came to San Francisco when nineteen years of age, and after graduation from a business college, with determination and energy devoted himself to business. He was an indefatigable worker, and by his reliability and courtesy he commanded success. Having achieved competence he felt a desire to be of service to the city he loved, and offered himself as a candidate for the office of Supervisor. Heretofore for success upon demonstrated merit and the confidence of the voters, and entered enthusiastically upon a canvass that resulted in his election by those whose trust and admiration he had won. He seemed especially fitted for the position; he knew the needs of the city ell; he wanted to help her, and he had the habit of achieving results. With his high ideals, absolute integrity and strength of character he would have made his mark as a legislator. He joined in the preparatory work of the Board with earnestness and devotion, and we all looked forward to the support of a strong and resolute man in carrying out high purposes.

Mindful of our sad duty to close the broken ranks and press forward, we bid our loyal comrade hale and farewell, and extend to those near and dear to him our heartfelt sympathy. To them he has left the heritage of a good name; to us the pleasant memory of an earnest, sincere and kindly gentlemen.

Be it resolved, That when we adjourn it shall be in respect to his memory, that this memorial shall be spread upon the minutes of the Board, and that a copy be sent to the family.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings.

Statement of Mayor James Rolph Jr. When Making Appointment of Supervisor to Fill Vacancy Caused by Death of Mr. James B. Bocarde.

His Honor the Mayor then addressed the Board as follows:

This City has suffered the loss, by death, of James B. Bocarde, who was recently elected by the people of San Francisco to serve in our official family as Supervisor. We all realize that the absence of his counsel, advice and ability is a distinct loss to us and to the community. By virtue of the power vested in me by the Charter, it is my

duty to fill the vacancy caused by his death on the Board of Supervisors. It has been a perplexing problem to do so. I have studied the question of Mr. Bocarde's successor from all points of view. There are so many eligible and capable men, well fitted by experience, character and ability, that, to make a choice is, indeed, a trying task for one who realizes that only one can be chosen. I must therefore, in the nature of things, pass many worthy men. I know that my appointment will give general satisfaction, for the man whom I am about to name has been a faithful and efficient public servant in the past and is well qualified in every respect to discharge the duties expected of him. I name Dr. A. H. Giannini as successor to Mr. James B. Bocarde. His record is too well known to require further comment by me.

Appointments of Mayor James Rolph, Jr.

Thereupon, his Honor the Mayor announced his appointments in the following statement:

In taking the Mayor's chair today, I am mindful of the confidence reposed in me by my fellow citizens, and intend to get right down to business without delay and unnecessary ceremony. To assist me in the details of my office, the Charter provides that I may appoint a secretary, a stenographer and an usher. The office of secretary to the Mayor is one of the most important appointments I have to make. His close intimacy with the Mayor, combined with the necessary requisites of character, fitness and ability, knowledge of public questions and traits of affability and courtesy to the general public, requires a man of exceptional qualities. It has been difficult for me to make a selection by reason of the fact that several applicants for the position carry with them the highest endorsement of citizens whose opinion I value and respect; but, after weighing all considerations carefully, I beg to advise you that I have appointed Mr. J. Edward Rainey, and take pleasure in presenting him to you on this occasion. Mr. Rainey is a very well known newspaper writer.

The next position to fill is that of stenographer to the Mayor. I beg to advise you that I have appointed Miss Elizabeth A. Ferry, whom I have known for many years, and can trust implicitly.

For the position of usher, I have selected Mr. George Cuthbert, a colored man, who bears credentials of the highest class, and whom, by his bearing, character and qualifications, I have been prompted to recognize as eminently fitted for the duties of his position.

It is customary that a member of

the San Francisco police force be detailed by the Chief of Police to duty in the Mayor's office. This position is one of trust. I have requested the Chief of Police, as has been the custom, to raise to the rank of Detective Sergeant, Police Officer Thomas A. Walsh, and detail him to duty at my office. I have known Officer Walsh for a long while and he has my full confidence.

In the various departments of the City Government I find vacancies caused by expiration of terms of office, and by the authority vested in me by the Charter, I shall now proceed to fill these vacancies in accordance with the statement made in my platform that "No appointments will be made for political reasons. Character, fitness and ability to produce results will be the governing influences in all selections." The Charter requires that every appointee must have been a resident of the City and County of San Francisco for at least five years prior to appointment, and further, that there shall not be more than two appointees of any one political party on any commission. I have studied closely the political complexion of each commission, and am, consequently, restricted in my first appointment to a man of such political faith as will enable him to serve with the other members of the various commissions now holding office.

To fill the vacancy on the Board of Police Commissioners caused by the expiration of the term of appointment of Mr. Max Goldberg, I now appoint Mr. Jesse B. Cook. Mr. Cook is now employed by the Savings Union Bank of San Francisco as manager of its safety deposit vault department. He is a former Chief of Police of San Francisco, whose record lies open before the people. In my opinion he is eminently qualified to be the first representative of my administration on the Police Commission.

To fill the vacancy on the Board of Public Works caused by the expiration of the term of appointment of Mr. William A. Newson, I now appoint Mr. David Gray Fraser. This department of our City Government requires, first of all, a man who knows how construction work ought to be done and who has the ability to get it done right. Mr. Fraser has been for thirty-seven years employed by the Union Iron Works. He rose from the bottom of the ladder, and has been for about thirty-one years superintendent of the machine shop. He was born September 29, 1853, in Lorne, Pictou County, Nova Scotia, and as a young man came to San Francisco. He entered the Union Iron Works as an apprentice

in 1875. He was appointed superintendent of the machine shop in 1881, and has occupied that very responsible position ever since. He had charge of much of the important machine work performed at that institution, including the building of the machinery for the "Oregon." He has the affection and respect of all the men who have worked for him, and of all the Unions whose members are employed in the Union Iron Works. Mr. Fraser has one son now employed in the Union Iron Works, twenty-eight years of age; an active member of the Machine Hands' Union. I have made diligent inquiries concerning Mr. Fraser's capabilities and character and get nothing but the highest recommendations of him in every respect from the men who have worked for him, from the men by whom he is employed, and from his wide acquaintance. I have drafted Mr. Fraser into the service of the City. He has not been an applicant, and did not know he was being considered until I offered him the position two days ago. As a testimonial of his character and qualifications, I beg to read you a letter written to me by his present employers, the Union Iron Works, in response to an inquiry from me:

UNION IRON WORKS CO.

San Francisco, January 5, 1912.

Mayor-elect James Rolph Jr.,

San Francisco,

Sir—Confirming our phone conversation today it is a great pleasure to me to introduce our Mr. Fraser, superintendent of machine shop, to you. I have every confidence in Mr. Fraser's ability as a general all round first class engineer and believe he would be a valuable acquisition as a member of your Board of Public Works, and I wish to say further that the Union Iron Works will be pleased to reinstate Mr. Fraser at any time he may see fit to resign or you may desire to make a change in the Board of Public Works. We will vouch for Mr. Fraser's honesty and integrity. Yours very truly,

(Signed) JOS. J. TYNAN,

General Manager.

To fill the vacancy on the Board of Civil Service Commissioners, caused by the expiration of the term of appointment of Mr. George H. Bahrs, I now appoint Mr. E. A. Walcott. Mr. E. A. Walcott was born in Illinois, November 19th, 1859, was educated at Santa Barbara and at the University of California in the class of 1883. He has been a resident of San Francisco since 1885. He was employed in newspaper work on the San Francisco "Chronicle" and on the "Post" until in 1889 he became editorial writer for the "Examiner" and editor of the "Weekly Ex-

aminer." He held those positions until 1909, then he accepted the post of executive secretary of the Commonwealth Club, the position which he now holds. He is a writer for the magazines and the author of a number of novels. He was secretary of the Charter Revision Convention of 1910. For many years he has specialized as a student of municipal government and legislation and he has acquired a high reputation for his knowledge of such matters and for his zeal in promoting attempts to improve municipal conditions. I have pressed him into the public service and am sure that the municipality will profit greatly by his work on the Civil Service Commission.

To fill the vacancy on the Board of Education, caused by the expiration of the term of appointment of Mr. Henry Payot, I now appoint Dr. A. A. D'Ancona. Dr. D'Ancona is, to my mind, peculiarly fitted by reason of his ability, his personality, his profession as a physician, a lawyer and a teacher, and his experience in public life to serve on the Board of Education. His career is known to you and to the people; and for that reason I need not dwell upon it at this time. There could be no better guarantee of Dr. D'Ancona's fitness for this position than is contained in the following letter from Dr. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, of whom I inquired concerning Dr. D'Ancona for this position:

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA,

Office of the President.

Berkeley, November 25, 1911.

My Dear Mayor Rolph—You enquire in your letter of November 24th concerning my opinion of the fitness of Dr. D'Ancona for a position on the Board of Education of San Francisco. Dr. D'Ancona knows the resources and needs of San Francisco as well as anybody. He has a high standard of civic decency and righteousness. He is a thoroughly honest man and absolutely reliable. I do not think there is any question regarding his fitness for the position. His appointment would, I believe, meet with universal approval and what is better than that would serve the real interests of education. I fear the appointment would mean that we would lose him from the deanship of our faculty of medicine, which I should regret. Very truly yours,

(Signed) BENJ. I. WHEELER.

Hon. James Rolph Jr.,

310 California Street,
San Francisco.

To fill the two vacancies on the Board of Park Commissioners, caused by the expiration of the terms of appointments of Mr. W. K. Gutzkow and

Mr. Andrew G. McCarthy, I now appoint Judge Curtis H. Lindley and Mr. A. B. Spreckels; Judge Lindley to take the place of Mr. Gutzkow and Mr. A. B. Spreckels to take the place of Mr. McCarthy. Judge Lindley is the president of the San Francisco Bar Association, and a distinguished lawyer and public-spirited citizen who has found time to lend his talents and learning to the City of San Francisco on many occasions, and who has refused compensation for the valuable services rendered by him, from time to time, to the municipality. He has consented, however, under persuasion, to accept this appointment, and has, thereby, enabled this administration, and the people, to profit further by his wisdom and force of character. Mr. A. B. Spreckels is one of our most representative citizens, and has been keenly interested in the development and advancement of Golden Gate Park, with which his family name is intimately associated. He was in no sense an applicant for the appointment. I have chosen him in the interest of Golden Gate Park, and his love for the people's pleasure ground. He was greatly surprised when, a few days ago, I tendered to him the appointment, which he, only after some hesitation, accepted.

To fill the two vacancies on the Board of Election Commissioners, caused by the expiration of the terms of appointment of Mr. Henry H. Ordway and Mr. N. C. Weinholz, I now appoint Mr. Charles L. Queen and Mr. William McDevitt; Mr. Queen to take the place of Mr. Weinholz and Mr. McDevitt to take the place of Mr. Ordway. According to the Charter provisions, I must appoint a registered Democrat and a registered Socialist to these places. Mr. Queen is a Democrat, and Mr. McDevitt is a Socialist. Mr. Queen is identified with the California Fig Syrup Company. He has been admitted to practice law by the Supreme Courts of both California and Nevada, and has been admitted also to the United States courts. He has been, however, out of active practice of the law for several years. He is particularly well versed in election laws, the study of which he has made a specialty. Mr. McDevitt has, at the last two elections, been the candidate of the Socialist party for the office of Mayor of our City. He is, by profession, a lawyer, having graduated from the Georgetown University, at Washington, D. C. He is now engaged in the selling of books. It was with reluctance that Mr. McDevitt accepted this appointment.

To fill the vacancy on the Board of Fire Commissioners, caused by the ex-

piration of the term of appointment of Mr. L. D. Batchelder, I now appoint Mr. Henry U. Brandenstein. Mr. Brandenstein is very well known in the public life of San Francisco. He has served the people as a member of the Board of Education; he sat six years in the Board of Supervisors, part of which time he was Chairman of the Finance Committee, and for a brief period he was Acting Mayor, and he has been a member of the Park Commission. His record in this community, as a private citizen and a public official, is a guarantee of honest, intelligent and faithful service in the position to which I have appointed him.

The Charter further provides that there shall be a Playground Commission, consisting of seven members, including the president of the Board of Education and either the president of the Park Commissioners or the superintendent of Golden Gate Park, as the Park Commissioners, in writing, may appoint, who are ex officio members. The other five members are appointed by the Mayor for the term of four years, and of these five members three must be men and two must be women. In place of Mr. Nicholas Prendergast, Mrs. Laura Lovell White, Mr. Henry J. McCoy, Mrs. Margaret S. Hayward and Mr. John Hammersmith, whose terms of appointment expire today, I appoint Rev. D. O. Crowley, Miss Sallie Jones, Mr. Marshall Hale, Mrs. Margaret S. Hayward and Mr. Timothy A. Reardon; Father Crowley to take the place of Mr. Prendergast; Miss Sallie Jones to take the place of Mrs. White; Mr. Hale to take the place of Mr. McCoy; Mrs. Hayward to succeed herself, and Mr. Reardon to take the place of Mr. Hammersmith. The Playground Commissioners have a most important work to do, and I have selected my appointees with extraordinary care, and with special reference to their peculiar fitness for the work entrusted to them. Father Crowley is one of the best known and most beloved citizens of San Francisco. His whole career has been devoted to the work of saving children, and, in his position as a Playground Commissioner, he will be able to carry forward that work, while, at the same time, rendering service to the people. Father Crowley was extremely unwilling to accept this appointment, but I obtained his consent by appealing to his strong sense of good citizenship. Mr. Marshall Hale is one of the foremost men of San Francisco. He is always active in matters concerning the public interest, and I am very pleased that he is willing, at my request, to serve as Playground Commissioner. Miss Sallie Jones is the principal of the Agassiz School and is one of the best

known members of the School Department. She has every quality desirable in a Playground Commissioner, and I am sure that no appointment made by me will give more general satisfaction than that of Miss Jones.

I reappoint Mrs. Margaret S. Hayward because I believe that she has been, in every respect, an excellent Playground Commissioner, and has the leisure and inclination to properly perform the duties of the office. Mr. Timothy A. Reardon is a labor leader of high character, who has long been active in the public affairs of San Francisco, and always on the side of decency and honor. He is an officer of the Steamfitters' Union, and has represented the labor movement of San Francisco as a delegate to the American Federation of Labor. The work of the Playground Commissioners intimately affects the welfare of the workmen and their families and it is, therefore, peculiarly proper that a representative of labor should be a member of this commission.

The Charter further provides that there should be a Board of Health, consisting of three medical men and four laymen, to serve without compensation. In view of the decision recently rendered by Judge Seawell of the Superior Court restoring to the Board of Health certain former members who contested their illegal removal, there are no vacancies on the Board of Health for me to fill at the present time.

I have now filled all the vacancies occurring in the various departments which I find upon taking office.

I have been besieged by thousands of applicants for minor positions in the municipal service. I wish to point out to every applicant the impossibility of finding a place immediately for any applicant. I am determined, moreover, as clearly set forth in my platform, that "every effort will be made to execute the civil service laws in letter and spirit, and I shall use all the influence of my office to have these laws extended." I do not desire to cause the summary dismissal of any employee of the City, but I will insist upon the dismissal at as early a date as possible, of every incompetent and useless employee, and to see to it that all employees under this administration will give faithful and efficient service to the City, and will assist me in carrying on my constructive policies. I am expected to manage efficiently and with economy the business of the City entrusted to my charge, and I am responsible to the people for the results of my administration. I intend, therefore, to have around me in the public

service none but employees who will work for the City and who will give full value for their compensation. All ornamental placeholders will have to go, but it will take a little time to accomplish the housecleaning.

Inaugural Address.

The Mayor, thereupon, addressed the Board as follows:

We now assume the duties and responsibilities for which we were chosen by the people.

Since election we have informally assembled for deliberation and preparation.

We are now ready for action.

Our official terms have no space for wasted time, if we are to achieve the things required by the City and expected by the people.

This administration must hold public confidence by common honesty, common sense and results.

In the great forward movement it was one friend only to consider—the City of San Francisco.

The Nation has selected our City as the place for the celebration of the opening of the Panama Canal.

In choosing this as the appropriate place, the Federal Government has thereby signified to the peoples of the world that our City is most directly benefited by this, the mightiest geographical change ever effected by man: that, as far as American Pacific interests are concerned, San Francisco is practically the commercial terminus of the canal.

The world will come and we must be ready.

The Exposition must be not merely a conventional success; of it the City must necessarily be the largest part.

The Exposition has united our people, and the spirit of municipal unity is capable of marvels.

The people expect us to make San Francisco greater, better and more beautiful.

That we may achieve our hopes, we must proceed systematically from one essential to another. Some sacrifice may be necessary in details to produce concentration on the really great requirements.

The three important measures appealing to immediate attention are:

- A new City Hall,
- A public water system, and
- Improved street car transportation.

A New City Hall.

Visitors receive their impressions of a city largely from its public buildings. These are accepted by mankind as architectural symbols which represent the character of the people and the physical activities and artistic ideals.

It is all important, for the convenient administration of public business, and for the impression which we shall make upon the world, that, prior to the opening of the Exposition, there shall be completed a City Hall that shall extend every convenience to the citizen, and, at the same time, be the City's chief architectural adornment.

Our first duty is to choose a definite and immediately available site, and to select desirable plans for the building. Thereafter should be submitted to the voters, without delay, a bond issue covering the requirements.

The subject of a site has been under discussion for more than six years. It has been made obvious that to secure a new location in the heart of the City by purchase or condemnation, would consume years.

San Francisco cannot afford nor need it suffer such loss of time. The architectural commission, considering the Civic Center, will report within a few days. Although my personal views may yield to any report that covers the requirements of the occasion as to rapid action, central location and attractive situation, I believe the time opportune to express my present conviction, appreciating at the same time, that this matter must be determined by the legislative branch of our municipal government.

The site of the old City Hall is close to every other point that has been suggested. The City owns the land. Its position is central, accessible and otherwise convenient.

The acceptance of this site commends itself to every practical consideration, and only by building there can we be ready within the limited time. If the growth of the City, or its artistic development, shall demand greater expense, let the additional land be acquired when needed; but wisdom demands beginning with the City's present property.

The Exposition officials have declared that, if the City will provide a site, they will erect thereon a great public auditorium, which shall become the property of the municipality without further expense.

This offer should be accepted.

Land adjacent to the City Hall, suitable for initiating plans for a civic center, should be acquired by purchase or condemnation.

In the construction of such a building the city architect and the Exposition Architectural Commission should co-operate, so that its architectural features and those of the City Hall shall harmonize.

A Public Water Supply.

Our City is, to its standing reproach, one of the few large municipalities not

owning and operating its own water service.

Public health, one of the greatest concerns of municipal government, directly rests upon a supply of pure and abundant water.

A city cannot provide its inhabitants with healthful conditions without all the water supply and service being under its exclusive control.

To the extent that a municipality is dependent in this essential it is incapable of performing its chief duty.

This condition should be immediately remedied.

Ultimately our water must come from the Lake Eleanor and Hetch-Hetchy supply in the Sierras. Nothing that can hasten the bringing of this Sierra water to our inhabitants must be left undone. But, pending their arrival, and preparatory thereto, the entire properties of the Spring Valley system should be acquired.

Negotiations should at once be opened with the owners of Spring Valley.

It is to be hoped that the owners of the Spring Valley properties, being largely interested otherwise in San Francisco, and sharing the feelings of other citizens, and imbued with the progressive spirit of San Francisco, will meet us on reasonable terms, and that the City may purchase these properties for a compensation that will be fair to the people.

Street Car Transportation.

The inadequacy of our street car system is one of the evils which needs a speedy remedy.

A very considerable portion of San Francisco is not within the reach of the present street car service. The eventual remedy for such conditions is municipal ownership of public utilities. But this remedy is not yet available in all instances—existing franchises holding for many years.

The Geary Street Railroad must be completed, expanded and extended as expeditiously as the City's finances will permit. Our law officers should press the suit to extend the Sutter street line to the Ferry to as early a conclusion as may be possible, and, if the suit is decided in favor of the City, the Geary Street Road should be promptly extended to the Ferry.

The construction and operation of railways by private capital, subject to the right of acquisition by the City on payment of cost and a reasonable bonus, under the Charter provision recently adopted, should be encouraged.

By this method private funds would be used to create railway properties which, at the will of the people, would become public properties.

To make this Charter provision of

practical use, it becomes necessary to repeal another Charter clause providing that "... no street railway franchise shall extend beyond twenty-five years."

Such an automatic ending of a franchise is unnecessary in case the City has the power to acquire a street railway whenever it is ready to own and operate it. The building of the railway by private enterprise, coupled with the power of the City to own and control it when it is ready, offers a partial solution of the street railway problem.

Indeterminate franchises are permissible under our state constitution. It may be reasonably expected that private capital, under a system of indeterminate franchises, will be induced to extend the existing railroads as the public needs require. But, should we be disappointed in this expectation, nothing remains but the building of an adequate system before the opening of the Exposition by the City itself.

To meet probable conditions of the future, the article in the Charter providing that bond issues shall not exceed fifteen per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property should be amended.

There is no sound reason why bond issues for the purchase of utilities that will be at least self-sustaining and, in most instances, profitable should be included within the fifteen per cent limit.

To assure the most successful solution of this and other great problems, we must secure the best talent in scientific and artistic lines wherever it may be found. The principle of encouragement of home industry should have no application to the employment of expert talent by the City.

The best talent, wherever found, is not too good for San Francisco.

We must open our doors to it instead of closing them. Hence the Charter provision, requiring one year's previous residence as a qualification for City employment should be amended so as to exclude experts and scientific men from its scope.

That we may move with full information it is prudent to learn what means the City has placed in our hands when we take up our work.

We must familiarize ourselves with present financial resources. The facts should be ascertained and made known to the people as soon as known to ourselves.

The books of the City should be audited under the direction of the finance committee and the results published without delay.

From these remarks, gentlemen, I would not have the public suppose that the three great problems first pre-

mented are the only matters of pressing importance.

They are not.

Others, vital to the City's welfare, must engage our attention.

The reconstruction and cleaning of our streets, improving our park system, increase of playgrounds, the creation of an esplanade along our beach, improved and extended sewer system, the completion of the salt water auxiliary fire system and all other unfinished work; definite action for the building of tunnels, the addition of San Mateo County to San Francisco, and the improvement of all the roads in the outlying sections of San Francisco. All of these require careful study and should be taken up as rapidly as financial power and legislative action will permit.

But I believe that every one will concede that the three first mentioned are conspicuous necessities, and are within the range of early accomplishment.

Lincoln, in his address on the field of Gettysburg, said: "The world will little note, nor long remember what *we say* here, but it can never forget what *they did* here." Brother officials, let us now say: "Our City may little note, nor long remember, what *we say* here, but let us so conduct our administration that it can never forget what *we will have done* here."

Remarks of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher..

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher thereupon addressed the Board, pledging himself to do his utmost to carry out the program for civic improvements outlined by his Honor the Mayor.

Appointment of Standing Committees.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and adopted by the following vote:

Resolution No. 9212 (New Series).

Resolved, That the Standing Committees of the Board of Supervisors be constituted as follows:

Electricity—McLeran, Giannini, McCarthy.

Expositions—McCarthy, Bancroft, Hayden, Jennings, Vogelsang.

Finance—Jennings, McCarthy, Murphy.

Fire—Giannini, Mauzy, McLeran.

Judiciary—Murphy, McLeran, Vogelsang.

Land and Tunnels—Mauzy, Bancroft, A. J. Gallagher.

Lighting and Rates—Nolan, Koshland, Payot.

Police—Hocks, Caglieri, Hilmer.

Public Buildings—Bancroft, C. E. Gallagher, McLeran.

Public Efficiency and Civil Service—Murdock, Giannini, A. J. Gallagher.

Public Health—Caglieri, Koshland, Payot.

Public Utilities—Vogelsang, Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Mauzy, Murphy.

Public Welfare—Payot, Hayden, Murdock.

Publicity and Interurban Relations—Hayden, Hocks, Nolan.

Streets and Sewers—G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Nolan.

Supplies—Koshland, Hilmer, Murdock.

Telephones and Rates—Hilmer, Hayden, Hocks.

Water Service and Rates—A. J. Gallagher, Caglieri, Mauzy.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings.

Rules of Proceedings.

Supervisor Murdock introduced the rules of proceeding for the government of the Board, which were on motion *laid over* until the afternoon session.

RECESS.

Thereupon, the Board took a recess until 2 p. m.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 1912, 2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, January 8, 1912, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL.

The reading and approval of the Journals of the meetings of January 2 and 4, 1912, was *laid over* for one week.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH BOARD.

Referred to Clerk.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Referred to Clerk.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

The following matters were presented by Supervisor Bancroft and on his motion ordered *referred to the Building Committee.*

Relative to Proposed Civic Center.

Communications—From Taggart Aston, supplementing his remarks before Building Committee in matter of proposed civic center.

From Eureka Valley Improvement Association, recommending knoll on Market street from Laguna to Buchanan street as site for civic center and proposed City Hall.

From W. I. Cuthbertson, suggesting land at Market, Church, Dolores and Hermann streets as site for City Hall.

From Louis Cowles, architect, submitting estimates of cost of proposed civic center at Van Ness avenue and Market streets.

Report—Of Advisory Committee on location of civic center and new City Hall, recommending old site at McAlister street and City Hall avenue.

Minority Report—Of Advisory Committee on location of civic center and new City Hall, recommending site at Van Ness avenue and Market street.

Meeting.

Supervisor Bancroft moved that the Board meet with the Public Buildings Committee, officials of the Board of Public Works and Advisory Committee of Architects on location of civic center and construction of City Hall at 8 p. m., Wednesday evening, January 10, 1912, in the chambers of the Board.

Motion carried.

Objections of Board of Health to Removal of Its Quarters to Temporary City Hall Building.

The following matter was presented by Supervisor Bancroft and *referred to the Public Buildings Committee.*

Communication—From Dr. R. G. Broderick, Health Officer, stating his objections to proposed removal of quarters of Board of Health from Seventh and Mission streets, to temporary City Hall building on Market street, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

Offer to Sell Certain Land for Park Purposes.

The following matter was presented by Supervisor Bancroft and on his motion ordered *referred to the Public Buildings Committee:*

Communication—From William M. Wade, with offer to sell certain land on block bounded by Jennings and Keith streets, Shafter and Thomas avenues for park purposes.

Rules of Proceedings Adopted.

The following rules of proceedings laid over from the morning session

were taken up and on motion of Supervisor Murdock adopted by the following vote:

Rule 1. The following standing committees of the Board shall be appointed, viz:

Electricity—McLeran, Bocarde, McCarthy.

Expositions—McCarthy, Bancroft, Hayden, Jennings, Vogelsang.

Finance—Jennings, McCarthy, Murphy.

Fire—Bocarde, Mauzy, McLeran.

Judiciary—Murphy, McLeran, Vogelsang.

Land and Tunnels—Mauzy, Bancroft, A. J. Gallagher.

Lighting and Rates—Nolan, Koshland, Payot.

Police—Hocks, Caglieri, Hilmer.

Public Buildings—Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, McLeran.

Public Efficiency and Civil Service—Murdock, Bocarde, A. J. Gallagher.

Public Health—Caglieri, Koshland, Payot.

Public Utilities—Vogelsang, Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Mauzy, Murphy.

Public Welfare—Payot, Hayden, Murdock.

Publicity and Interurban Relations—Hayden, Hocks, Nolan.

Streets and Sewers—G. E. Gallagher, Bocarde, Nolan.

Supplies—Koshland, Hilmer, Murdock.

Telephones and Rates—Hilmer, Hayden, Hocks.

Water Service and Rates—A. J. Gallagher, Caglieri, Mauzy.

Each committee shall be composed of three members, except that the committees on Expositions and Public Utilities shall consist of five members each.

The Police Committee shall succeed to the duties heretofore performed by the committee on Charities and Corrections. The committee on Land and Tunnels shall succeed to the duties required by law to be performed by the committee on Outside Lands and the committee on Finance shall recommend the payment of proper demands for the refund of taxes.

2. The respective duties of each of the foregoing committees are hereby defined as follows:

Electricity.—To consider all matters relating to Electricity and all measures relating to the use of electricity in buildings, and for the purpose of advertising and display; to suggest, from time to time, the extension of the underground wire system; to have general charge of all matters pertaining to electricity other than public lighting.

Expositions.—To establish a co-operative relationship with the Directors of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, with a view of generally promoting its interests, and also in securing to the municipality the greatest advantage from the exposition, especially in permanent buildings that may revert to the city at its close; to consider all matters that may arise in connection with expositions elsewhere.

Finance.—To perform all duties required by the charter, and to consider and report on all matters that may be referred to it by the Board of Supervisors.

Fire.—To consider all matters relating to the Fire Department, including the completion and maintenance of the Auxiliary Fire Protection System; to report upon all applications for permits referred to it.

Judiciary.—To consider and report upon all matters of a legal nature referred to it, including ordinances, changes in the building laws and charter amendments; to pass upon the legal form of general measures; to propose such amendments to the charter as it may deem advisable.

Land and Tunnels.—To investigate and report upon proposed purchase of land for public purposes, other than for building sites and water supply; to formulate plans for leasing city lands not needed for public purposes; to consider the transfer of lands from one department to another, and all other matters pertaining to the realty of the city, and to consider all matters relating to the construction of tunnels.

Lighting and Lighting Rates.—To attend to the proper lighting of the streets and public parks, making recommendations of extensions or changes; to report without delay on applications; to investigate annually the cost of gas and electricity and recommend the rate to be collected therefor.

Police.—To have charge of legislation concerning the Police Department; to investigate the management and character of all penal institutions; to consider matters affecting public morals; and to report upon applications for permits referred to it by the Board, including free licenses to those deserving them.

Public Buildings.—To supervise the erection of all public buildings and to recommend the purchase of sites therefor, to report upon requisitions for furniture, and to purchase the same when permitted by the charter; to consider proposed changes in the building laws and to make recommendations thereon to the Judiciary Committee.

Public Efficiency and Civil Service.—To investigate the methods and usages of all municipal departments with a view of promoting the highest degree of efficiency and strict economy in expenditure; to seek the co-operation of all city and county officers and all commissions in elevating the standard of public service, to induce co-ordination of the work of the legislative, executive and administrative departments of the municipality; to promote strict adherence to civil service rules, and their rational and effective interpretation by the Commission.

Public Health.—To consider all matters relating to health and sanitation, except as may be herein otherwise provided; to see that the institutions under the control of the Board of Health are properly conducted; to insist on high standards of service in the public hospitals, and the best treatment of the sick poor that can consistently be given; to give watchful care of the inmates of the Relief Home, and to consider and promptly report upon applications for permits referred to it by the Board.

Public Utilities.—To consider all matters relating to the acquisition, control or management of public utilities; to spare no effort to speedily acquire or complete a municipal water supply; to push to early completion the Geary Street road; to insist upon the observance of all conditions contained in franchises heretofore granted; to report upon the granting of franchises applied for; to perform such other duties as may be imposed upon it.

Public Welfare.—To consider all matters relating to the social and industrial well-being of the community; to co-operate with the departments of Education, Parks, Playgrounds and Public Library, with a view of enlarging their usefulness; to consider subjects of education, recreation and public convenience; to promote the cleanliness of the city; to have charge of the removal of garbage and waste, and the erection or operation of the incinerating plants therefor; to propose measures for the abatement of offensive objects, and for enhancing the beauty of the city.

Publicity and Interurban Relations.—To promote friendly relations between the city and contiguous and neighboring communities; to consider all matters relating to the city's expansion, or the confederation with other municipalities; to supervise the publication of the Municipal Record and other official documents and reports, and generally to act upon all matters of public advertising.

Streets and Sewers.—To consider all subjects relating to construction

and maintenance of streets, highways and sewers; to vigorously strive to secure cleanliness in public streets, and to investigate and report upon applications for spur tracks or other privileges or permits referred to it by the Board.

Supplies.—To consider and have charge of the purchase of supplies in the manner provided by the charter; to prepare proper schedules for all general supplies to be purchased by the city and to recommend the awards of contracts; to insist upon the proper fulfillment of all contracts; to pass on all requisitions for non-contract supplies, excepting furniture for public buildings, including books, blanks and stationery.

Telephones and Telephone Rates.—To provide for the proper disposition of the telephones allowed the city free of charge, and to investigate annually the cost of telephone service, and recommend rates for adoption.

Water Service and Water Rates.—To consider the general subject of water service and to recommend action for securing an ample supply for all citizens; to propose such extension and development of the Municipal County Line water supply as may seem advisable; to consider annually the valuation of the property of the Spring Valley Water Company and to recommend rates for water furnished that shall give it a reasonable return.

3. In the absence of the President, the Clerk, on the appearance of ten members, shall call the Board to order, when a President pro tem. shall be appointed by the Board for that meeting, or until the appearance of the President.

4. Whenever it shall be moved and carried that the Board go into Committee of the Whole, the President shall leave the chair and the members shall appoint a chairman of the Committee of the Whole, who shall report the proceedings of said Committee.

5. The rules of the Board shall be observed in the Committee of the Whole, except the rules regulating a call for ayes and nays and limiting the time of speaking.

6. A motion, in Committee of the Whole, to rise and report the question, shall be decided without debate.

7. The Clerk shall have clips, upon which shall be kept all bills, Ordinances, Resolutions and Reports to be acted upon by the Board, except those not reported upon by a committee.

8. A resolution or a bill shall not be submitted to the Board for action until it shall have been referred to and acted upon by a committee of the Board.

9. The Order of Business, which

shall not be departed from, except by the consent of ten members, shall be as follows:

Calling the Roll.

Reading the Journal.

Roll Call for Petitions from Members.

Presentation of Petitions filed with the Board.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers.

Reports of Committees, except Finance Committee.

Presentation of Proposals.

Unfinished Business.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Report of Finance Committee.

Bills, Ordinances, Motions or Resolutions (New Business).

Roll Call for introduction of Resolutions, Bills and Ordinances not considered or reported on by a Committee.

10. No person other than a member or an ex-Mayor shall be allowed to address the Board on any matter that may be before it, without the consent of a majority of the members present, nor to speak to or in any way interfere with a member while in his seat or on the floor of the chambers.

11. If any question under debate contains several points, any member may have the points segregated and acted upon separately.

12. When any question has been put and decided, any member who voted with the prevailing side may move its reconsideration, but no motion for the reconsideration of any question shall be made after the Bill, Ordinance or Resolution voted on shall have gone out of the possession of the Board. A question shall be reconsidered only at the meeting at which the vote thereon was taken, or at the next succeeding meeting; provided, notice of intention to reconsider shall have been given at the meeting at which said vote was taken; provided further, that when a Bill is put upon its final passage, and fails to pass, a motion to reconsider shall be voted on only at the meeting next occurring, after the expiration of twenty-four hours after the adjournment of the meeting at which said question was voted on. Only such questions are subject to reconsideration which result in the defeat or passage of a Bill, Ordinance or Resolution or amendment thereto, and no such question shall be reconsidered more than once; provided, however, that any member who voted with the prevailing side may, upon notice of intention to reconsider given by any other member voting with that side, move the reconsideration of the question.

13. A motion to refer or lay on the table until decided shall preclude all amendments to the main question. A motion to lay on the table or to post-

pone indefinitely shall require a majority vote of all the members of the Board.

14. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to issue such certificates as may be required by Ordinances or Resolutions, and transmit copies of said Ordinances or Resolutions, to the various departments affected thereby.

15. All accounts and bills presented shall be referred to the appropriate committee and acted upon by said committee and the Finance Committee before action is taken by the Board.

16. The President shall preserve order and decorum and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Board.

17. A member, before speaking, shall rise from his seat and address the President. No motion shall be in order if made while the mover is seated or out of his place.

18. When several members rise at the same time, the President shall designate the member entitled to the floor.

19. No member shall speak to the same question oftener than once until all other members desiring to speak shall have spoken, nor oftener than twice without the consent of the Board, nor for more than five minutes without the permission of the President; provided, however, the author of the Bill, Motion, Ordinance or Resolution shall have the right to close the debate thereon.

20. A motion shall not be put or debated until seconded. When seconded it shall be stated by the Chairman before debate and shall be reduced to writing upon the request of the President or any member.

21. After a motion has been stated by the President, it shall be deemed to be in the possession of the Board, but it may be withdrawn by the mover thereof, with the assent of the second, before it is acted upon.

22. Upon a call of the Board the names of the members shall be called over by the Clerk, and the absentees noted. Those for whom no excuses or insufficient excuses are made may, by order of those present, be sent for and be brought to the chambers of the Board by the Sergeant-at-Arms or by special messengers appointed for the purpose. Proceedings under the call may be dispensed with by the vote of a majority of the members present.

23. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be entertained except:

To adjourn.

Call of the Board.

To lay on the table.

The previous question.

To postpone to a certain day.

To commit or amend.

To postpone indefinitely, which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are arranged.

24. A motion to adjourn shall be decided without debate.

25. The previous question until decided shall preclude all amendments to and debate on the main question, and be put in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" It shall be carried by a majority vote of all the members.

26. Every member present when a question is put shall vote for or against it, unless the Board shall excuse him from voting, or unless he is interested in the question. But no member shall be permitted to vote upon a division unless present when his name is called in the regular order.

27. A member called to order for unparliamentary conduct or language shall immediately take his seat, and the Board, if appealed to, shall decide on the case, but without debate. If there be no appeal the decision of the chair shall be final. The question upon such appeal shall be: "Shall the decision of the chair stand as the decision of the Board?"

28. After the Board has acted, the names of those who voted for and those who voted against the question shall be entered upon the Journal, not only in cases required by law, but when any member may require it; and on all Bills, Ordinances and Resolutions on final passage the ayes and nays shall be called by the Clerk and recorded.

29. All appointments of officers and employees shall be made by a majority of the members of the Board.

30. No member shall leave the Board during its session without permission from the President.

31. All committees shall be appointed by the Board, unless otherwise ordered by the Board. Committees shall report on any subject referred to them by the Board a statement of facts and also their recommendations thereon, in writing; and no report shall be received unless it be signed by a majority of the committee. Whenever a committee recommends that a contract be awarded to any one other than the lowest bidder thereon, said committee shall state specifically in its report its reasons for such recommendation. Unless otherwise ordered, a committee shall report upon all subjects referred to it within thirty days thereafter.

32. The Clerk shall prepare and cause to be printed and placed on the desks of the members on days of meeting, and immediately before such meeting, a calendar of matters to be presented to the Board at said meeting.

Every petition or other written instrument intended to be presented to the Board must be delivered to the Clerk not later than 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, or on the day preceding the meeting; upon the request of the President or of any member, its contents shall be read in full.

33. All requisitions for supplies and all petitions, protests and communications of a routine character shall be referred by the Clerk to the proper committee without action of the Board.

34. Upon adjournment the members of the Board shall not leave their places until the President leaves the chair.

35. Ten members shall constitute a quorum to transact business, and no Bill, Ordinance, Resolution or Amendment thereto shall pass without the concurrence of at least that number of members; but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day.

36. Except when otherwise provided by these rules, the Charter or law, a majority vote of the members present shall be necessary for the adoption of any motion.

37. On any questions or points of order not embraced in these rules the Board shall be governed by the rules contained in Cushing's Manual.

38. It shall require a two-thirds vote of all the members of the Board to amend, suspend or repeal any of these rules.

39. In calling the roll the Clerk shall call only the surnames of the members, prefixing the word Supervisors to the surname of the Supervisor first called.

40. No smoking shall be permitted in the chambers of the Supervisors during the sessions of the Board.

41. The Clerk shall keep a record of all requests and instructions directed by the Board of Supervisors to any officer or Board of the City and County, and the action thereon of such officer or Board. The record of such request and instructions, until acted upon by such officer or Board, shall be read by the Clerk at each regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

Aves—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hooks, Keshland, Manz, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Pavot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairman, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Fire Committee—By Supervisor Knowles, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—By Supervisor Nelson, Chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

None.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS AND REPORTS OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Question on allowing and ordering paid demands on treasury approved and recommended by Finance Committee.

Recommitted to Finance Committee on motion of Supervisor McCarthy.

NEW BUSINESS.

Recommitted.

Supervisor McCarthy moved that all the recommendations of the former Finance Committee be recommitted to the present Finance Committee.

Motion carried.

Reconsideration and Passage to Print.

Supervisor McLeran called attention to the large amount of money that would be tied up as a consequence of above motion and the hardship it would work upon contractors. He believed that inasmuch as the large amounts were on passage to print no harm could be done by passing them and holding upon final passage any that Finance Committee did not upon investigation approve.

Whereupon, on motion of *Supervisor Murdock*, the following matters were reconsidered and passed for printing:

Authorizing Payments, Construction of School Buildings.

Resolution No. — (New Series). Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done in the construction of school buildings, to-wit:

December 30, 1911—General Electric Construction Co., second progress payment on contract for electric work at the Lowell High School..	\$ 692.25
January 3, 1912—Elmer Carlson, seventh progress payment on contract for construction of the Lowell High School	10,380.00
January 3, 1912—Henning & Burke, second progress payment on contract for construction of the Girls' High School	9,000.00
January 3, 1912—O. C. Holt, fifth progress payment on contract for construction of the John Swett Grammar School	7,995.00
January 3, 1912—C. F. Weber & Co., blackboard furnished	

for Lincoln School 834.90

Total \$28,902.15

Authorizing Payment of \$22,500 to John Lee Jr. for Land on Broadway, West of Broderick Street, Required for Grant Primary School Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$22,500.00 to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to John Lee Junior Company (claim dated January 5, 1912), as purchase price, under the terms of Resolution No. 9179 (New Series), of lot on the southerly line of Broadway, 210 feet westerly from Broderick street, 65 feet by 127 feet 8¼ inches, portion of Western Addition Block No. 546, acquired as additional ground for the Grant Primary School.

Authorizing Payment of \$22,000 to Cornelia M. Stafford, for Land on Broadway, West of Broderick Street, Required for Grant Primary School Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$22,000.00 to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to Cornelia M. Stafford (claim dated January 5, 1912), as purchase price, under the terms of Resolution No. 9178 (New Series), of lot on the southerly line of Broadway, 150 feet westerly from Broderick street, 60 feet by 127 feet 8¼ inches, portion of Western Addition Block No. 546, acquired as additional ground for the Grant Primary School.

Authorizing Payment of \$14,500 to Margaret Hayden et al., for Land at Corner of Twenty-fifth and Utah Streets, Required for Starr King School.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$14,500.00 to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to Margaret Hayden, Catherine Barrett and Cornelius Lynch (claim dated December 20, 1911), as purchase price, under the terms of Resolution No. 9090 (New Series), of land at the southeasterly corner of Twenty-fifth and Utah streets, 125 feet by 100 feet, acquired as additional ground for the Starr King School.

Authorizing Payment, Construction of Police Station Buildings.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done in the construction of police station buildings, to-wit:

December 19, 1911—William

S. Snook & Son, final payment on contract for plumbing, heating and gas fitting work at the Richmond Police Station \$ 668.75

December 26, 1911—Robert Trost, second progress payment on contract for construction of the Potrero Police Station 4,200.00

January 2, 1912—Robert Trost, final payment on contract for construction of the Richmond Police Station 8,099.25

Total \$12,968.00

Authorizing Payment of \$12,500, to Sperry Flour Company, for Land on Sacramento Street, West of Drumm, Acquired for Fire Department Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$12,500.00 to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to Sperry Flour Co. (claim dated December 20, 1911), as purchase price, under the terms of Resolution No. 9091 (New Series), of lot on the northerly line of Sacramento street, 50 feet westerly from Drumm street, 25 feet by 59 feet 9 inches, portion of Block B, Fifty Vara Survey, acquired for Fire Department purposes.

Authorizing Payments, Work Done on San Francisco Hospital.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the "Hospital Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done at the San Francisco Hospital, to-wit:

December 29, 1911—Wittman Lyman & Co., second progress payment on contract for plumbing work at the power house and laundry San Francisco Hospital.... \$1,932.00

January 2, 1912—McSheehy Bros., third progress payment on contract for interior finish at the Nurses' Home and Ward Buildings, San Francisco Hospital 6,750.00

Total \$8,682.00

Authorizing Payments, Work Done on Hall of Justice and City and County Jail.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the "Additions to Hall of Justice and County Jail Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done at the City and

County Jail and the Hall of Justice, to-wit:

December 18, 1911—A. Knowles, final payment on contract for plastering work at the City and County Jail. \$3,939.75
 January 2, 1912—Rudgear Merle Co., second progress payment on contract for ornamental interior metal work at the Hall of Justice. 3,375.00
 Total\$7,314.75

Authorizing Payment, Yard Work, Denman Grammar School.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$77,722.00 to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to Henning & Burke (claim dated December 27, 1911), as final payment on yard work at the Denman Grammar School.

Authorizing Payment of \$6000 to Sperry Flour Company for its Leasehold Interests in Land on Commercial Street, West of Drumm, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$6,000.00 to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to Sperry Flour Co. (claim dated January 2, 1912), as purchase price, under the terms of Resolution No. 9149 (New Series), of its leasehold interests in lot on the southerly line of Commercial street, 50 feet westerly from Drumm street, 25 feet by 59 feet 9 inches, portion of Block B, Fifty Vara Survey, acquired for Fire Department purposes.

Authorizing Payments, Maintenance of Minors and Rents.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for services rendered and rents due, to-wit:

December 1, 1911—The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities, maintenance and tuition during the month of November, 1911, of minors committed to its charge by the Juvenile Court\$3,463.73
 January 4, 1912—Madison & Burke, rent of premises Nos. 64 and 70 Eddy street, during the month of January, 1912, 2,000.00
 Total\$5,463.73

Authorizing Payment of \$4253 in Satisfaction of Judgment of Condemnation for Land on Southwest Corner of Commercial and Drumm Streets, Acquired for Fire Department Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4,253.00 to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to James Otis, as trustee, (claim dated January 5, 1912) in satisfaction of judgment of condemnation on lot at the southwesterly corner of Commercial and Drumm streets, 25 feet by 59 feet 9 inches, and lot on the southerly line of Commercial street, 50 feet westerly from Drumm street, 25 feet by 59 feet 9 inches, acquired for Fire Department purposes.

Authorizing Payments, Sundry Supplies and Services.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for supplies furnished and services rendered, to-wit:

December 21, 1911—Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphalt furnished the Board of Public Works\$1,481.00
 January 1, 1912—D. A. White, Chief of Police, allowance on contingent fund of the Police Department for the month of January, 1912.... 666.66
 January 2, 1912—San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, for impounding, feeding, redeeming, selling and destroying animals during the month of December, 1911... 722.10
 January 4, 1912—Ross McMahon, for awnings furnished for the Tubercular Pavilion, San Francisco Hospital 995.00
 Total\$3,864.76

Authorizing Payment, Construction of Shop Building, Polytechnic High School.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3,783.00 to be made out of the "Polytechnic High School Fund," bond issue of January 1, 1910, in payment to McLeran and Peterson (claim dated January 4, 1912), as sixth installment on contract for construction of the shop building of the Polytechnic High School.

(On motion of Supervisor Murphy, Supervisor McLeran was excused from voting on above resolution.)

Authorizing Payment, Paving Right of Way of the Geary Street Municipal Railway on Geary Street, From Tenth to Twenty-first Avenues.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2,199.19 to be made out of the Geary Street Railway Fund, bond issue of July 1, 1910, in payment to City Street Improvement Co. (claim dated December 22, 1911), as first installment on contract for paving with asphalt the right of way of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad on Geary street, between Tenth and Twenty-first avenues.

Providing \$2275 for Carpenter and Electrical Work in Assessor's Office, Temporary City Hall Building.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following sums be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of the item "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings" in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, in doing the following work at the Assessor's offices in the Temporary City Hall, to-wit:

For carpenter work and fitting up	\$1,500.00
For electrical work	775.00
Total	\$2,275.00

Recommitted.

Whereupon, the following matters in accordance with motion heretofore made by Supervisor McCarthy were ordered *recommitted* to the Finance Committee.

Providing \$350 for Painting, Counters, Etc., Assessor's Office, Temporary City Hall Building.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing \$350.00 to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of the item "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings" in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, in painting the new counters, desks, book racks, etc., installed in the office of the County Clerk in the Temporary City Hall.

Accepting Statement of Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railway Company as to Gross Receipts from Passenger fares for the Months of October and November, 1911, and Percentage Thereon Due City.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Accepting statements filed by the Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad Com-

pany of receipts from passenger fares for the months of October and November, 1911, on which percentage amounting to \$1489.45 has heretofore been deposited with the Treasurer.

Accepting Statement of Gough Street Railroad Company as to Gross Receipts From Passenger Fares for the Month of October and November, 1911, and Percentage Thereon Due City.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Accepting statements filed by the Gough Street Railroad Co. of receipts from passenger fares for months of October and November, 1911, on which percentages are due and payable to the City and County.

Accepting Statement of Parkside Transit Company as to Gross Receipts From Passenger Fares for the months of October and November, 1911, and Percentage Thereon Due City.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Accepting statements filed by the Parkside Transit Company of receipts from passenger fares for the months of October and November, 1911, on which percentages are due and payable to the City and County.

Accepting Statement of Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company for the Months of October and November, 1911, and Percentage Thereon Due City.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Accepting statements filed by the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company of receipts from passenger fares for the months of October and November, 1911, on which percentages are due and payable to the City and County.

Recommitted.

The following matters were taken up, and, on motion of Supervisor Giannini, ordered *recommitted* to the Fire Committee:

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors to City and County of San Francisco to erect and maintain a Storage Tank of not more than 2000 gallons capacity, in premises situate on Hayes street, west of Masonic avenue (Lowell High School), for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Also, granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Mrs. Alexander Conden to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than fifteen gallons capacity, in premises situate at the northeast corner of Geary street and Arguello boulevard, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

January 4, 1912—*Passed to print January 2, 1912, but not printed owing*

to error in resolution. Fire Committee recommends indefinite postponement of foregoing resolution.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Mrs. Alexander Conden, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of fifteen horsepower, in premises situate at northeast corner of Geary street and Arguello Boulevard, the same to be used for furnishing power for laundry.

Denying Garage Permits.

Resolution No. — (New Series). Denying in the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission to the following named persons to erect and maintain garages at the hereinafter mentioned locations, to-wit:

Dow and Green, in premises at Golden Gate avenue, 137 feet 6 inches west of Jones street.

Pacific Sight Seeing Company, in premises situate at the northwest corner of Golden Gate avenue and Jones street.

Passed for Printing

The following resolution was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Bancroft *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting the Columbia Marble Company an extension of fifteen days' time from and after December 25, 1911, within which to complete its contract for interior marble work at Hall of Justice Building, for the reason of alterations having been made in the marble work of the vestibule; and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this Resolution be and the same is hereby remitted.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Gallagher and ordered *referred to the Streets Committee*:

Traffic Ordinance.

Bill 1984, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating moving travel and traffic upon the streets and other public places in the City and County of San Francisco and providing a punishment for any violation thereof, and repealing orders numbers 70 and 175 (Second Series) and Ordinances Nos. 65, 256, 723, 803, 807, 808, 809, 814, 825, 851, 887, 888, 898, 899, 902, 1088, 1132, 1359, 1367, 1369, 1379, 1380, 1517, and Ordinances Nos. 339, 575, 649 (New Series)."

Relative to Appointment of Delegates to Counties Committee Meeting of California Development Board to be Held in Los Angeles, January 12 and 13, 1912.

The following communication was presented by Supervisor Hayden and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From the California Development Board requesting that delegates be sent to Counties Committee meeting of the California Development Board to be held in Los Angeles, January 12 and 13, 1912.

Appointment of Committee.

Whereupon, his Honor the Mayor appointed Andrew J. Gallagher, J. Emmett Hayden and Henry Payot to represent the Board at the meeting of the Counties Committee of the California Development Board at Los Angeles.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Hayden and on his motion adopted by the following vote:

Annexation of San Mateo County.

Resolution No. 9213 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, it is reported that a strong sentiment prevails in San Mateo county favorable to the annexation of said county to this City and County, and that organizations have been instituted to promote such annexation; therefore,

Resolved, That the Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations of this Board be instructed to co-operate with any organization of citizens of San Mateo County with a view to promoting a reciprocal spirit of friendliness and mutuality in all matters of common interest and extend to the residents of San Mateo County an invitation to join us in any movement that will advance the best interests of the respective localities.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Telephones and Telephone Rates Committee to Investigate Assignment of Free Public Telephones.

Resolution No. 9214 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Committee on Telephones and Rates be and is hereby authorized and empowered to make full investigation as to all public telephones which have been assigned, and to make such changes and to authorize the installation of such telephones for public officials to perform their official duties as in their judgment seem necessary and advisable.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Committees on Finance and Efficiency and Civil Service to Investigate Municipal Accounts.

On motion of Supervisor Hilmer:

Resolution No. 9215 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Finance Committee and the Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service, jointly, be requested to consider and report upon the possibility of immediately entering upon, the introduction of a system of uniform accounting in the various offices of the municipality, following the recommendation contained in the report of the accountant employed by the Merchants' Association, or such modification thereof as may be agreed upon.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mauzy, McCarthy, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Supervisor Murdock moved that the committee be constituted as follows:

Public Utilities—Vogelsang, Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Mauzy, Murphy, Clerk, Dunnigan.

Public Buildings—Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, McLeran, Clerk, McGinnis.

Police—Hocks, Caglieri, Hilmer, Clerk, Forbes.

Public Welfare—Payot, Hayden, Murdock, Clerk, Rogers.

Judiciary—Murphy, McLeran, Vogelsang, Clerk, Forbes.

Streets and Sewers—G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Nolan, Clerk, Lynch.

Public Health—Caglieri, Koshland, Payot, Clerk, Cleary.

Lands and Tunnels—Mauzy, Bancroft, A. J. Gallagher, Clerk, McGinnis.

Public Efficiency and Civil Service—Murdock, Giannini, A. J. Gallagher, Clerk, Mason.

Lighting and Rates—Nolan, Koshland, Payot, Clerk, Lynch.

Fire—Giannini, Mauzy, McLeran, Clerk, McGinnis.

Supplies—Koshland, Hilmer, Murdock, Clerk, Cleary.

Electricity—McLeran, Giannini, McCarthy, Clerk, Barry.

Finance—Jennings, McCarthy, Murphy, Clerk, Dunnigan.

Publicity and Interurban Relations—Hayden, Hocks, Nolan, Clerk, Slevin.
Call of the Chair Committees.

Exposition—McCarthy, Bancroft, Hayden, Jennings, Vogelsang, Clerk, Dunnigan.

Water Service and Rates—A. J. Gallagher, Caglieri, Mauzy, Clerk, Barry.

Telephone and Rates—Hilmer, Hayden, Hocks, Clerk, Cleary.

Laid over one week.

Departments and Officials to Co-Operate in Promoting Efficiency and Economy in Municipal Government.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and on motion ordered referred to Committees on Supplies and Public Efficiency and Civil Service:

Resolved, That the various departments of the City Government, including county officials and all boards and commissions, be urged to earnestly and freely co-operate with the Board of Supervisors in a determined purpose to increase efficiency and economy. The City should get more work and better work for the money it spends. It should use on permanent improvements what it can save on waste. Believing that we can accomplish this by methods that have brought results elsewhere, there have been formed two new committees to work for better conditions.

The Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service will seek to stop useless expenditures, and to promote better operative methods in every department. It will not favor economy based on underpaid labor, but it will ask that dispensible employees be dropped. It will insist that politics be eliminated as an object of service, and that every dollar an employee earns shall be his. It will do all in its power to make Civil Service a protection of valid rights, and not of unfitness and inefficiency.

The Committee on Supplies will standardize specifications and contracts, and treat those who deal with the city with absolute fairness. It will insist on being treated in the same manner. It will favor home industry so far as it lawfully can. Both the City and honest bidders will be protected. Deliveries must conform to specifications, and they will be closely checked. There must be responsibility in the disbursement of material, and waste and loss of supplies will be guarded against to the fullest extent.

We confidently ask that the efforts of these committees be welcomed and cordially supported, and that each official act at once on his own initiative without waiting for investigation or suggestion.

Communication From Mayor Recommending Leave of Absence for Supervisor Nolan.

The following communication was presented by the Mayor and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From his Honor the Mayor, recommending that Supervisor Edward L. Nolan be granted a leave of absence from the City and County for a period of thirty days.

Adopted.

Whereupon the following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Leave of Absence, Supervisor Edward L. Nolan.

Resolution No. 9216 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Supervisor Edward L. Nolan be and he is hereby granted a leave of absence from the State for the period of thirty days from the 9th day of January, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Payot and ordered referred to *Streets Committee*:

Board of Public Works to Adopt and Follow Comprehensive Plan for Designation of Streets.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas The names of the streets of the City and County of San Francisco in many instances are not properly designated at street corners, either on sidewalks, on the lamp posts or on buildings; and

Whereas, Few changes of names adopted more than two years ago have ever been posted; therefore be it

Resolved, That the attention of the Board of Public Work be and is hereby called to this matter and that said Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to adopt and follow a comprehensive plan until all streets shall be sufficiently designated to enable strangers to find their way.

Relative to Incorrect Spelling of Street Names.

Supervisor Vogelsang called attention to incorrect spelling and Sacramento street on street name signs placed at street intersections by Board of Public Works.

Supervisor Payot called attention to incorrect spelling of Divisadero street.

Supervisor Caglieri declared that Columbus avenue, formerly Montgom-

ery avenue, is still designated Montgomery avenue on the lamp posts.

Clerk instructed to call matter to attention of Board of Public Works.

Declaratory Ordinance, New City Hall.

The following Bill was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Vogelsang and on his motion passed for printing by the following vote:

Bill No. 1972, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Determining and declaring that the public interest requires the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building or buildings and improvements to be used by the City and County of San Francisco as a City Hall and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto for the purpose of creating a Civic Center; that the cost thereof, in addition to the other expenses of the said City and County, will exceed the income and revenue provided for the said City and County for any one year; and directing the Board of Public Works to procure, through the City Engineer, and to place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of original construction, completion and equipment of such permanent building or buildings and improvements."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Vogelsang and on his motion ordered referred to *Public Utilities Committee*:

Declaratory Ordinance, Water Supply.

Bill No. 1986, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Determining and declaring that public interest and necessity demand the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to wit: A water supply and works to be owned and controlled by the City and County of San Francisco, to furnish to said City and County and to the inhabitants thereof, a sufficient supply of water for all purposes; directing the Board of Public Works to procure, through the City Engineer, and place on file with the Board of Supervisors, plans and estimates of the cost of original construction and completion by the City and County of the Public Utility herein named, and designating Lake Eleanor and the waters of the Tuolumne River and its

tributaries in Tuolumne county, California, together with the local sources of the Spring Valley Water Company, as available sources for obtaining a sufficient supply of good, pure water for the said City and County and the inhabitants thereof, and declaring that the acquisition of the greater part of the properties of the Spring Valley Water Company is necessary and desirable as a part of such public utility.

Meeting Announcements.

The following meetings were announced by committee chairmen:

Public Building Committee, Tuesday, January 9, 1912, 1:30 p. m.

Supplies and Public Efficiency and Civil Service, Wednesday, January 10, 1912, 4 p. m.

Public Utilities, Wednesday, January 10, 1912, 2 p. m.

Lands and Tunnels, Thursday, January 11, 1912, 2 p. m.

Relative to Construction of Tunnel in Fillmore Street.

The following petition was presented and read by the Clerk:

Petition—Of the Fillmore Street Improvement Association, for the construction of a tunnel under Fillmore street from the northerly line of Sutter street to the southerly line of Filbert street.

Ordered referred to Committee on Lands and Tunnels.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 4:45 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors January 15, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1912, 2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, January 15, 1912, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

ROLL CALL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF JOURNALS.

The Journals of the meetings of January 2, 4 and 8, 1912, were considered read and approved.

Presentation of Bion J. Arnold.

His Honor, the Mayor, then presented Bion J. Arnold, expert on street railroad transportation, who has been retained by the city to investigate the street railway transportation problem in this city, and to outline a plan for its improvement.

Mr. Arnold said that he had done a similar service for the cities of New York, Pittsburg, Detroit, Providence, Los Angeles and Chicago, and that he would bring to bear on the problem all the experience he had gained by his studies in those cities. His function, he said, was to find the truth and tell it. That he would endeavor to do.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Rotary Club Invitation.

The invitation of the Rotary Club to attend lunch on January 23, 1912, and discuss plans for the betterment of San Francisco was accepted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file.

Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee, read by Supervisor Murdock and ordered filed.

Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, acting chairman.

Supervisor McCarthy supplemented his report by stating that it was impossible at the present time to show the exact financial condition of the city. He declared that from his present information that there would be a deficit of about \$100,000, to which must be added \$50,000, the cost of moving to the Hall of Justice, and \$25,000 for completion of County Jail.

He requested his Honor the Mayor to take up the matter of waste of public funds with the different commissions, suggesting that as the Board of Public Works had the largest expenditures, that a conference should first be had with that Board.

He called attention to the fact that inspection in the Lowell High School had amounted to more than \$2600 since the month of July.

His Honor the Mayor invited the Finance Committee to meet with the Board of Public Works and himself in the chambers of the Board of Supervisors on Friday evening, January 19, 1912, at 8 o'clock p. m., to discuss the matter.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, chairman.

The Police Committee having considered various subjects, including applications for professional boxing permits, reported in favor of granting permits to the Shasta and Humboldt Clubs. The permits of the Tuxedo and Canal Clubs, on the suggestion of his Honor the Mayor and the Committee, were referred back to the Committee, and after discussion the whole matter of professional boxing permits was re-referred to the Police Committee with instructions to bring in a new report.

His Honor the Mayor stated that protests had been made against the Canal and Shasta Clubs and other clubs and he desired a full investigation before final action was taken.

Dr. Caglieri requested that the Tuxedo Club be restored to Committee report and this matter went back together with whole report.

Ordered, that whole matter be sent back to Committee.

Public Utilities Committee, by Supervisor Vogelsang, chairman.

Supervisor Vogelsang supplemented

his report by stating that the construction of the roadbed of the Geary street Municipal Railway will be commenced within sixty days; that the cars would be received in about six months, and that the road would be completed and running in about that time. He declared that according to his information the road is about 40 per cent completed at this time. In answer to a question from Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher, he stated that the Board of Public Works was unanimously in favor of contract labor on the Municipal Railway, and stated that he would notify him when that phase of the question came up again for consideration.

Report ordered *filed*.

Telephone and Telephone Rates Committee, by Supervisor Hilmer, chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Koshland, chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Public Building Committee, Supervisor Bancroft, chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, chairman.

Read and ordered *filed*.

Public Health Committee, by Supervisor Cagliari, chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations, Construction of School Buildings.

Resolution No. 9217 (New Series), Authorizations, out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done in the construction of school buildings, to-wit:

December 30, 1911—General Electric Construction Co., second progress payment on contract for electric work at the Lowell High School..\$	692,25
January 3, 1912—Elmer Carl- sen, seventh progress pay- ment on contract for con- struction of the Lowell High School	10,380.00
January 3, 1912—Henning & Burke, second progress pay- ment on contract for con- struction of the Girls' High School	9,000.00
January 3, 1912—O. C. Holt, fifth progress payment on contract for construction of the John Swett Grammar School	7,995.00
January 3, 1912—C. F. Weber	

& Co., blackboard furnished for Lincoln School 834.90

Total\$28,902.15

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal- lagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosh- land, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur- dock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorization, Land, Grant Primary School.

Resolution No. 9218 (New Series), Authorization, \$22,500.00 out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to John Lee Jr. Co. (claim dated January 5, 1912) as purchase price, under the terms of Reso- lution No. 9179 of lot on the southerly line of Broadway, 210 feet west of Broderick street, 65 feet by 127 feet, 8¼ inches, being portion of Western Addition Block No. 546, required as additional ground for the Grant Primary School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal- lagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosh- land, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur- dock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Also, Resolution No. 9219 (New Series), Authorization, \$22,000.00, out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to Cornelia M. Stafford (claim dated January 5, 1912), as purchase price, under the terms of Resolution No. 9178 (New Series), of lot on the southerly line of Broadway, 150 feet westerly from Broderick street, 60 feet by 127 feet 8¼ inches, being portion of Western Addition Block No. 546, required as additional ground for the Grant Primary School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal- lagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosh- land, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur- dock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizations, Work on School Buildings.

Resolution No. 9220 (New Series), Authorizations, out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done at school buildings, to-wit:

December 28, 1911—Brandon & Lawson, second progress payment on contract for brickwork at the Lowell High School	\$11,610.00
December 28, 1911—Chas. E. Thomas Co., second pro- gress payment on contract for installing, heating and ventilating system at the Lincoln School	3,525.00

Total\$15,135.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Recommitted.

The following matter heretofore passed for printing was taken up, and on motion of Supervisor Payot *recommitted to Finance Committee*:

Authorization, Land, Starr King School.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorization, \$14,500.00, out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to Margaret Hayden, Catherine Barrett and Cornelius Lynch (claim dated December 20, 1911), as purchase price, under the terms of Resolution No. 9090 (New Series), of land at the southeasterly corner of Twenty-fifth and Utah streets. 125 feet by 100 feet, being portion of Potrero Nuevo Block No. 85, required as additional ground for the Starr King School.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizing Payments, Construction of Police Station Buildings.

Resolution No. 9221 (New Series), Authorizations, out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done in the construction of Police Station buildings, to-wit:

December 19, 1911—William S. Snook & Son, final payment on contract for plumbing, heating and gas fitting work at the Richmond Police Station\$ 668.75

December 26, 1911—Robert Trost, second progress payment on contract for construction of the Potrero Police Station 4,200.00

January 2, 1912—Robert Trost, final payment on contract for construction of the Richmond Police Station.. 8,099.25

Total\$12,968.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Land, Fire Department Purposes.

Resolution No. 9222 (New Series), Authorization, \$12,500.00, out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to Sperry Flour Co. (claim dated December 20, 1911) as purchase price, under the terms of Resolution No. 9091 (New Series), of lot on the northerly line of Sacramento street,

50 feet westerly from Drumm street, 25 feet by 59 feet 9 inches, portion of Block B, Fifty Vara survey, acquired for Fire Department purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payments, Work Done on San Francisco Hospital.

Resolution No. 9223 (New Series), Authorizations, out of the "Hospital Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done at the San Francisco Hospital, to-wit:

December 29, 1911—Wittman

Lyman & Co., second progress payment on contract for plumbing work at the Power House and Laundry, San Francisco Hospital.....\$1,932.00

January 2, 1912—McSheehy Bros., third progress payment on contract for interior finish at the Nurses' Home and Ward Buildings, San Francisco Hospital 6,750.00

Total\$8,682.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors.

Resolution No. 9224 (New Series), Authorizations, out of General Fund of fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named institutions for maintenance and tuition during the month of November, 1911, of minors committed to their charge by the Juvenile Court, to-wit:

November 30, 1911—The St. Vincent de Paul Society....\$3,651.50

November 30, 1911—Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent Mount St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum 1,689.69

December 1, 1911—Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum 1,543.42

December 1, 1911—Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum.... 1,325.88

December 1, 1911—State of California, account Preston School of Industry..... 745.81

December 1, 1911—The Boys and Girls' Aid Society..... 539.35

Total\$9,485.65

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payments, Work Done on San Francisco Hospital.

Resolution No. 9225 (New Series), Authorizations, out of the "Hospital Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for work done at the San Francisco Hospital, to-wit:

December 19, 1911—Lange & Bergstrom, second progress payment on contract for general masonry work at the power house and laundry \$4,784.25

December 27, 1911—The Roeb-ling Construction Co., fifth progress payment on contract for partitions and furring 6,969.00

Total \$11,753.25

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal- lagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosh- land, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur- dock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Sewer Work.

Resolution No. 9226 (New Series), Authorization, \$8,653.86, out of the "Fire Protection Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to Healy-Tibbitts Construc- tion Co. (claim dated December 22, 1911), as final payment on contract for construction of Section "A" of the in- take tunnel for the Townsend Street Pumping Station of the auxiliary water supply system for fire protection, in accordance with recommendation of the City Engineer.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal- lagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosh- land, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur- dock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Yard Work, Den- man Grammar School.

Resolution No. 9227 (New Series), Authorization, \$7722.00, out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to Henning & Burke (claim dated December 27, 1911), as final payment on yard work at the Denman Grammar School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal- lagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosh- land, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur- dock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Work Done at City and County Jail and Hall of Justice.

Resolution No. 9228 (New Series), Authorizations, out of the "Additions to Hall of Justice and County Jail Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to the hereinafter named

claimants for work done at the City and County Jail and the Hall of Jus- tice, to-wit:

December 18, 1911, — A. Knowles, final payment on contract for plastering work at the City and County Jail \$3,939.75

January 2, 1912—Rudgear Merle Co., second progress payment on contract for ornamental interior metal work at the Hall of Jus- tice 3,375.00

Total \$7,314.75

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal- lagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosh- land, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur- dock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Land, Fire Depart- ment Purposes.

Resolution No. 9229 (New Series), Authorizations, \$6000.00, out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to Sperry Flour Co. (claim dated January 2, 1912) as purchase price, under the terms of Resolution No. 9149 (New Series), of its leasehold interests in lot on the southerly line of Commercial street, 50 feet westerly from Drumm street, 25 feet by 59 feet 9 inches, portion of Block B. Fifty Vara survey, acquired for Fire Depart- ment purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal- lagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosh- land, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur- dock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors and Rent of Hall of Justice.

Resolution No. 9230 (New Series), Authorizations, out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in pay- ment to the hereinafter named claim- ants for services rendered and rents due, to-wit:

December 1, 1911—The Chil- dren's Agency of the Asso- ciated Charities, mainte- nance and tuition, during the month of November, 1911, of minors committed to its charge by the Juv- enile Court \$3,463.73

January 4, 1912—Madison & Burke, rent of premises Nos. 64 and 70 Eddy street during the month of Jan- uary, 1912 2,000.00

Total \$5,463.73

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal- lagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosh- land, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur- dock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payments, Cement for Paving Right of Way, Geary Street Municipal Road.

Resolution No. 9231 (New Series), Authorizations, out of the Geary Street Railway Fund, bond issue of July 1, 1910, in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for supplies furnished for paving the right of way of the Geary Street Municipal Railway, to-wit:

December 13, 1911—Western Lime and Cement Co., cement furnished during the month of December, 1911\$ 965.00

December 16, 1911—W. W. Wymore, basalt blocks supplied during the month of November, 1911 3,597.00

Total\$4,562.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Land, Fire Department.

Resolution No. 9232 (New Series), Authorization, \$4253.00, out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12 in payment to James Otis, as Trustee (claim dated January 5, 1912), in satisfaction of judgment of condemnation on lot at the southwesterly corner of Commercial and Drumm streets, 25 feet by 59 feet 9 inches, and lot on the southerly line of Commercial street, 50 feet westerly from Drumm street, 25 feet by 59 feet 9 inches, acquired for Fire Department purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payments, Sundry Supplies and Services.

Resolution No. 9233 (New Series), Authorizations, out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12 in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for supplies furnished and services rendered, to-wit:

December 21, 1911—Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphalt furnished the Board of Public Works\$1,481.00

January 1, 1912—D. A. White, Chief of Police, allowance on contingent fund of the Police Department for the month of January, 1912.... 666.66

January 2, 1912—San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, for impounding, feeding, redeeming, selling and

destroying animals during the month of December, 1911 722.10

January 4, 1912—Ross McMahon, for awnings furnished for the Tubercular Pavilion, San Francisco Hospital 995.00

Total\$3,864.76

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Construction of Shop Building, Polytechnic High School.

Resolution No. 9234 (New Series), Authorization, \$3,783.00, out of the "Polytechnic High School Fund," bond issue of January 1, 1910, in payment to McLeran and Peterson (claim dated January 4, 1912) as sixth installment on contract for construction of the shop building of the Polytechnic High School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Excused from voting—McLeran.

Authorizing Payment, Yard Work, Denman Grammar School.

Resolution No. 9235 (New Series), Authorization, \$2766.00, out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to Henning & Burke (claim dated December 20, 1911) as fourth installment on contract for yard work at the Denman Grammar School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Plastering, City and County Jail.

Resolution No. 9236 (New Series), Authorization, \$2444.25, out of the "Additions to Hall of Justice and County Jail Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in payment to A. Knowles (claim dated December 18, 1911), as fifth installment on contract for plastering at the City and County Jail.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Recommitted.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion ordered *recommitted to Finance Committee*:

Authorizations, Fire Bells and Water Service.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizations, out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12 in payment to the hereinafter named claimants for supplies furnished, to-wit:

December 19, 1911—Electric Agencies Co., for fire alarm bells furnished the Department of Electricity..... \$750.00
 December 28, 1911—Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished public buildings from November 20 to December 20, 1911..... 1,666.66

Total\$2,416.66
 Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizing Payment, Paying Roadbed of Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Resolution No. 9237 (New Series), Authorization, \$2199, out of the Geary Street Railway Fund, bond issue of July 1, 1910, in payment to City Street Improvement Co. (claim dated December 22, 1911) as first installment on contract for paving with asphalt the right of way of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad on Geary street, between Tenth and Twenty-first avenues.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Payment, Alterations and Additions, Sacramento Street Branch Library Building.

Resolution No. 9238 (New Series), Authorization, \$514.00, out of the Library Fund in payment to George C. Terrill (claim dated December 29, 1911), as acceptance payment on contract for alterations and additions to Branch Public Library, 2435 Sacramento street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Providing \$15,000 to Cover Cost of Operating Pipe Yard and Testing Mains, Auxiliary Water Supply System.

Resolution No. 9239 (New Series), Providing \$15,000.00, out of the "Fire Protection Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to meet the cost of operating the pipe yard and testing the mains of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection as they are laid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Providing \$2275 for Carpenter and Electrical Work in Assessor's Office, City Hall.

Resolution No. 9240 (New Series), Providing the following sums to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of the item "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings" in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, in doing the following work at the Assessor's offices in the Temporary City Hall, to-wit:

For carpenter work and fitting up\$1,500.00
 For electrical work..... 775.00

Total\$2,275.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Providing \$1750 for Shelving Tax Collector's Office.

Resolution No. 9241 (New Series), Providing \$1750.00, out of the item "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings," in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to meet the cost of installing necessary shelving, desks and counters in the offices of the Tax Collector in the temporary City Hall.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Providing \$1000, Extra Work, Compiling Reports, etc., Auditor's Office.

Resolution No. 9242 (New Series), Providing \$1000.00 out of the appropriation for Urgent Necessities in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the Auditor to meet the cost of extra work entailed in his office in compiling additional reports and data under the new taxation laws.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Ordering Construction of Pumping Station No. 2, Auxiliary Water Supply System.

Bill No. 1972, Ordinance No. 1766 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of Pumping Station No. 2 of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection, to be located on Fort Mason Military Reservation, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contracts for the doing of said work, and to expend a sum not to exceed three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars out of the 'Fire Protection Account' of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in the construction and equipment of said Pumping Station; and authorizing progressive payments to be made on said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Grading, etc., for Islais Creek Incinerating Plant.

Bill No. 1973, Ordinance No. 1767 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contracts for grading the site and constructing concrete foundation piers for the Islais Creek Incinerating Plant, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by said Board, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed eighteen thousand (\$18,000.00) dollars out of the 'Garbage System Construction Account' of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908; and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Installing Pumps, etc., Ashbury Heights Tank, Auxiliary Water Supply System.

Bill No. 1974, Ordinance No. 1768 (New Series), Authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for installation of pumps and pipe connections at the Ashbury Heights Tank of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by said Board and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed eight thousand (\$8000.00) dollars out of the "Fire Protection Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908; and authorizing progressive payment to be made during the progress of said work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-

lagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion of Supervisor McCarthy *indefinitely postponed*:

Authorizing Appointment of Danish, Swedish and Norwegian Interpreter.

Bill No. 1975, Authorizing and providing for the appointment of an interpreter of the Swedish, Danish and Norwegian languages for the Superior and Police Courts of the City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

No—Supervisor Gallagher—1.

Recommitted.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up and on motion of Supervisor Giannini ordered *recommitted to Fire Committee*:

Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to John Lirati & Co., to erect and maintain a boiler of eight horsepower, in premises situate at the south side of Lombard street, 100 feet west of Divisadero street, same to be used for heating water for bottling works.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Andrea Malatesta, to erect and maintain a boiler of ten horsepower in premises situate at No. 1450 Grant avenue, the same to be used for furnishing power for creamery.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to L. Laustan to erect and maintain a boiler of twenty-five horsepower in premises situate at No. 3564 Sacramento street, the same to be used for furnishing heat for laundry purposes.

Laundry and Engine and Boiler Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Laurent Ray to conduct a laundry and to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of five horsepower in premises situate at No. 329 Noe street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Edward Rolkin to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500,

gallons capacity in premises situate on the west side of Sixth street, 150 feet north of Folsom street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Andrew Rudgear to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons capacity, in premises situate at south side of Bush street, 137 feet 6 inches east of Stockton street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Jacob Schwartz to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1900 gallons capacity in premises situate at the north side of Turk street 137 feet 6 inches west of Mason street for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Laundry Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting L. Estacalla permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a laundry in premises situate at west line of Ninth avenue, 125 feet north of Irving street, in strict accordance with the fire and sanitary laws and regulations of the Board of Health and Fire Department.

Extensions of Time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company the following extensions of time on its contracts, to-wit:

Sixty days' time from and after December 11, 1911, within which to complete construction of the Twin Peaks reservoir, for the reason of changes in the plans; and

Ninety days' time from and after October 16, 1911, within which to complete the general construction of Pumping Plant No. 1, for the reason of delays caused in painting until the completion of the installation of the machinery.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland: Resolution No. 9243 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), to

the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

E. B. Carr, northwest side of Tehama street, 250 feet northeast of Fourth street, for two horses.

Herman Wachter, No. 24 Felton street (rear), for one horse.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9244 (New Series), Granting the Columbia Marble Company an extension of fifteen days' time from and after December 25, 1911, within which to complete its contract for interior marble work at Hall of Justice building, for the reason of alterations having been made in the marble work of the vestibule; and remitting the advertising fee for printing this resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Declaratory Ordinance, New City Hall.

Bill No. 1985, Ordinance No. 1769 (New Series), entitled, "Determining and declaring that the public interest requires the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building or buildings and improvements to be used by the City and County of San Francisco as a City Hall and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a Civic Center; that the cost thereof, in addition to the other expenses of the said City and County, will exceed the income and revenue provided for the said City and County for any one year; and directing the Board of Public Works to procure, through the City Engineer, and to place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of original construction, completion and equipment of such permanent building or buildings and improvements."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Accepting Deed of Easement from Southern Pacific Company for Sewer Right of Way at Tara Street and Ocean Avenue.

Bill No. 1977, Ordinance No. 1770 (New Series), Approving and accepting deed of easement from the Southern Pacific Company to the City and County of San Francisco of a sewer

right of way under the tracks of the railroad company at Tara street and Ocean avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Recommitted.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up and on motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher *recommitted to Streets Committee*:

Changing Name of Coolidge Place to Wall Place.

Bill No. 1978, Changing the name of Coolidge place to Wall place.

Establishing Grades, Lilac Street.

Also, Bill No. 1979, Establishing grades at certain points on Lilac street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets.

Changing Grades, Leavenworth Street.

Also, Bill No. 1980, Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Leavenworth street, between Francisco and Chestnut streets.

Full Acceptance, Church Street.

Also, Bill No. 1981, Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Church street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 1982, Providing for the conditional acceptance of the roadway of O'Farrell street, between Broderick street and St. Joseph's avenue; Grove street, between Ashbury and Clayton streets; Clayton street, between Grove and Fulton streets; Seventeenth avenue, between Geary and Clement streets.

Pipe Line Permit, Miller & Lux.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Miller & Lux Inc., permission to lay and maintain a four-inch pipe line in and along the streets of the City and County of San Francisco as follows: From the plant of the California Tallow Works, situate on Evans avenue, between Keith avenue and Lane street, to its property on Evans avenue, between Newhall street and Railroad avenue; also to lay and maintain a four-inch pipe line from the plant of Roth, Blum & Company, situate at the corner of Fairfax avenue and Mendell street, to its said property on Evans avenue, between Newhall street and Railroad avenue, said pipe line to be used for the purpose of conducting tankage from the plants of said California Tallow Works and said Roth, Blum & Company to the abattoir of said Miller & Lux Inc.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$293,007.56 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 10,081 to 10,590, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Absent—Supervisors Hayden, Jennings, Nolan—3.

NEW BUSINESS.

Supervisor Murdock called attention to fact that the following resolution was under the wrong committee designation.

Supervisor Koshland stated the necessity of making the following appointment, stating that it would result in a great saving to the city, and that Mr. Kast, the appointee, was an experienced man and eminently qualified for the position. He added that the resolution did not create a new position, but filled a vacancy in the clerical force of the Board that was permitted to remain for this purpose when appointments were made.

Adopted.

Whereupon the following resolution was *adopted* by the following vote:

Appointment of Marius J. Kast, Superintendent of Supplies.

J. R. No. 1.

Resolved, That Marius J. Kast be and he is hereby appointed an Assistant Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, to act as Superintendent of Supplies and perform such other duties as may be assigned to him by the Clerk. He shall receive a monthly salary of two hundred and fifty dollars. He shall give a bond in the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars for the faithful performance of his duties.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Departments to Co-Operate in Promoting Efficiency and Economy in Public Service.

On motion of Supervisor Murdock:
J. R. No. 2.

Resolved, That the various departments of the City Government, including county officials and all boards and commissions, be urged to earnestly and freely co-operate with the Board of Supervisors in a determined purpose to increase efficiency and economy. The City should get more work and better work for the money it spends. It should use on permanent improvements what it can save on waste. Believing that we can accomplish this by methods that have brought results elsewhere, there have been formed two new committees to work for better conditions.

The Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service will seek to stop useless expenditures, and to promote better operative methods in every department. It will not favor economy based on underpaid labor, but it will ask that dispensable employes be dropped. It will insist that politics be eliminated as an object of service, and that every dollar an employe earns shall be his. It will do all in its power to make Civil Service a protection of valid rights, and not of unfitness and inefficiency.

The Committee on Supplies will standardize specifications and contracts, and treat those who deal with the City with absolute fairness. It will insist in being treated in the same manner. It will favor Home Industry so far as it lawfully can. Both the City and honest bidders will be protected. Deliveries must conform to specifications, and they will be closely checked. There must be responsibility in the disbursement of material, and waste and loss of supplies will be guarded against to the fullest extent.

We confidently ask that the efforts of these committees be welcomed and cordially supported, and that each official act at once on his own initiative without waiting for investigation or suggestion.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and ordered referred to the Judiciary Committee:

Providing for Issuance of Permits and Payment of Fees Therefor.

Bill No. 1987, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing the method of issuance of permits that are required to be granted by the Board of Supervisors by various ordinances of

the City and County, and requiring a fee to be paid by the applicants for such permits."

Authorizations.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following firms, to wit:

Sewer Contract Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Karl Erhart, first progress payment, sewer work, Twenty-third avenue, between Geary and Anza streets (claim dated Jan. 10, 1912) \$1573.43

C. J. Harney, eighth progress payment, sewer work in Mission Road (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912) 4699.97

Sewer Contract Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, fourth progress payment, Section "D-2" North Point main sewer (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912) . 14,089.50

Coast Improvement Company, second progress payment, Sec. B of Ingleside outlet sewer (claim dated Jan. 4, 1912) 9552.37

Westdahl-Hennessey Company, first progress payment for sewer in Beale street, between Bryant and Folsom streets (claim dated Jan. 8, 1912) 714.75

Contra Costa Construction Company, fourth progress payment, Sec. "D-1", North Point main (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912) 19,372.95

F. Rolandi, third progress payment, Sec. "E", North Point main (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912) 11,726.81

F. Rolandi, fourth progress payment, Sec. "D-3", North Point main (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912) 11,583.94

R. C. Storrie & Company, sixth progress payment, sewer in Lincoln Way and Forty-eighth avenue (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912) 11,020.13

John Daniel, fifth progress payment, Sec. "G" North Point main (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912) 6029.75

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Coast Improvement Company, second progress payment, hauling and laying mains (claim dated Jan. 4, 1912) . 5768.62

Healy-Tibbitts Construction

Company, thirteenth progress payment, construction Twin Peaks reservoir (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).	3049.23
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, ninth progress payment, construction Pumping Station No. 1 (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).	4312.50
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, seventh progress payment, construction Sec. "B", intake tunnel (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).....	2541.00

General Fund 1911-12.

Scott-Magner & Miller, supplies (hay) to San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated Dec. 30, 1912)	1440.44
J. O'Keefe & Company, forage to San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated Jan. 3, 1912)	1483.80
Thomas Morton & Son, fuel to San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated December 31, 1912).....	1798.60
D. Demartini, hauling manure, San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated December 30, 1912).....	570.00
The Rincon Publishing Company, printing Municipal Record for month ending December 31, 1911 (claim dated Jan. 8, 1912).....	577.44
School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.	
M. A. Greely, final payment for grading yard at Lafayette School (claim dated Dec. 26, 1911).....	1000.00

Amendment.

Supervisor McCarthy moved to amend by striking out item of Healy-Tibbitts for \$14,089.50.
Amendment carried.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon above Resolution as amended was *passed for printing*:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment, Reports and Professional Services, Filtration etc. of San Joaquin, Sacramento and Tuolumne Rivers.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorization, \$6,894.55, out of the "Water Construction Fund," bond issue of July 1, 1911, in payment to Hazen & Whipple (claim dated December 30, 1911), for professional services and expenses in connection with the

filtration of the San Joaquin and Sacramento rivers and the quality of the Tuolumne river water, and reports upon said matters.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Board of Election Commissioners to Exp-
pend \$275 for Preparation of Assembly
and Senatorial District Maps.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:
J. R. No. 3.

Resolved, That the Board of Election Commissioners be and it is hereby authorized to expend out of moneys appropriated for the Department of Elections the sum of \$275.00 upon a demand or demands duly verified, allowed and approved by the Board of Public Works for the preparation of Assembly and Senatorial District maps in pursuance of Reapportionment Act passed by the Legislature of the State of California.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Appropriations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:
Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the following sums be and they are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

Board of Health.

Sanitation purposes, January, 1912.
Appropriation out of item of special sanitation for continuance of sanitary measures. \$1,350.00

Public Buildings Committee.

Moving and equipping departments, Hall of Justice, appropriation out of Urgent Necessities Fund 5,000.00

Board of Public Works.

For installing lighting system, Engine House No. 43, appropriation of unexpended balance in fund provided for construction of Engine House No. 42..... 275.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Oil Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
Granting the City and County of San Francisco permission to store and use

crude oil in the Lowell High School building, Hayes street, west of Masonic avenue.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Mrs. Alexander Conden permission to erect and maintain engine and boiler in premises at northeast corner of Geary street and Arguello boulevard to be used for laundry purposes.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Caglieri and adopted:

Denying Stable Permits.

J. R. No. 4.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission be and the same is hereby denied the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter mentioned locations, to wit:

H. A. Fruechter, 12 Silliman street, for one horse.

A. D. McAllister, 340 Eleventh street, for six horses.

Bagin Bros., 929 Natoma street, for twenty-one horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was passed for printing:

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with provisions of sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and the same is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to wit:

Joseph Blum, 212 Silliman street, for one horse.

Alexander Bond, northeast line of Eleventh street, 75 feet northwest of Natoma street, for thirty horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Recommitted.

The following Resolution was recommended to Police Committee:

Professional Boxing Permits.

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the following named be and are hereby granted permission to hold professional boxing contests during the months hereinafter stipulated, provided said exhibitions are

conducted in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 624 of the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

Shasta Club, during the month of January, 1912.

Humboldt Athletic Club, during the month of February, 1912.

Canal Club, during the month of March, 1912.

The Tuxedo Athletic Club, during the month of April, 1912.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Masquerade Ball Permits.

J. R. No. 5.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

Resolved, That the following named be and are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to wit:

Independent Order of Red Men, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, January 13, 1912.

Industrial Social League, at Eagles' Hall, Golden Gate avenue, near Hyde street, January 20, 1912.

Helvetia Verein, at S. F. Turn Verein Hall, Sutter and Divisadero streets, January 20, 1912.

Germania Club, Norddeutscher Verein and Schleswig Holsteiner Verein, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, January 20, 1912.

Mission Turn Verein, at Mission Turn Verein Hall, 3543 Eighteenth street, January 27, 1912.

Arbeiter Turn Verein, at Tiv Hall, 141 Albion street, January 27, 1912.

S. F. Schwaben Verein and Deutscher Krieger Verein, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, January 27, 1912.

South San Francisco Drum and Picolo Corps, at Masonic Opera House, Railroad and Newcomb avenues, January 27, 1912.

Lassalle Frauen Verein, at Mission Turn Verein Hall, 3543 Eighteenth street, February 10, 1912.

Verein Eintracht, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, February 27, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Special Report of the Public Buildings Committee on Site for City Hall.

Supervisor Bancroft presented:

San Francisco, Calif., January 15, 1912.

Board of Supervisors, San Francisco. Gentlemen:

The Public Buildings Committee of the Board of Supervisors, after having spent nearly two months in investigating the question of the location of the proposed new City Hall, begs to report as follows:

Your Committee has carefully investigated all of the drawings, plans, communications and suggestions submitted to his Honor the Mayor, by more than fifty of the architects of San Francisco.

Your Committee has also held numerous conferences with its Advisory Committee, consisting of Messrs. John Galen Howard, W. B. Faville, Clarence R. Ward, H. D. H. Connick, Willis Polk and E. H. Bennett. On January 8, 1912, the majority of the Advisory Committee reported to your Public Buildings Committee as follows:

"San Francisco, January 8, 1912.

"To the Building Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

"Gentlemen:

"The majority of the Advisory Committee appointed to consider the location of the Civic Center, recommends that the City Hall be built on the old site and that the other buildings of the Civic Center be grouped around it, in accordance with a scheme to be developed by the properly constituted authorities.

"This decision has been reached after the most searching and impartial analysis that the time has permitted of every idea which has been presented by architects or others. The recommendation is based on permanent consideration, first, of the most practical convenience to the City; second, of the greatest aesthetic possibilities for the City Hall itself and for the monumental buildings to be grouped with it as the Civic Center, and third, of economy in achieving the best results both practical and aesthetic.

"Respectfully submitted,

"JOHN GALEN HOWARD,

"Chairman

"CLARENCE R. WARD,

"HARRIS D. H. CONNICK,

"W. B. FAVILLE."

On the same date Messrs. Willis Polk and E. H. Bennett filed a minority report giving virtually the same reasons for the location of a Civic Center at Van Ness avenue and Market street.

On January 10, 1912, your Public Buildings Committee held a meeting to which his Honor the Mayor, all of the members of the Board of Supervisors, other public officials and the public in general were invited. This meeting was called for the purpose of hearing further reports from the members of the Advisory Committee.

On January 12, 1912, your Public Buildings Committee met and agreed

to recommend to the Board of Supervisors that the new City Hall be erected on the "old site", in conjunction with a Civic Center; the lands for said Civic Center to be purchased within the district bounded by Van Ness avenue, Hayes street, Market street and Golden Gate avenue. The above mentioned district, within which your Committee recommends the location of a Civic Center, was the unanimous choice of Messrs. Howard, Ward, Faville and Connick of the Advisory Committee, and was generally favored by the architects present at the meeting of January 10, 1912.

Your Committee bases its recommendations,

1st. For the reasons stated in the majority report of January 8, 1912, of the Advisory Committee.

2nd. Your Committee considers that the old City Hall site is more convenient to the present center of the City's activity.

3rd. That it offers advantages over the Van Ness avenue site in point of spaciousness.

4th. It affords opportunities for approach without the necessity of widening existing streets or cutting new ones, and offers exceptional opportunities for vistas to the City Hall along such existing streets as Eighth and Fulton.

5th. That it lends itself to loftier and more impressive monumental elevations.

6th. That it does not extend to both sides of Market street, thereby threatening an interruption of traffic.

7th. That it offers a connection with the best topographical route for an extension of the Park panhandle to the Civic Center.

8th. That it is better because it is slightly removed from the main traffic center.

9th. That it would cost less than the Van Ness avenue site.

Although at the present time your Public Buildings Committee is not prepared to recommend the adoption in its entirety of any one particular plan of those submitted to the Mayor your Committee begs to report that the following architects have submitted plans which most nearly meet with the approval of your Committee, as to location and general arrangement: B. J. S. Cahill, C. A. Meusdorffer, E. A. Schumacher, L. P. Rixford, Glenn Allen, G. A. Applegarth, Nathaniel Blaisdell, Philipp Schwert, Oscar Haupt, E. G. Vogel, F. H. Meyer, David Salfield, Wm. F. Smith.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL BANCROFT,

R. McLERAN,

GEO. E. GALLAGHER.

Supervisor Bancroft moved that *Willis Polk* be granted the privilege of the floor.

Motion carried.

Privilege of Floor.

Willis Polk opposed hasty action. He believed that none of advisory board were as able as *Mr. Bennett* to advise in Civic Center proposition.

He contended that architects on Advisory Board had not specialized in city planning and that *Mr. Bennett* was a highly trained specialist and has spent years on the proposition.

Murphy moved to amend as follows:

Insert after words "bounded by" "Hayes, Polk, Franklin and Market streets and Mission Blocks Nos. 2 and 12, except the easterly quarter of Block 2 and the southerly quarter of Block 12 as delineated on Plat A submitted by Advisory Committee."

Amendment Lost.

Whereupon, the question being taken on above amendment, same was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Koshland, Murphy—2.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Payot, Vogelsang—13.

Absent—Supervisors Hayden, Jennings, Nolan—3.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the Committee's report and the following resolutions were adopted:

Favoring Construction of City Hall on Old Site.

J. R. No. 6.

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors hereby declares itself in favor of the construction of the new City Hall upon the so-called "old site"; and be it

Further Resolved, that said Board hereby declares itself in favor of submitting to the people a bond issue for the creation of a Civic Center in conjunction with said new City Hall; the lands for said Civic Center to be purchased within the district bounded by Van Ness avenue, Hayes street, Market street and Golden Gate avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

Thanking Advisory Committee for its Assistance in Selecting City Hall Site.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 7.

Whereas, The following gentlemen, viz.: Messrs. John Galen Howard, Willis Polk, W. B. Faville, E. H. Bennett, Clarence Ward and H. D. H. Connick, acting as members of an Advisory Committee to the Public Buildings Committee of the Board of Supervisors, have for several weeks past devoted themselves assiduously to the task of investigating the problem of the location of a new City Hall and Civic Center; and

Whereas, Said gentlemen in undertaking this work, have without complaint labored day and night, Sundays and holidays, to the great sacrifice of their own personal affairs; and

Whereas, The work of said Advisory Committee has been of inestimable value to the Board of Supervisors in assisting them in arriving at their conclusions in regard to the location of a new City Hall and Civic Center; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors hereby expresses its thanks to each and every member of said Advisory Committee for the great service they have rendered to San Francisco.

(Clerk instructed to send copy to each person mentioned.)

Thanking Architects for Service Rendered in Selecting Site for City Hall and Civic Center.

Also,

J. R. No. 8.

Whereas, In response to an invitation from his Honor the Mayor, more than fifty of the architects of San Francisco have, without expectation of remuneration, submitted one hundred or more plans, designs and recommendations as to the location of a new City Hall and Civic Center; and

Whereas, The suggestions of these architects have been of great value to the Board of Supervisors in assisting said Board in determining its final recommendations; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors hereby expresses its thanks to the following gentlemen for the great service they have rendered this City, to wit:

Glenn Allen, E. P. Antonovich, G. A. Applegarth, Tagart Ashton, Nathaniel Blaisdell, Bakewell & Brown, J. Baur, E. H. Bennett, B. J. S. Cahill, Louis Cowles, H. G. Chivers, W. J. Cuthbertson, A. Cahen, Ernest Coxhead, J. F. Dunn, L. B. Dutton, E. Dasse, Oscar Haupt, Howard & White, Havens & Toepke, Arthur O. Johnson, Edward Kollofrath, L. A. Kelly & Co., D. D. Kearns, A. C. Locke, G. A. Lansburgh,

M. J. Lyon & Co., H. A. Minton, Mohr Bros., N. W. Mohr, W. Garden Mitchell, F. H. Meyer, Herbert B. Maggs, C. A. Meussdorffer, Chas. Paff & Co., L. P. Rixford, David Salfield, Herbert A. Schmidt, Frank T. Shea, A. Sparco, A. G. Scholz, E. A. Schumacher, W. F. Smith, Philipp Schwertt, George Skaller, E. J. Vogel, J. W. Woollett, Charles P. Weeks.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

(Clerk instructed to send copies to each person mentioned.)

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Extensions of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolved, That the following extensions of time on public contracts be and the same are hereby granted in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed December 22, 1911, to-wit:

W. P. Fuller & Co., ninety days' time from and after January 13, 1912, to complete the glazing work at San Francisco Hospital.

R. M. Lean, ninety days' time from January 13, 1912, to complete the interior concrete and cement flooring in the main group San Francisco Hospital.

These extensions are recommended for the reason that materials could not be installed until other contractors have completed their work; and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution be and the same is hereby remitted.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Extending Time for Ceasing Operation of Geary Street Railway.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang: J. R. No. 9.

Resolved, That the time fixed by Resolutions Nos. 8590 (New Series), and 8821 (New Series), for ceasing the operation of the Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railway, be extended thirty days from January 16, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Free Telephones.

On motion of Supervisor Hilmer: J. R. No. 10.

Resolved, That no free telephone shall be installed in the residence of any municipal officer or employee unless such officer or employee is liable

to be called upon to perform public duty outside of regular business hours; also, that telephone companies be directed not to install any free telephone except on the order of the Chairman of the Committee on Telephones and Telephone Rates, duly attested by the Clerk of this Board.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

ROLL CALL FOR INTRODUCTION OF BILLS, RESOLUTIONS OR MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED BY A COMMITTEE.

Additional Report of Efficiency and Civil Service Committee.

The following Report was introduced and read by Supervisor Murdock under suspension of the rules:

San Francisco, Calif., Jan. 15, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service recommends that the automobiles, ambulances, and, as far as practical, all City vehicles be painted in a distinctive color by which they may be known and respected. In the selection of a specific color it is desirable to consider durability and to avoid shades most generally used. If possible, the City color or colors should have significance and a distinct meaning.

The seal of the City bears a motto which in English is, "In war, iron—in peace, gold". It would seem fitting to adopt concurring colors, and iron grey and old gold would be harmonious and very effective for decorative purposes. We would therefore recommend the adoption of them as the City colors and their use, in addition to the National colors, for decoration on public occasions and during the Panama Exposition. We would propose their gradual introduction in connection with the City vehicles, not repainting those in use until it is required. We recommend that the Peerless car used by the Board of Supervisors, which needs repainting and some repairs, be at once put in order and painted an iron grey, with the words "Board of Supervisors", the seal of the City, and such other ornamentation as may be found fitting in gold or paint of old gold color that shall harmonize with the gray. The Committee recommends the adoption of resolution herewith presented.

Your Committee also recommends the adoption of a resolution authorizing the Sheriff to return to the owners a motor installed in the rock quarry at the County Jail. This City is now pay-

ing \$17.50 a month rent for this motor and, so far as the Committee can learn, it has not been used for two years.

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS. A. MURDOCK,
ANDREW J. GALLAGHER.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and *laid over one week*:

Supplies Committee to Contract for Repairing and Painting Automobile of Supervisors.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Supply Committee be authorized to contract for the necessary repairs to the Peerless car used by the Board of Supervisors, and to have it repainted in accordance with the recommendation of the Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service; and be it further

Resolved, That the several departments controlling automobiles refrain from having the same repainted until this Board can determine the policy to be pursued in respect thereto.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted* under suspension of the rules: Sheriff to Return Motor Installed at Rock Quarry.

Also, J. R. No. 11.

Resolved, That the Sheriff be authorized to return to the owners that certain motor installed in the rock quarry at the County Jail.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Fixing Date for Rates Investigation.

Also, J. R. No. 12.

Resolved, That the dates for commencing the investigations for fixing rates for water, lighting and telephones be as follows:

For telephone rates, Wednesday, February 7, 1912.

For lighting rates, Wednesday, February 14, 1912.

For water rates, Wednesday, February 21, 1912.

At 8 o'clock p. m. of the respective dates.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Fixing Salary of Supervisor's Chauffeur.

J. R. No. 13.

Resolved, That the monthly salary of C. F. Hornung as chauffeur of the Board of Supervisors, be and the same is hereby fixed at \$125.00, and Resolution No. 9210 (New Series),

adopted January 8, 1912, is rescinded in so far as it conflicts with this resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Leave of Absence, Curtis H. Lindley.

J. R. No. 14.

Resolved, That Curtis H. Lindley, Park Commissioner, be given leave of absence from the State for a period of sixty days from January 9, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Board of Public Works to Deposit Moneys Paid for Cutting Wires and Removing Poles to Credit of Geary Street Municipal Railway Fund.

J. R. No. 15.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to deposit all moneys to the credit of the Geary Street Municipal Railway fund collected to cover cost of cutting trolley wires and removing supporting poles of the Geary Street Municipal Railway to permit the moving of buildings along or across the route of said railway.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Fixing Dates and Determining Personnel of Committees.

J. R. No. 16.

Public Utilities—Vogelsang, 20 Montgomery; Bancroft, 731 Market; G. E. Gallagher, 430 California; Mauzy, 250 Stockton; Murphy, 712 Mutual Bank Building. Wednesday, 2 p. m.

Public Buildings—Bancroft, 731 Market; G. E. Gallagher, 430 California; McLeran, 1554 McAllister. Tuesday, 1:30 p. m.

Police—Hocks, 558 Guerrero; Caglieri, 205 Columbus avenue; Hilmer, 129 Davis. Friday, 3 p. m.

Public Welfare—Payot, 968 Ellis; Hayden, 40 Market; Murdock, 68 Fremont; A. J. Gallagher, 312 Fourteenth street; Giannini, Bank of Italy Building. Tuesday, 2 p. m.

Judiciary—Murphy, 712 Mutual Bank Building; McLeran, 1554 McAllister; Vogelsang, 20 Montgomery. Monday, 1:30 p. m.

Streets and Sewers—G. E. Gallagher, 430 California; Giannini, Bank of Italy Building; Nolan, 3719a Seventeenth street. Thursday, 3 p. m.

Public Health—Caglieri, 205 Columbus avenue; Koshland, 244 California; Payot, 968 Ellis. Wednesday, 10 a. m.

Land and Tunnels—Mauzy, 250 Stockton; Bancroft, 731 Market; A. J. Gallagher, 418 Oak. Friday, 2 p. m.

Lighting and Rates—Nolan, 3719a Seventeenth; Koshland, 244 California; Payot, 968 Ellis. Thursday, 2 p. m.

Fire—Giannini, Bank of Italy Building; Mauzy, 250 Stockton; McLeran, 1554 McAllister. Thursday, 2 p. m.

Supplies—Koshland, 244 California; Hilmer, 129 Davis; Murdock, 68 Fremont. Wednesday, 4 p. m.

Finance—Jennings, 545 Powell; McCarthy, 156 Second; Murphy, 712 Butual Bank Building. Friday, 2 p. m.

Publicity and Interurban Relations—Hayden, 40 Market; Hocks, 558 Guerrero; Nolan, 3719a Seventeenth. Tuesday, 2 p. m.

Public Efficiency and Civil Service—Murdock, 68 Fremont; Giannini, Bank of Italy Building; A. J. Gallagher, 418 Oak. Tuesday, 3 p. m.

CALL OF THE CHAIR.

Electricity—McLeran, 1554 McAllister; Giannini, Bank of Italy Building; McCarthy, 156 Second.

Exposition—McCarthy, 156 Second; Bancroft, 731 Market; Hayden, 40 Market; Jennings, 545 Powell; Vogelsang, 20 Montgomery.

Water Service and Rates—A. J. Gallagher, 418 Oak; Caglieri, 205 Columbus avenue; Mauzy, 250 Stockton.

Telephone and Rates—Hilmer, 129

Davis; Hayden, 40 Market; Hocks, 558 Guerrero.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Providing \$350 for Painting New Counters, Desks, etc., County Clerk's Office.

J. R. No. 17.

Resolved, That the sum of \$350.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of the item "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings" in the Budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, in painting the new counters, desks, book racks, etc. installed in the office of the County Clerk in the temporary City Hall.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Increasing Membership of Public Welfare Committee.

Supervisor Payot moved that Public Welfare Committee be increased to five members and Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher and Giannini be appointed to membership thereon. Committee to meet with Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service at call of the chair.

Motion *carried*.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 5:45 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors January 22, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 1912, 2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, January 22, 1912, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

ROLL CALL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of January 15, 1912, was considered, read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Supervisor Vogelsang presented:

Extension of Street Car Service Out Hayes Street.

Communication—From his Honor the Mayor transmitting letter of H. F. Marshall requesting that steps be taken to bring about a restoration of a direct street car line throughout the length of Hayes street.

Communication—From the Hayes Valley Improvement Association calling attention to the necessity of lowering the grade on Hayes street at Pierce to enable electric cars to continue out Hayes street.

Suggestion for Improvement of Street Car Service on Market Street.

Communication—From Walter D. O'Brien, suggesting method of improving street car service of the United Railroads on Market street.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Finance Committee—By William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Supervisor McCarthy, acting chairman of the Finance Committee, supplemented his report by saying that the Committee had met in open session with the Commissioners of the Board of Public Works, at which an investigation was had as to the financial condition of the bond issues as pertains to said Board. He stated that the investigation was not yet completed, that the Committee was awaiting a report from the Board of Public Works as to the physical condition of the high pressure system and that they would not be able to proceed until report was filed. He requested that his Honor the Mayor ask the Commissioners of the Board of Public Works to file their report at once.

Whereup, his Honor the Mayor, instructed the Clerk to send a communication to the Board of Public Works requesting it to file its report with the Finance Committee at once.

Fire Committee—By Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Public Health Committee—By Dr. Guido Caglieri, Chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—By Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Police Committee—By Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Public Buildings Committee—By Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Public Utilities Committee—Alex. T. Vogelsang, Chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Ordered *filed*.

Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations to Attend Meeting of State Highway Commission to Urge Construction of Portion of El Camino Real Between San Francisco and San Jose.

The following resolution was introduced out of order by Supervisor Hayden and on his motion adopted by the following vote:

J. R. No. 18.

Whereas, The Boards of Supervisors

of San Francisco, San Mateo and Santa Clara counties have endorsed the continuation of Mission street, known as the County Road or the El Camino Real, between San Francisco and San Jose as the most direct and feasible route for the main coast highway between those points to be constructed under the \$18,000,000.00 State Bond Issue, now therefore be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors that the Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations be and is hereby authorized to attend a meeting of the State Highway Commission to be held at Sacramento, California, on Wednesday, January 24th, 1912, to further said project. Be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of Board be instructed to forward a copy of the resolution to the State Highway Commission at Sacramento.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Privilege of the Floor.

Supervisor Casey of San Mateo County was granted the privilege of the floor and addressing himself to the foregoing resolution stated that San Mateo and Santa Clara counties had passed similar resolutions and that it was only proper that San Francisco should do so also. He urged that the Mayor appoint committee so that it could start from San Francisco on Wednesday morning with the Committees from Santa Clara and San Mateo counties. He spoke briefly of the importance of the matter and what it meant to all the counties concerned.

Increase of Committee.

Whereupon, his Honor the Mayor appointed Supervisors Hocks and Murdock to attend the Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations on its mission to Sacramento and instructed the Clerk to communicate with State Highway Commission informing them that Committee would leave San Francisco on Wednesday, January 24, 1912, at 9 o'clock a. m.

NEW BUSINESS (OUT OF ORDER.)

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher, the following resolution was taken up out of order:

Resolution No. —, Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance 1008 (New Series), to the following to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

Peter Bisagno, on east side of Andover avenue, 85 feet north of Cortland

avenue, for one horse.

P. G. Anderson No. 116, Stillman street, for two horses.

Privilege of the Floor.

Mrs. Hannah Banker, property owner, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, protesting against the granting of a permit for a stable to P. G. Anderson at No. 116 Stillman street, for the reason that it would increase insurance rates on property in the vicinity. She declared that there were twenty-two other ladies living in the neighborhood who were protesting against the granting of the permit, and that their protest though filed before the meeting of the Committee had not been read or considered.

Recommitted.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Vogelsang, seconded by Supervisor Cagliari, the above resolution was ordered *recommitted to the Public Health Committee.*

Hearing of Appeal From Street Assessment.

The hearing of appeal of Leslie Van Ness Denman and other property owners against assessment, warrant and diagram issued by the Board of Public Works for the construction of a sewer in Laurel street, between Jackson and Pacific streets, fixed by Resolution No. 9046 (New Series), for the hour of 3 p. m. this day, was proceeded with:

Motion.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher moved that matter be *laid over two weeks.*

Motion carried.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher thereupon informed protestants that matter would be considered in Streets Committee on Thursday if desired.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9245 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following firms, to wit:

Sewer Contract Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Karl Erhart, first progress payment, sewer work, Twenty-third avenue, between Geary and Anza streets (claim dated Jan. 10, 1912) \$1573.43
C. J. Harney, eighth progress

payment, sewer work in Mission Road (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).....	4699.97	
Sewer Contract Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.		
Coast Improvement Company, second progress payment, Sec. B of Ingleside outlet sewer (claim dated Jan. 4, 1912).....	9552.37	
West dahl-Hennessey Company, first progress payment for sewer in Beale street, between Bryant and Folsom streets (claim dated Jan. 8, 1912).....	714.75	
Contra Costa Construction Company, fourth progress payment, Sec. "D-1", North Point main (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).....	19,372.95	
F. Rolandi, third progress payment, Sec. "E", North Point main (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).....	11,726.81	
F. Rolandi, fourth progress payment, Sec. "D-3", North Point main (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).....	11,583.94	
R. C. Storrie & Company, sixth progress payment, sewer in Lincoln Way and Forty-eighth avenue (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).....	11,020.13	
John Daniel, fifth progress payment, Sec. "G" North Point main (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).....	6029.75	
Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.		
Coast Improvement Company, second progress payment, hauling and laying mains (claim dated Jan. 4, 1912).....	5768.62	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, thirteenth progress payment, construction Twin Peaks reservoir (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).....	3049.23	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, ninth progress payment, construction Pumping Station No. 1 (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).....	4312.50	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, seventh progress payment, construction Sec. "B", intake tunnel (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912).....	2541.00	
General Fund 1911-12.		
Scott-Magner & Miller, supplies (hay) to San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated Dec. 30, 1912).....	1440.44	
J. O'Keefe & Company, forage to San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated Jan. 3, 1912).....	1483.80	
Thomas Morton & Son, fuel to San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated December 31, 1912).....		1798.60
D. Demartini, hauling manure, San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated December 30, 1912).....		570.00
The Rincon Publishing Company, printing Municipal Record for month ending December 31, 1911 (claim dated Jan. 8, 1912).....		577.44
School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.		
M. A. Greely, final payment for grading yard at Lafayette School (claim dated Dec. 26, 1911).....	1000.00	
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.		
Authorizing Payment, Water and Light- ing Service and Stationery.		
Resolution No. 9246 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, in payment to the hereinafter named claim- ants for supplies furnished, to wit:		
Dec. 28, 1911—Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished through fire hydrants during the month of Decem- ber, 1911.....		\$10,921.00
Dec. 28, 1911—Schwabacher- Frey Stationery Co., for 61 real estate rolls fur- nished the Assessor.....		627 69
Dec. 31, 1911—Pacific Gas and Electric Co., gas and electricity supplied for streets and public build- ings during the month of December, 1911.....		34,630.95
Jan. 2, 1911—Brown & Pow- er, Stationery Co., vehicle tags furnished to the Auditor.....		855.00
Total.....		\$47,034.64
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.		
Authorization, Land, Starr King School.		
Resolution No. 9247 (New Series), Authorization, \$14,500.00, out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, in payment to Margaret Hayden. Catherine Barrett and Cornelius Lynch (claim dated December 20, 1911), as purchase price, under the terms of Resolution No. 9090 (New Series), of land at the southeasterly corner of		

Twenty-fifth and Utah streets, 125 feet by 100 feet, being portion of Potrero Nuevo Block No. 85, required as additional ground for the Starr King School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Authorizing Payment, Reports and Pro-
fessional Services, Filtration etc. of San
Joaquin, Sacramento and Tuolumne
Rivers.

Resolution No. 9248 (New Se-
ries), Authorization, \$6,894.55, out of
the "Water Construction Fund," bond
issue of July 1, 1911, in payment to
Hazen & Whipple (claim dated Decem-
ber 30, 1911), for professional services
and expenses in connection with the
filtration of the San Joaquin and Sacra-
mento rivers and the quality of the
Tuolumne river water, and reports upon
said matters.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Authorizing Payment, Sewer Work.

Resolution No. 9249 (New Se-
ries), Authorizing an expenditure of
\$719.12 to be made out of the "Fire
Protection Account" of the Public
Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in
payment to Healy-Tibbitts Construc-
tion Co. (claim dated December 22,
1911), for work done in excess of con-
tract on the construction of Section
"A" of the Intake Tunnel for the
Townsend Street Pumping Station of
the Auxiliary Water Supply System
for Fire Protection, in accordance with
recommendation of the City Engineer.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9250 (New Series).

Resolved, That the following sums
be and they are hereby set aside, ap-
propriated and authorized to be ex-
pended out of the hereinafter men-
tioned funds for the following purposes,
to-wit:

Board of Health.

Sanitation purposes, January, 1912.
Appropriation out of item of
special sanitation for contin-
uance of sanitary measures. \$1,350.00

Public Buildings Committee.

Moving and equipping depart-
ments, Hall of Justice, ap-

propriation out of Urgent
Necessities Fund 5,000.00

Board of Public Works.

For installing lighting system,
Engine House No. 43, ap-
propriation of unexpended
balance in fund provided
for construction of Engine
House No. 42..... 275.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 9251 (New Series),
Granting permission, revocable at will
of the Board of Supervisors, to John
Lirati & Co., to erect and maintain a
boiler of eight horsepower, in premises
situate at the south side of Lombard
street, 100 feet west of Divisadero
street, same to be used for heating
water for bottling works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Resolution No. 9252 (New Series),
Granting permission, revocable at
will of the Board of Supervisors, to
Andrea Malatesta, to erect and main-
tain a boiler of ten horsepower in prem-
ises situate at No. 1450 Grant avenue,
the same to be used for furnishing
power for creamery.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Resolution No. 9253 (New Se-
ries), Granting permission, revocable
at will of the Board of Supervisors, to
L. Laustan to erect and maintain a
boiler of twenty-five horsepower in
premises situate at No. 3564 Sacra-
mento street, the same to be used for
furnishing heat for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. 9254 (New Series),
Granting Mrs. Alexander Conden per-
mission to erect and maintain engine
and boiler in premises at northeast
corner of Geary street and Arguello
boulevard to be used for laundry pur-
poses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,

Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Laundry and Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. 9255 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Laurent Ray to conduct a laundry and to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of five horsepower in premises situate at No. 329 Noe street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 9256 (New Series), Granting the City and County of San Francisco permission to store and use crude oil in the Lowell High School building, Hayes street, west of Masonic avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 9257 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Edward Rolkin to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons capacity in premises situate on the west side of Sixth street, 150 feet north of Folsom street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Resolution No. 9258 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Andrew Rudgear to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons capacity, in premises situate at south side of Bush street, 137 feet 6 inches east of Stockton street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Resolution No. 9259 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to

Jacob Schwartz to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1900 gallons capacity in premises situate at the north side of Turk street 137 feet 6 inches west of Mason street for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Laundry Permit.

Resolution No. 9260 (New Series), Granting L. Estacalla permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a laundry in premises situate at west line of Ninth avenue, 125 feet north of Irving street, in strict accordance with the fire and sanitary laws and regulations of the Board of Health and Fire Department.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Ordering Construction of Pumping Station No. 2, Auxiliary Water Supply System, at Fort Mason.

Bill No. 1972, Ordinance No. 1771 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of Pumping Station No. 2 of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection, to be located on Fort Mason Military Reservation, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contracts for the doing of said work, and to expend a sum not to exceed three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars out of the "Fire Protection Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, in the construction and equipment of said pumping station; and authorizing progressive payments to be made on said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Recommended.

The following Resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Cagli-
eri re-
committed to Public Health Committee:

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. — (New Series).
Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors,

and in accordance with provisions of sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and the same is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to wit:

Joseph Blum, 212 Silliman street, for one horse.

Alexander Bond, northeast line of Eleventh street, 75 feet northwest of Natoma street, for thirty horses.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9261 (New Series). Granting the following extensions of time on public contracts in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed December 22, 1911, to-wit:

W. P. Fuller & Co., ninety days' time from and after January 13, 1912, to complete the glazing work at San Francisco Hospital.

R. M. Lean, ninety days' time from January 13, 1912, to complete the interior concrete and cement flooring in the main group San Francisco Hospital.

These extensions are recommended for the reason that materials could not be installed until other contractors have completed their work; and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution be and the same is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Changing Name of Coolidge Place to Wall Place.

Bill No. 1978, Ordinance No. 1772 (New Series), Changing the name of Coolidge place to Wall place.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Establishing Grades, Lilac Street.

Bill No. 1979, Ordinance No. 1773 (New Series), Establishing grades at certain points on Lilac street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Action Deferred.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher *laid over one week*:

Changing Grades, Leavenworth Street.

Bill No. 1980, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Leavenworth street, between Francisco and Chestnut streets.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Full Acceptance, Church Street.

Bill No. 1981, Ordinance No. 1774 (New Series). Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Church street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 1982, Ordinance No. 1775 (New Series). Providing for the conditional acceptance of the roadway of O'Farrell street, between Broderick street and St. Joseph's avenue; Grove street, between Ashbury and Clayton streets; Clayton street, between Grove and Fulton streets; Seventeenth avenue, between Geary and Clement streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Pipe Line Permit, Miller & Lux.

Resolution No. 9262 (New Series), Granting Miller & Lux Inc., permission to lay and maintain a four-inch pipe line in and along the streets of the City and County of San Francisco as follows: From the plant of the California Tallow Works, situate on Evans avenue, between Keith avenue and Lane street, to its property on Evans avenue, between Newhall street and Railroad avenue; also to lay and maintain a four-inch pipe line from the plant of Roth, Blum & Company, situate at the corner of Fairfax avenue and Mendell street, to its said property on Evans avenue, between Newhall street and Railroad avenue, said pipe line to be used for the purpose of conducting tankage from the plants of said California Tallow Works and said Roth, Blum & Company to the abattoir of said Miller & Lux Inc.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari,

eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$145,324.06 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 10,601 to 11,085, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to-wit:

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund Bond Issue 1908.

Wm. S. Snook & Son, second payment, plumbing, Spring Valley School (claim dated January 9, 1912)..... \$1,297.50

Wm. S. Snook & Son, second payment, plumbing, Franklin Grammar School (claim dated January 9, 1912).... 1,324.50

Caldwell & Company, final payment, general construction, Spring Valley School (claim dated December 27, 1911) 15,972.75

Hansbrough Brothers, grading and back-filling, Garfield Primary School (claim dated January 5, 1912).... 543.00

Abrahamson & DeGear, Inc., second payment, heating and ventilating John Swett Grammar School (claim dated January 16, 1912).. 960.00

Kiernan & O'Brien, second payment, plumbing, Lin-

coln School (claim dated January 11, 1912)..... 1,345.50
Appropriation, Investigating Water Supply, Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

John F. Freeman, Consulting Engineer's services (claim dated January 13, 1912).... 4,106.05

John F. Freeman, Consulting Engineer's services (claim dated January 13, 1912).... 5,773.19

General Fund 1911-12.

Ahlbach & Mayer, plumbing and supplies, Jackson Park Playgrounds (claim dated January 11, 1912)..... 1,559.00

Heckenreth & Schell, general construction, Jackson Park Field House (claim dated December 27, 1912)..... 3,419.00

Spring Valley Water Company, water, public buildings, November 20 to December 20, 1911, (claim dated December 28, 1911)... 1,666.66

The de Lisle Realty Company, agents, rentals, Hewes Building, January, 1912 (claim dated January 15, 1912) 1,703.00

G. H. Umben & Company, rentals, Grant Building, January, 1912 (claim dated January 15, 1912) 1,450.00

H. Lehrke Sons, groceries and supplies, Relief Home (claim dated December 29, 1911) 3,010.61

H. Lehrke Sons, groceries and supplies, City and County Hospital (claim dated December 29, 1911).. 691.13

Sherry-Freitas Company Inc., groceries and supplies, City and County Hospital (claim dated January 3, 1912).... 1,690.80

Herbert F. Dugan, drug sundries, City and County Hospital (claim dated December 21, 1911) 637.97

Miller & Lux, Incorporated, meats, etc., City and County Hospital (claim dated December 30, 1911)..... 854.30

Peter Cauba, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated December 31, 1911)... 1,027.65

R. A. Crothers, official advertising "Bulletin" (claim dated January 13, 1912)... 739.14

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, seventh progress payment, Mission viaduct (claim dated January 5, 1912) 12,515.80

The Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Company, assignee Keystone Construction Company, seventh progress payment, Mission via-

duct (claim dated January 11, 1912)	5,980.92
Kiernan & O'Brien, third payment, plumbing, construction Seventh Street Fire House (claim dated December 15, 1912)	555.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Federal Construction Company, assignee of Metropolis Construction Company, ninth progress payment, Section "F" North Point main sewer (claim dated January 11, 1912)	2,668.57
Southern Pacific Company, freight on pipe, Ingleside sewer (claim dated January 3, 1912)	1,087.89
The Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Company, assignee Keystone Construction Company, tenth progress payment, sewer work, Mission street between Silver and Bosworth (claim dated January 10, 1912) ...	1,930.50
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, fourth progress payment, Section "D-2," North Point main sewer (claim dated January 5, 1912)	14,089.50
<i>Hall of Justice and County Jail Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Wm. Bateman Jr., second payment, interior finish, City and County Jail (claim dated December 28, 1911)	2,499.00
Adams & Hollopeter, first payment, lighting fixtures, Hall of Justice (claim dated January 10, 1912) ..	3,750.00
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Ajax Brass & Iron Works, eighth payment, manhole frames, etc. (claim dated January 13, 1912)	2,819.31
Enterprise Foundry Company, nineteenth payment, cast-iron specials, etc. (claim dated January 13, 1912) ..	1,195.90
Ajax Brass & Foundry Company, final payment, cast-iron manhole frames, etc. (claim dated January 13, 1912)	946.00
Michael Murphy, second payment, Auxillary Water Supply System, Section 4 (claim dated)	2,615.09
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue 1910.</i>	
Wm. S. Snook, first payment, plumbing, Polytechnic	

School Shop (claim dated January 10, 1912)..... 3,450.00
 Providing \$60,000 for Cleaning Streets and Cleaning and Repairing Sewers During the Month of February, 1912.

Also, Resolution, providing \$60,000 to be expended out of the item in the Budget "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for construction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings," to enable the Board of Public Works to pave and repair streets during the month of February, 1912, at such places and in such manner as may be agreed upon by the Board of Public Works and directed by the Committee on Streets and Sewers of this Board.

Amendment.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved to amend by striking out words "directed to" and insert words "agreed upon by the Board of Public Works" and after the word "be" in the next line from the last in above resolution.

Passed For Printing.

Whereupon above resolution, as amended, was *passed for printing*:

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Providing \$2500, Retainer Fee, Bion J. Arnold.

Also, Resolution, providing \$2500.00 to be expended out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of paying Bion J. Arnold, transportation expert, retainer as provided in Resolution No. 8482.

Providing \$1000 to Enable Board of Public Works to Pay Consulting Engineers Engaged to Examine Steel Frames of Buildings.

Also, Resolution, providing \$1000.00 to be expended out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to remunerate consulting engineers it may deem necessary to engage for the examination of steel frames of buildings. in the event of a difference of opinion arising on work of this character.

Providing \$600 to Enable Board of Health to Purchase Two Horses Required For Ambulance Service, City and County Hospital.

Also, Resolution, providing \$600 to be expended out of the budget appropriation for Board of Health for fiscal year 1911-12, to enable the Board of Public Health to purchase two horses required for use in the ambulance service of the City and County Hospital.

Authorizing City Attorney to Appoint Stenographer-Typewriter.

Also, Bill No. 1983, Authorizing the appointment by the City Attorney of a stenographer-typewriter, and fixing the compensation of said stenographer-typewriter.

Engine and Boiler and Oil Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution granting the following revocable permits:

Johnson Brothers Inc., storage tank of 500 gallons, at south side of Sacramento street, 100 feet west of Fillmore street.

Gene Bedecarrats, storage tank of 1500 gallons, at No. 1212 Divisadero street.

J. L. Mesquita, storage tank of 1500 gallons, at south side of Geary street, 40 feet east of Twenty-sixth avenue.

Mrs. J. Pomeroy, storage tank of 1500 gallons, southeast corner of Turk and Larkin streets.

Look Tin Eli and Lew Hing, storage tank of 1500 gallons, at north side of Clay street 150 feet east of Stockton street.

Gene Bedecarrats, engine and boiler of ten horsepower, at No. 1212 Divisadero street.

Laundry Permit.

Also, Resolution, granting A. B. Cozet a laundry permit at No. 351 Fifth street, in accordance with the sanitary and fire laws and regulations.

Extension of Time.

Also, Resolution, granting the Compressed Air Machinery Company an extension of sixty days from December 14, 1911, on its contract for furnishing, testing and delivering valves, pipes and fittings for the tank of the Auxiliary Water System at Ashbury Heights. The advisability of altering the arrangements of the pipes, valves and fittings caused the work to be suspended by the Board of Public Works. The advertising fee for printing this Resolution is hereby remitted.

Amending Tunnel Ordinance Relative to Assessment of Acreage Property and City Lands.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy: Bill No. 1984, Amending Section No. 6 and Section No. 33 of Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the method by and under which tunnels and appurtenances thereto may be constructed within the City and County of San Francisco and for the assessment of the costs and damages thereof upon private property benefited thereby", approved September 6, 1911, the provisions of which permit the Board of Public Works to subdivide acreage properties in outlying districts for purposes of assessment

for tunnel construction, also relating to assessment of city lands for same purpose.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Professional Boxing Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 19.

Resolved, That the following named be and are hereby granted permission to hold professional boxing contests during the months hereinafter stipulated, provided said exhibitions are conducted in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 624 of the Board of Supervisors, to-wit:

Shasta Club, during the month of January, 1912.

Humboldt Athletic Club, during the month of February, 1912.

The Tuxedo Athletic Club, during the month of March, 1912.

Canal Club, during the month of April, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Explanation of Votes.

Supervisor Mauzy explained his vote by saying that he was opposed to anything in the prize fight line, but that he would vote in this matter to sustain the committee.

Supervisor Caglieri stated that while he did not favor the Canal Club he voted with the committee in the interest of harmony.

Amateur Boxing Permit.

J. R. No. 20.

Also, Resolved, That the Columbia Athletic Club be and is hereby granted permission to hold an amateur boxing exhibition at its club rooms and gymnasium, No. 474 Castro street, January 23, 1912, provided said exhibition is conducted in accordance with provisions of Ordinance No. 624 of the Board of Supervisors, without payment of any license fee, as provided by Section 12 of said Ordinance No. 624.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Masquerade Ball Permits.

J. R. No. 21.

Also, Resolved, That the following named be and are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of

the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to-wit:

Britannia Lodge No. 7. Daughters of St. George, at Knights of Pythias Hall, Valencia and Herman streets, February 6, 1912.

Golden Gate Circle No. 11, U. A. O. D., Polito Hall, 3265 Sixteenth street, February 17, 1912.

Swedish Relief Society, at San Francisco Turn Verein Hall, 2416 Sutter street, February 17, 1912.

Verein Deutsche Forster, at Brewery Workers' Hall, 177 Capp street, January 20, 1912.

White Eagle Tribe No. 72, Improved Order of Red Men, at Maribund Hall, Potrero avenue and Twenty-fourth street, February 17, 1912.

Lady Lovat Lodge, Clan Fraser No. 78, at Maple Hall, California and Polk streets, February 14, 1912.

Western Addition Club, at Western Addition Hall, 2226 Fillmore street, February 17, 1912.

Willopi Tribe No. 133, Imp. O. R. M., at Willopi Hall, Twenty-fourth and Castro streets, January 27, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Board of Fire Commissioners to Transfer Condemned Horses to Relief Home and City and County Hospital.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: J. R. No. 22.

Resolved, That the Board of Fire Commissioners be and are hereby requested to transfer five condemned and unused horses to the Relief Home, and four (4) condemned and unused horses to the City and County Hospital.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolved, That Rudgear-Merle Company be and is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after December 24, 1911, within which to complete its contract for interior ornamental iron work for the Hall of Justice Building, for the reason that the transportation of hardware was delayed by the railroad strike.

Recommitted.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on his motion ordered *recommitted to Streets Committee*:

Sustaining Protest of Property Owners Against Change of Grade on San Bruno Avenue and Other Streets.

Resolved, That the protest of property owners against the change of grades on San Bruno avenue between the northerly line of Silliman street and the southerly line of Felton street, and on Silliman and Felton streets between San Bruno avenue and Girard street, be and the same is hereby sustained; further

Resolved, That Resolution of Intention No. 8913 be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Extensions of Time.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Also, Resolved, That L. H. Westdahl be and he is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after January 11, 1912, within which to complete contract for paving Corbett avenue between Ord and Seventeenth streets.

This extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was not allowed to proceed with the work on account of proposed grade changes in this street.

The advertising fee for printing this Resolution is hereby remitted.

Also, Resolved, That Willett & Burr, assignees of Foster & Vogt, be and are hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after December 25, 1911, within which to complete the contract for street and other improvements in Beale street from Folsom to Bryant streets.

This extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that it is the intention of said Board to modify the plans for the construction of the bridge that will carry Harrison street across Beale street.

The advertising fee for printing this Resolution is hereby remitted.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

Also, Resolution No. 9263 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Coso avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Also, Resolution No. 9264 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Elsie street, Aztec street, Coso avenue and Esmeralda avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Changing Grades.

Also, Bill No. 1986, Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Palou avenue between Jennings and Keith streets.

Also, Bill No. 1987, Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Geary street, between the easterly line of Lyon street produced and a line parallel with and 68 feet westerly from the westerly line of said Lyon street.

Also, Bill No. 1988, Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Geary street, on Presidio avenue, on Josephine street and on Masonic avenue.

Also, Bill No. 1989, Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Nineteenth avenue.

Also, Bill No. 1990, Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Castro street, between the northerly line of Henry street and Fifteenth street, and on Henry street, between Noe street and the westerly line of Castro street.

Also, Bill No. 1991, Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Seventeenth avenue, crossing of Lake street, and on Seventeenth street, 245 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lake street.

Fixing Width of Sidewalks.

Also, Bill No. 1992, Fixing width of sidewalks on Quesada avenue, between Islais Creek and Water Front street, shall be fifteen (15) feet.

Also, Bill No. 1993, Fixing width of sidewalks on Cornwall street, between First avenue and Sixth avenue,

shall be fifteen (15) feet, and on West Clay street, between its easterly termination and the westerly line of Twenty-seventh avenue, shall be fifteen (15) feet.

Also, Bill No. 1994, Fixing width of sidewalks on Wolfe street, between Franconia avenue and Isabel street, shall be eight (8) feet.

Recommitted.

The following matter was introduced and on motion of Supervisor Gallagher *laid over two weeks*:

Establishing Grades.

Also, Bill No. 1995, Establishing grades on San Bruno avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, and on Twenty-first street, between Vermont street and San Bruno avenue.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Also, Bill No. 1996, Establishing grades at certain points on Eighteenth avenue.

Full Acceptance, Streets.

Also, Bill No. 1997, Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of the northerly and southerly intersections of Cortland avenue and Andover street; crossing of Castro and Fourteenth streets; crossing of Irving street and Eighteenth avenue; crossing of Douglass and Twenty-third streets; Twenty-fourth street, between Kansas and Rhode Island streets; Illinois street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets; crossing of Kansas and Twenty-third streets.

Conditional Acceptance, Streets.

Also, Bill No. 1998, Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Reservoir street, between Church and Market streets; crossing of Thirteenth avenue and Kirkham street; Illinois street, from El Dorado street to the southerly line of Sixteenth street.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Supplies Committee to Contract For Repair and Repainting of Supervisors' Automobile and Other City Machines.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:
J. R. 23.

Resolved, That the Supply Committee be and it is hereby authorized to contract for the necessary repairs to the Peerless car used by the Board of Supervisors, and to have it repainted in accordance with the recommendation of the Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service and requesting that the several departments controlling automobiles refrain from having the

same repainted until this Board can determine the policy to be pursued in respect thereto.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Demands Approved by Supplies Committee to be Promptly Audited by Finance Committee.

J. R. No. 24.

Also, Resolved, That the various departments be informed that the Finance Committee will expedite the auditing of such demands as have been approved by the Supplies Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Mayor to Sell Condemned Horses of Police Department.

J. R. No. 25.

Also, Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to sell at public auction seven (7) condemned and unused horses of the Police Department.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Printing of City Stationery.

J. R. No. 26.

Also, Resolved, That the several departments be requested to confine all printed matter on their correspondence paper to the words "City and County of San Francisco" and the name of the office or department using the same, and the Committee on Supplies is directed not to approve any requisition for stationery unless the same complies with the provisions of this Resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Action Deferred.

The following Bill was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Murdock *laid over one week*:

Providing For the Issuance of Permits and Requiring Fee Therefor.

On motion of Supervisor Murdock: Bill No. 1999, Providing the method of issuance of permits that are required to be granted by the Board of

Supervisors by various ordinances of the City and County, and requiring a fee to be paid by the applicants for such permits.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

The Clerk presented and read the following:

Relative to the Acquisition of the Properties of the Spring Valley Water Company.

January 22, 1912.

Mr. J. S. Dunnigan, Clerk, Board of Supervisors, City—Dear Sir: Enclosed herewith please find copy of telegram just received from Dillon, Thompson and Clay, relating to the Ordinances for the acquisition of the Spring Valley properties, also form of declaratory ordinance, as suggested by them.

As this ordinance is in some respects different from that which has been introduced and which is now pending for consideration before the Public Utilities Committee, I believe that action thereon should be delayed until the return of Judge Lindley so that the question can be thoroughly considered before the declaratory ordinance is finally adopted.

Yours truly,

PERCY V. LONG,
City Attorney.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher, under suspension of the rules, and *adopted*:

Requesting Police Commissioners to Strictly Enforce Law Relative to Sale of Intoxicating Liquors to Minors, or Drunken Men and Women.

J. R. No. 27.

Whereas, the Board of Police Commissioners on October 30, 1906, adopted the following Resolution:

Resolved, That this Commission will revoke the permit of any person to sell spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors, who shall sell any of said intoxicants to minors or drunken men and women.

Resolved, That the Chief of Police of the City and County of San Francisco report to this Commission the name of any and all persons selling said intoxicants to minors or drunken men and women.

Now, therefore, Resolved, That the attention of the Board of Police Commissioners is called to the foregoing resolution, and that the strict enforcement thereof be requested.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Board of Public Works to Remove Horse Shoeing Shop on Steuart Street and Planks on Concrete Sidewalk on Guerrero Street.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to remove a building situate on the west side of Steuart street, between Folsom and Harrison streets, now used as a horse shoeing shop; also to remove planks placed over the concrete sidewalk on Guerrero street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.

Amendment.

Supervisor Murdock moved to amend by striking out the word "directed" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "requested."

Motion carried.

Amendment.

Supervisor Payot moved to amend by providing for the fixing of the sidewalk in front of the Hellman Building on Market street.

Motion carried.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above Resolution, amended as follows, was *adopted* by the following vote:

J. R. No. 28.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to remove a building situate on the west side of Steuart street, between Folsom and Harrison streets, now used as a horse shoeing shop; also to remove planks placed over concrete sidewalk on Guerrero street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, and to fix sidewalk in front of Hellman Building on Market street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher and on motion ordered *referred to the Judiciary Committee*:

Amending Ordinance No. 624, Regulating Boxing Exhibitions.

Bill No. 2000, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Sections 4 and 11 of Ordinance No. 624, to provide for licensing boxing and sparring exhibitions and regulating the same," approved January 9, 1903.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland, under suspension of the rules, and *adopted*:

Clerk to Receive Bids for Repair and Repainting of Supervisors' Automobile.

J. R. No. 29.

Resolved, That the Clerk, under direction of the Chairman of the Committee on Supplies, receive bids and make a contract for repair of the automobile of the Supervisors and for painting the same, with a view of establishing a standard color for all municipal vehicles.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Referred.

The following matter was introduced by the Clerk and ordered *referred to the Finance Committee*:

Estimate of Cost of Repairing Mayor's Automobile.

Communication—From the H. O. Harrison Company, submitting report on condition of Peerless Automobile used by Mayor, and stating that it will cost approximately \$600 to place same in condition.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Mayor Authorized to Sell Condemned Horses of the Police Department at Auction.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 30.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction seven (7) condemned horses unfitted for further use in the Police Department or any other department of the City and County.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed to Print.

The following was introduced under suspension of the rules and *passed for printing*:

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2001, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following street work, to-wit:

That Bryant street, between Ninth and Tenth streets, be improved by constructing artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width, where artificial

stone or bituminous rock sidewalks of the full official width are not already constructed.

That an eight (8) inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer be constructed along the center line of Alvarado street, between the center and westerly lines of Castro street; and that an eight (8) inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with four (4) Y branches, one (1) brick manhole with castiron frame and cover and galvanized wrought iron steps, and one (1) vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe lamphole with castiron frame and cover be constructed along the center line of Alvarado street from Castro street to a point one hundred and thirty (130) feet westerly therefrom.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted* on motion of Supervisor McCarthy:

Providing \$375 to Meet Necessary Emergency Expenses of Mayor's Office.

J. R. No. 31.

Resolved, That the sum of \$375.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the "Urgent Necessities Fund" for immediate emergency office expenses of his Honor the Mayor.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed to Print.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor McCarthy under suspension of the rules and *passed for printing*:

Providing \$8000 for Construction of Annex to Everett School and for Incidental Expenses.

Resolved, That the sum of \$8000.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the proceeds of the sale of school bonds of the issue of 1904, under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, in the construction of the Annex to the Everett School, together with incidental expenses as follows:

Annex to Everett School.....\$6,989.00
Incidental expenses 1,011.00

Total \$8,000.00

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor McLeran and *referred to Committees on Streets and Public Utilities*:

City Attorney to Advise as to Ownership of Sub-sidewalk Space and City's Power to Lay Conduits, Etc., Therein; Also, as to Ownership of Closed Streets.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the City Attorney be requested to inform this Board:

1. As to whether sub-sidewalk areas belong to the City and are under its control; whether the City can compel in future all pipes and conduits to be laid therein.

2. As to the ownership of land occupied by streets that have been closed, and whether the City can collect rent therefor from persons in possession.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

In Memory of Mother of Supervisor Daniel C. Murphy.

J. R. No. 32.

Resolved, That the sincere sympathy of his fellow members be extended to Supervisor Daniel C. Murphy, on the loss of his beloved mother. When death comes to one who has lived long and well it is recognized as an event beneficent, merciful and in accord with the wisely ordained laws of nature, but no son experiences the sundering of lifelong ties without sharp trial and deep sorrow.

We would have our associate feel that we mourn with him, and through this resolution extend the grasp of friendly hands in expression of respect, regard and loyal fellowship.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Increasing Membership of Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service.

On motion of Supervisor Murdock:

J. R. No. 33.

Resolved, That the Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service be increased to five members and that Supervisors Payot and Murphy be assigned as the additional members.

Sale of Shacks on Jackson School Site.

The following communication was presented by his Honor the Mayor and *read by the Clerk*:

Communication—From the Board of Education, requesting that his Honor the Mayor be authorized and requested to sell at public auction certain shack buildings on the Jackson School site.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

J. R. No. 34.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be authorized and requested to sell at

public auction, in accordance with provisions of the Charter, the certain shack buildings formerly occupied by the Jackson School and located on the following described property, with the exception of the one building located on the westerly line of said property, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Oak street, distant 100 feet easterly from Stanyan street; thence running easterly along Oak street 125 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle westerly 125 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 137 feet 6 inches, to point of commencement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Communications.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Chas. N. Black, General Manager United Railroads, relative to seats for motor men.

Communication—From the Board of Fire Commissioners, transmitting list of new buildings required for fire department purposes, and requesting in the event of a bond issue being made for public improvements, that provision be made to cover requirements of said department.

Communication—From the Board of Fire Commissioners, requesting an appropriation to enable said Board to print a calendar and journal of its proceedings.

Protest—Of B. Hart and Brother, against the blockading of Market and Sansome streets by contractors engaged on street work.

Protest—Of Doernbecher Manufacturing Company, against the impassable condition of Howard street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and requesting relief.

Charter Amendments.

His Honor the Mayor suggested the

advisability of appointment of a Special Committee on Charter Amendments in order to prepare proposed amendments mentioned in his inaugural address, providing for indeterminate street railway franchises, increasing 15 per cent bonding capacity of city and permitting city to employ expert service without requiring one year's residence in San Francisco.

Supervisor Giannini called attention to the fact that it was one of the duties of the Judiciary Committee to prepare Charter amendments.

Supervisor Vogelsang suggested that Mayor embody his views on Charter amendments in a communication to the Judiciary Committee.

Whereupon, his Honor the Mayor requested the Judiciary Committee to give matter its earnest consideration at earliest possible date.

Relative to Engrossing Resolutions in Memory of J. Blain Bocarde.

Supervisor Murdock reported informally that he had printed resolutions in memory of J. Blain Bocarde and sent copies to each member of the family of the deceased. He declared that the work was artistically done and was very acceptable to the family, besides costing only \$10 as against \$100 usually paid for a cumbersome and engrossed set of resolutions as have been prepared on similar occasions.

Whereupon, his Honor the Mayor thanked the members for their good work and discharged the committee.

Shacks in Fire Limits.

Supervisor McLeran called attention to the fact that vacated shacks in the fire limits were being again occupied instead of torn down as required by the ordinance and requested that matter be called to attention of Board of Public Works.

Clerk instructed to communicate with Board of Public Works in regard to the matter.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 4:50 p. m. adjourned.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors January 29, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervision of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, January 29, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of January 22, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Supervisor Bancroft introduced:

Rate of Interest on Civic Center and City Hall Bonds.

Communication—From N. W. Halsey & Co., advising the proposed City Hall and Civic Center bonds should bear 5 per cent interest.

Motion.

Supervisor Murdock moved that the Public Utilities Committee be authorized to fix rate of interest on City Hall, Civic Center and Exposition Bonds at 5 per cent.

Motion *carried* by following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher—1.

Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Nolan—2.

Report of City Engineer on Plans and Estimates for City Hall.

The Clerk presented:

Report—Of City Engineer Marsden Manson on plans and estimates of proposed new City Hall.

Ordered *referred* to *Public Buildings Committee*:

Fire Protection, Exposition Grounds.

His Honor the Mayor presented the following telegram:

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 27, 1912.

Mr. William H. Crocker, Crocker National Bank, San Francisco:

Beg to suggest that buildings and grounds committee of Exposition take immediate steps to secure enactment and prompt enforcement of necessary suitable fire limit ordinances by Board of Supervisors to prevent erection or maintenance of shacks and other unsightly or undesirable structures around or near exposition grounds. Please enlist Mayor Rolph's co-operation.

CHAS. C. MOORE.

Ordered *referred* to *Exposition Committee*.

Report of Finance Committee on Investigation of City's Finances.

His Honor the Mayor presented the following report filed with him by the Finance Committee:

To the Honorable James Rolph Jr., Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco—Sir: Acting under the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 2, Article II of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors has for the past three weeks conducted an examination into the finances of the city. The scope of the investigation has of necessity been limited, first, because of the short time at our disposal and the immense field to be covered, and, secondly, because we believe that whatever our inquiry may have disclosed should be laid before you at the earliest possible moment, so that the administration may immediately rectify as far as it can the mistakes of the past and proceed without delay to the constructive work of the future.

In a general way, then, we have looked into the finances of the Fire Department, where, within the last two years, without any particular reason, we find enormous increases in the pay rolls of both the corporation yard and the stables; into the finances of the Department of Electricity, where not alone are there immense increases, but money has been wilfully diverted from the maintenance fund to pay additional and, we believe, unnecessary help;

into the finances of both the Department of Health and the Department of Education, where the same situation in regard to unnecessary employees seems to exist. When we inform you that we are now facing a deficit in the general fund of approximately \$200,000, which must be considerably increased by the cost of the several elections soon to be held, your honor will appreciate the vital necessity of immediately urging and insisting upon the co-operation of the various commissions, so that the city's finances may be conserved wherever possible without injury to the public good.

From a financial standpoint, at least, the most important department of our government is the Board of Public Works. We could not scrutinize as carefully as we would have liked all of the various works coming under the jurisdiction of the Board; but we felt that the most important task intrusted to its care was the construction of an auxiliary water supply system for fire protection, and that an investigation of this would determine the management efficiency and the constructive and financial ability of those in charge of this work.

However, before taking up the salt water system, as a result of a brief investigation into other matters we have arrived at the following conclusions: We believe that the work on public buildings, including the Hall of Justice, the County Jail and the various school buildings contemplated under the different bond issues, has been seriously retarded by the numerous extensions of time granted contractors without the enforcement of the penalties provided, and the costly, extravagant and unnecessary system of inspection now maintained. We believe that the same situation regarding inspection applies to the sewer construction as well.

Such portions of the Geary Street Railroad as are now under way, from reliable information, have been constructed at an enormous cost, accounted for, to some extent, by the fact that this work was taken out of the City Engineer's department in direct violation of Section 2, Article VI, Chapter 1, of the Charter, and a separate engineering department created.

The auxiliary water supply system as originally outlined in an exhaustive report submitted by the City Engineer in March, 1908, was to have cost \$5,200,000. (See reports of Auxiliary Water Supply System, pp. 14 and 30.) This amount the then chief assistant engineer testified under oath was ample to have completed the system. We are herewith attaching a report of the City Engineer, submitted under date of January 23, 1912, wherein you will note the "estimated cost to com-

plete all the work contemplated in the bond issue" is now \$6,027,590.46. This is best shown by the following figures:

<i>Report of City Engineer, 1912.</i>	
Complete system estimated in 1912	\$6,027,590.46
Probable amount available, including estimated premiums	5,748,000.00
	<hr/> \$279,590.46
Less sum recoverable from bondsmen of bankrupt contractors	80,000.00

Apparent deficit	\$ 199,590.46
<i>Report of Finance Committee Expert.</i>	
Complete system, estimated 1912	\$6,027,590.46
Estimate of 1908	5,200,000.00
	<hr/> \$827,590.46

Elimination of fresh water pumping station	\$109,000.00
(See report B. of W. June 30, 1909, p. 15.)	
Substitution of tank for concrete reservoir, Jones st.	35,000.00
Elimination of 11 miles of pipe at \$14,000 per mile. (See report B. of W., June 30, 1909, p. 13.)	154,000.00
	<hr/> \$1,125,590.46
Premium on bonds sold and to be sold, estimate....	548,867.90

Apparent deficit	\$576,722.56
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You will observe that, in the report of our expert, no allowance has been made for the admitted saving of about \$585,000 on pipe, etc., nor for the additional pipe necessary to complete the system, but on the contrary we have credited the gross deficit with the entire premium.

If you consider the admitted saving and the premiums with the elimination from the original system the apparent difference between the estimate of 1908 and 1912 is \$1,710,590.46. Allowing, however, only for the deficit admitted by the City Engineer it is evident at once that a new bond issue must be available to complete the system, and even then, as originally planned, it will never be built.

Three reasons are advanced for this deficit by the Board of Public Works. First, the advanced cost of labor; second, the preference given home industry, and, third, the extensions of time granted to contractors.

While it is undoubtedly true that labor costs have advanced, it is equally true that such contingencies are provided for in making estimates. (See Report on Auxiliary Water Supply System, page 105.) Further, any marked

increase in wages should be compensated to some extent at least by the fact that the employment then becomes attractive to a more desirable and better class of help. Home industry only asks for legitimate discrimination where the amount involved is within reason, but cannot expect any preference where the difference is so great as to seriously affect the completion of the project. We doubt that home industry is responsible for the amount charged to it, but, even so, the direct responsibility rests with the Board of Public Works. Finally, every extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, and while delays should not be encouraged, each contract provides a penalty which, if enforced, would more than compensate for the delay.

The people of San Francisco were promised that within the space of two years and a half an auxiliary water supply system would be provided at a cost of \$5,200,000. Over three years have elapsed and apparently this is now impossible.

With this condition before us and having in mind the important constructive work to be done by this administration and by this department, we are of the firm conviction that public interest demands and that you should insist upon a higher grade of efficiency and a more rigid economical administration of the Board of Public Works and of its various branches.

W. H. McCARTHY, Chairman.
DANIEL C. MURPHY.

Communication from Supervisor A. T. Vogelsang Relative to Above Matter.

January 29, 1912.

Honorable James Rolph Jr., Mayor of San Francisco—Dear Sir: The report of the investigations of the Finance Committee was presented to me just before noon today and I have had less than an hour to consider it.

I concur in many of its findings, but am not ready to indorse the conclusions as to the cost of the auxiliary water supply system until after Engineers Ransome and Hunt, who have had charge of this work, shall have been heard. Both these gentlemen have asked the privilege of testifying and I believe it is only right that a hearing be given them. After such hearing I have no doubt that I should then join my colleagues in any report warranted by the testimony. Yours faithfully.

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG.

The subject matter was discussed generally by the Board of Supervisors and his Honor the Mayor who said that as the matter was now in his hands, and that he would make fur-

ther inquiry and deal fairly with everybody concerned.

Supervisor McCarthy, acting chairman of the Finance Committee, stated that the investigation had been conducted without ulterior motives for the sole purpose of obtaining a true statement of the condition of the city's finances and for no other purpose.

Motion

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved that the Finance Committee grant a public hearing to Engineers Ransome and Hunt and that it be the sense of the Board that the final report of the Finance Committee be sent to each member of the Board.

(Motion subsequently withdrawn.)

Relative to Conference of Bay Cities in Matter of Purchase of Plant of Home Telephone Company.

The Clerk presented:

Communication—From his Honor, the Mayor, transmitting request of J. Stitt Wilson, Mayor of Berkeley, for conference of committees from bay cities in the matter of the purchase of the plant of the Home Telephone Company.

Ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee, and also ordered that the Committee on Public Utilities and Publicity and Interurban Relations be requested to sit with the Public Utilities Committee in the consideration of this and related matters.

(Clerk instructed to notify Mayors of Berkeley and Oakland of meeting of Public Utilities Committee on Wednesday, at 2 p. m.)

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Efficiency and Civil Service Committee—Chas. Murdock, Chairman.

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Hospital and Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Judiciary Committee—Daniel C. Murphy, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—Alex. T. Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Special Report of Finance Committee on Moving Departments to Temporary City Hall.

The following report of the Building Committee was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft, and referred to the Finance Committee:

Special Report of Public Buildings Committee to the Board of Supervisors.

San Francisco, January 26, 1912.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Public Buildings, after having conducted an investigation since January 9, 1912, in regard to the adequacy of the quarters provided for the various departments which are expected to be moved into the Temporary City Hall, and in regard to the expenses of moving said departments, and in regard to the expenses of maintaining and operating said Temporary City Hall, begs to report as follows:

Many of the departments of the City complain of the inadequacy of the quarters provided for them. Of the nine Superior Civil Judges, seven object to moving into the Temporary City Hall, stating that the rooms set aside for them are not suitable or adequate; that the light is not good, and that the posts in the courtrooms are of serious objection. Two of the judges report themselves as willing either to move or to remain in the Grant building, according to the wishes of the Board of Supervisors.

The principal objection to the quarters assigned to the Board of Supervisors is the fact that the posts in the main assembly room will be of serious inconvenience.

Supervisor Payot stated before your Committee, that the Board of Education is much better housed in its present quarters than it will be in the Temporary City Hall.

Your Committee, upon investigation and upon report of Health Officer Brodick and of Superintendent of Public Buildings John Burns, finds the quarters provided for the Board of Health in the Temporary City Hall are entirely inadequate, and that the cost of moving and of installing said department for a period of three years would be prohibitive. Therefore, the City will in any event have to continue paying rent for the quarters now occupied by the Board of Health.

Other departments have reported lesser objections.

Rentals and Expenses.

The monthly rentals paid by the City before moving any of its departments to the Temporary City Hall were as follows:

Assessor and Tax Collector
(McAllister St. Quarters).. \$400.00

Hibernia Bank Bldg. (County Clerk)	648.00
Grant Bldg. (Including District Attorney)	2,335.00
Board of Health	330.00
Mayor's offices (Crocker Building)	225.00
Hewes Building (including Grand Jury)	1,861.80

Total\$5,799.80

The District Attorney and the Grand Jury will move to the Hall of Justice. The rentals paid for these departments (which are included in the above statement) will be approximately offset by the rental paid for the space now occupied by the Board of Supervisors (which is not included) as shown below:

District Attorney	\$125.00
Grand Jury	58.50

\$183.50

Offset by Supervisors\$183.50

The owners of the Grant Building have agreed to reduce their rentals \$623 per month, providing the City remains. The owner of the building now occupied by the Board of Health offers a reduction of \$30 per month. These figures show the comparative rents to be as follows:

Rents before moving...	\$5,799.80
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Grant Building will reduce rent	\$623
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Board of Health Building will reduce rent. 30	653.00
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Total rent if City remains in old quarters	\$5,146.80
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Rent of Temporary City Hall...	\$5,250.00
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Rent of Board of Health Bldg.	300.00
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Estimated Additional Monthly Expenses, Providing City Moves to Temporary City Hall.

Two additional telephone operators at \$75	\$ 150.00
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Two additional watchmen at \$80	160.00
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Six elevator men at \$80.....	480.00
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Power for four 40 H. P. elevators	160.00
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Repairs and maintenance of elevators	60.00
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Heating, ventilating and vacuum plants	530.00
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Janitor service, supplies, electric light, gas, electric lamps and water furnished City in the following buildings:

Grant Building (exclusive of District Attorney)	513.00
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Hewes Building	470.00
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Hibernia Bank, above first floor	210.00
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Crocker Building	50.00
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Rent and increased expenses of Temporary City Hall\$8,333.00

Deducting from the above \$5146.80

(the monthly rental if City remains in old quarters) shows a total monthly loss to the City by taking over the Temporary City Hall, of \$3186.20.

The above statement does not include general repairs, which, after the first year, will probably amount to several hundred dollars per month.

Your Committee has labored for nearly three weeks, trying to arrive at an accurate estimate of how much it will cost to move the various departments of the City into the Temporary City Hall. The owners of the building are compelled, under the lease, to do the actual moving, but are not compelled to build new fixtures or repair or paint same, or to supply new furniture, carpets, etc. As near as is possible to ascertain at the present time, the expense that the City will be put to in doing this work will be not less than \$38,000, nor more than \$50,000 in addition to \$11,000 or \$12,000 for moving departments already installed on the ground floor of the Temporary City Hall. These figures show that if the City moves into the Temporary City Hall, and remains there for three years, the cost to the City in increased rents, operating expenses and moving expenses for such a period, will be from \$152,000 to \$164,000 more than if the City is able to remain in its present quarters.

Your Committee requested Mr. James Otis, representing the owners of the Temporary City Hall, to state at what figure he would terminate the lease. Mr. Otis stated to your Committee that he could not consider an offer of less than \$150,000.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL BANCROFT,
GEO. E. GALLAGHER,
R. McLERAN.

Relative to Construction of Portion of State Highway Between San Francisco and San Jose.

Supervisor Hayden, Chairman of the Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations, reported verbally that the representatives of the Board of Supervisors had met with the State Highway Commission in Sacramento on Thursday in conjunction with committees from Santa Clara and San Mateo counties, and that the recommendations of the committees that a portion of the State Highway be constructed over the "Wishbone Route", passing by way of Mission Road, Colma, San Mateo and around the Bay to Milpitas and Oakland was *adopted*.

Hearing of Appeal of Property Owners Against Assessment for Sewer Work at the Intersection of Lower Terrace and Saturn Street.

The hearing of the appeal of property owners against assessment issued

to Mahoney Brothers for construction of sewer in the intersection of Lower Terrace and Saturn street, laid over from December 11, 1911, was proceeded with.

None of the protestants appearing, Supervisor George E. Gallagher introduced the following Resolution, which was on his motion *adopted* by the following vote:

Appeal Denied and Assessment Confirmed.

Resolution No. 9265 (New Series), as follows: Resolved, That the appeal of property owners from assessment issued to Mahoney Bros., Oct. 19, 1911, by the Board of Public Works, for the cost of sewer work at the intersection of Lower Terrace and Saturn street, be denied and the assessment confirmed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9266 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to wit:

<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Wm. S. Snook & Son, second payment, plumbing, Spring Valley School (claim dated January 9, 1912).....	\$1,297.50
Wm. S. Snook & Son, second payment, plumbing, Franklin Grammar School (claim dated January 9, 1912)....	1,324.50
Caldwell & Company, final payment, general construction, Spring Valley School (claim dated December 27, 1911)	15,972.75
Hansbrough Bros., grading and back-filling, Garfield Primary School (claim dated January 5, 1912)...	543.00
Abrahamson & DeGear Inc., second payment, heating and ventilating, John Swett Grammar School (claim dated January 16, 1912)...	960.00
Kiernan & O'Brien, second payment, plumbing Lincoln School (claim dated January 11, 1912).....	1,345.50

<i>Appropriation, Investigating Water Supply, Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910.</i>	
John F. Freeman, Consulting Engineer's services (claim dated January 13, 1912)...	4,106.05
John F. Freeman, Consulting Engineer's services (claim dated January 13, 1912)...	5,773.19
<i>General Fund 1911-12.</i>	
Ahlbach & Mayer, plumbing and supplies, Jackson Park playgrounds (claim dated January 11, 1912).....	1,559.00
Heckenroth & Schell, general construction, Jackson Park field house (claim dated December 27, 1912).....	3,419.00
Spring Valley Water Company, water, public buildings, November 20 to December 20, 1911 (claim dated December 28, 1911)	1,666.66
The de Lisle Realty Company, agents, rentals, Hewes building, January, 1912 (claim dated January 15, 1912).....	1,703.00
G. H. Umbesen & Company, rentals, Grant building, January, 1912 (claim dated January 15, 1912).....	1,450.00
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries and supplies, Relief Home (claim dated December 29, 1911)	3,010.61
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries and supplies, City and County Hospital (claim dated December 29, 1911) ..	691.13
Sherry-Freitas Company Inc., groceries and supplies, City and County Hospital (claim dated January 3, 1912)...	1,690.80
Herbert F. Dugan, drug sundries, City and County Hospital (claim dated December 21, 1911)	637.97
Miller & Lux Inc., meats, etc., City and County Hospital (claim dated December 30, 1911)	854.30
Peter Caubu, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated December 31, 1911)	1,027.65
R. A. Crothers, official advertising, "Bulletin" (claim dated January 13, 1912)...	739.14
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, seventh progress payment, Mission viaduct (claim dated January 5, 1912)	12,515.80
The Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Company, assignee Keystone Construction Company, seventh progress payment, Mission viaduct (claim dated January 11, 1912).....	5,980.92
Kiernan & O'Brien, third payment, plumbing, construction Seventh street fire house (claim dated December 15, 1912)	555.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Federal Construction Company, assignee of Metropolis Construction Company, ninth progress payment, Section "F", North Point main sewer (claim dated January 11, 1912).....	2,668.57
Southern Pacific Company, freight on pipe, Ingleside sewer (claim dated January 3, 1912).....	1,087.89
The Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Company, assignee Keystone Construction Company, tenth progress payment, sewer work, Mission street, between Silver and Bosworth (claim dated January 10, 1912)	1,930.50
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, fourth progress payment, Section "D-2", North Point main sewer (claim dated January 5, 1912)	14,089.50
<i>Hall of Justice and County Jail Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Wm. Bateman Jr., second payment, interior finish, City and County Jail (claim dated December 28, 1911)	2,499.00
Adams & Hollopeter, first payment, lighting fixtures, Hall of Justice (claim dated January 10, 1912) ..	3,750.00
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Ajax Brass & Iron Works, eighth payment, manhole frames, etc., (claim dated January 13, 1912)	2,819.31
Enterprise Foundry Company, nineteenth payment, cast-iron specials, etc. (claim dated January 13, 1912)	1,195.90
Ajax Brass & Foundry Company, final payment, cast-iron manhole frames, etc. (claim dated January 13, 1912)	946.00
Michael Murphy, second payment, Auxiliary Water Supply System, Section 4 (claim dated)	2,615.09
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue 1910.</i>	
Wm. S. Snook, first payment, plumbing, Polytechnic	

School shop (claim dated January 10, 1912) 3,450.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Providing \$60,000 for Paving and Repairing Accepted Streets During February, 1912.

Resolution No. 9267 (New Series), Providing \$60,000 to be expended out of the item in the Budget "For paving, repaving, grading, and repairs to streets, for construction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings," to enable the Board of Public Works to pave and repair streets during the month of February, 1912, at such places and in such manner as may be agreed upon by the Committee on Streets and Sewers of this Board and the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Providing \$8,000 for Constructing Annex to Everett School and for Incidental Expenses.

Resolution No. 9268 (New Series), Providing \$8000.00 to be expended out of the proceeds of the sale of school bonds of the issue of 1904, under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, in the construction of the annex to the Everett School, together with the incidental expenses as follows:

Annex to Everett School.....\$6,989.00
Incidental expenses 1,011.00

Total\$8,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Providing \$2500, Retainer Fee, Bion J. Arnold.

Resolution No. 9269 (New Series), Providing \$2500.00 to be expended out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of paying Bion J. Arnold, transportation expert, retainer as provided in Resolution No. 8482.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Providing \$1000 to Pay Consulting Engineers for Examination of Steel Frames of Public Buildings.

Resolution No. 9270 (New Series), Providing \$1000.00 to be expended out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to remunerate consulting engineers it may deem necessary to engage for the examination of steel frames of buildings, in the event of a difference of opinion arising on work of this character.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Providing \$600 for Purchase of Two Ambulance Horses for City and County Hospital.

Resolution No. 9271 (New Series), Providing \$600 to be expended out of the Budget appropriation for Board of Health for fiscal year 1911-12, to enable the Board to purchase two horses required for use in the ambulance service of the City and County Hospital.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following Bill heretofore passed, for printing was taken up and on motion *indefinitely postponed*:

Authorizing Appointment of Stenographer-Typewriter For City Attorney.

Bill No. 1983, Authorizing the appointment by the City Attorney of a stenographer-typewriter, and fixing the compensation of said stenographer-typewriter.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Engine, Boiler and Oil Storage Permits.

Resolution No. 9272 (New Series), Granting the following revocable permits:

Johnson Brothers, Inc., storage tank of 500 gallons, at south side of Sacramento street 100 feet west of Fillmore street.

Gene Bedecarrats, storage tank of 1500 gallons, at No. 1212 Divisadero street.

J. L. Mesquita, storage tank of 1500 gallons, at south side of Geary street 40 feet east of Twenty-sixth avenue.

Mrs. J. Pomeroy, storage tank of 1500 gallons, southeast corner of Turk and Larkin streets.

Look Tin Eli and Lew Hing, storage

tank of 1500 gallons, at north side of Clay street 150 feet east of Stockton street.

Gene Bedecarrats, engine and boiler of ten horsepower, at No. 1212 Divisadero street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Laundry Permit.

Resolution No. 9273 (New Series), Granting A. B. Cozet a laundry permit at No. 351 Fifth street, in accordance with the sanitary and fire laws and regulations.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9274 (New Series), Granting the Compressed Air Machinery Company an extension of sixty days from December 14, 1911, on its contract for furnishing, testing and delivering valves, pipes and fitting for the tank of the auxiliary water system at Ashbury Heights. The advisability of altering the arrangements of the pipes, valves and fittings caused the work to be suspended by the Board of Public Works. The advertising fee for printing this Resolution is remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Tunnel Ordinance Amendment.

Bill No. 1984, Ordinance No. 1776 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section Number 6 and Section Number 33 of Ordinance Number 1651 (New Series), entitled, 'Providing for the method by and under which tunnels and appurtenances thereto may be constructed within the City and County of San Francisco and for the assessment of the costs and damages thereof upon private property benefited thereby', approved September 6, 1911, the provisions of which permit the Board of Public Works to subdivide the larger tracts of land in the outlying districts for purposes of assessment for tunnel construction, also relating to assessments of city lands for same purpose."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9275 (New Series), as follows: Granting Rudgear-Merle Company an extension of thirty days' time from and after December 24, 1911, within which to complete its contract for interior ornamental iron work for the Hall of Justice building, for the reason that the transportation of hardware was delayed by the railroad strike.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Resolution No. 9276 (New Series), as follows: Granting L. H. Westdahl an extension of ninety days' time from and after January 11, 1912, within which to complete contract for paving Corbett avenue, between Ord and Seventeenth streets.

This extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was not allowed to proceed with the work on account of proposed grade changes in this street.

The advertising fee for printing this Resolution is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Resolution No. 9277 (New Series), as follows: Granting Willett & Burr, assignees of Foster & Vogt, an extension of ninety days' time from and after December 25, 1911, within which to complete the contract for street and other improvements in Beale street, from Folsom to Bryant streets.

This extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that it is the intention of said Board to modify the plans for the construction of the bridge that will carry Harrison street across Beale street.

The advertising fee for printing this Resolution is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Changing Grades.

Bill No. 1986, Ordinance No. 1777 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Palou avenue, between Jennings and Keith streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,

Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 1987, Ordinance No. 1778 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Geary street, between the easterly line of Lyon street produced and a line parallel with and 68 feet westerly from the westerly line of said Lyon street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 1988, Ordinance No. 1779 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades in Geary street, on Presidio avenue, on Josephine street and on Masonic avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 1989, Ordinance No. 1780 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Nineteenth avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 1990, Ordinance No. 1781 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Castro street, between the northerly line of Henry street and Fifteenth street, and in Henry street, between Noe street and the westerly line of Castro street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 1991, Ordinance No. 1782 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Seventeenth street, crossing of Lake street, and on Seventeenth street, 245 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lake street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths.

Bill No. 1992, Ordinance No. 1783 (New Series), entitled, "Fixing width of sidewalks on Quesada avenue, between Islais Creek and Water Front street, shall be fifteen (15) feet."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 1993, Ordinance No. 1784 (New Series), entitled, "Fixing width of sidewalks on Cornwall street, between First avenue and Sixth avenue, shall be fifteen (15) feet, and on West Clay street, between its easterly termination and the westerly line of Twenty-seventh avenue, shall be fifteen (15) feet."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 1994, Ordinance No. 1785 (New Series), entitled, "Fixing width of sidewalks on Wolfe street, between Franconia avenue and Isabell street, shall be eight (8) feet."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Establishing Grades.

Bill No. 1996, Ordinance No. 1786 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades at certain points on Eighteenth avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Full Acceptance, Streets.

Bill No. 1997, Ordinance No. 1787 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of the northerly and southerly intersections of Cortland avenue and Andover street; crossing of Castro and Fourteenth streets; crossing of Irving street and Eighteenth avenue; crossing of Douglass and Twenty-third streets; Twenty-fourth street, between Kansas and Rhode Island streets; Illinois street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets; crossing of Kansas and Twenty-third streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Conditional Acceptance, Streets.

Bill No. 1998, Ordinance No. 1788 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Reservoir street, between Church and Market streets; crossing of Thir-

teenth avenue and Kirkham street; Illinois street, from El Dorado street to the southerly line of Sixteenth street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2011, Ordinance No. 1789 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following street work, to-wit:

That Bryant street, between Ninth and Tenth streets, be improved by constructing artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width.

That an eight (8) inch vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer be constructed along the center line of Alvarado street, between the center and westerly lines of Castro street; and an eight (8) inch vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with four (4) Y branches, one (1) brick manhole with castiron frame and cover and galvanized wrought iron steps, and one (1) vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe manhole with castiron frame and cover, be constructed along the center line of Alvarado street, from Castro street to a point one hundred and thirty (130) feet westerly therefrom.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher *indefinitely postponed*:

Changing Grades, Leavenworth Street.

Bill No. 1980, Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Leavenworth street, between Francisco and Chestnut streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$131,512.53 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 11,091 to 11,529, inclusive, were presented,

read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

J. O'Keefe & Company, hay and grain, Police Department (claim dated January 3, 1912)	\$551.29
The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors, December, 1911 (claim dated January 1, 1912)	545.98
Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent St. Joseph's I. O. Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated December 31, 1911)	1,670.32
Roman Catholic Orphanage, maintenance of minors (claim dated January 1, 1912)	1,320.54
The St. Vincent De Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated December 30, 1911)	3,550.65
Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin county, Cal., maintenance of minors (claim dated January 2, 1912)	1,538.88
Preston School of Industry, maintenance of minors (claim dated January 6, 1912)	730.60
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated December 30, 1911)	1,805.79
Sherry-Freitas Company, Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated January 2, 1912)	1,095.96
Western Rock Products Com-	

pany, lime rock (claim dated January 4, 1912) 1,430.55

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland, repaving over side sewer trenches (claim dated January 3, 1912) 1,084.70

Library Fund.

George C. Terrill, final payment, additions and alterations, Branch Public Library, 2435 Sacramento street (claim dated January 17, 1912) 525.00

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

W. W. Wymore, basalt blocks (claim dated January 12, 1912) 1,197.00

Providing \$15,000 to Enable City Engineer to do Portion of Development and Other General Work Required by Secretary of Interior in Hetch Hetchy Valley.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), providing \$15,000.00 to be expended out of proceeds of the sale of Water Supply Bonds, to be expended by the City Engineer in doing a portion of the development and other general work required by the Secretary of the Interior in his order to show cause why the Hetch Hetchy permit should not be revoked.

Providing \$10,000 for Continuing Preparation of Plans and Specifications of Contemplated Sewers.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), providing \$10,000.00 to be expended out of the Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the purpose of continuing preparation of plans and specifications of contemplated sewers.

Providing \$8,000 to Enable Board of Public Works to Lay High Pressure Mains in Brannan Street, Between Second and Eighth Streets.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), providing \$8000.00 to be expended out of proceeds of sale of Fire Protection Bonds, being additional to \$12,000.00 heretofore appropriated by Resolution No. 8254 (New Series), to enable the Board of Public Works to pay for hauling and laying of high pressure mains and conduits in Brannan street from Second to Eighth streets.

Providing \$3,000 for Resurveys of Certain Districts.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing \$3000.00 to be expended out of the item "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for construction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings", in the budget of

the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to continue, during the month of February, 1912, the resurvey of the Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, and the computations, compilations and mapping of the Market Street Homestead.

Providing \$1,000 for Fitting up and Equipping Tax Collector's Office.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing \$1000.00 to be expended out of the "Furniture for Public Buildings" account, in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of fitting and equipping the office of the Tax Collector; to be expended by the Board of Public Works under the supervision of the Tax Collector.

Providing \$970.50 for Paving and Repairing Streets in Front of School Property.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing \$970.50 to be expended out of the appropriation of \$60,000.00 heretofore made for paving and repairing streets during the month of February, 1912, for the purpose of curbing and paving Twelfth avenue between Kirkham and Lawton streets in front of school property.

Providing \$5000 out of "Urgent Necessities Fund" for Furniture, etc., Various Departments, Temporary City Hall.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$5000 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the "Urgent Necessities Fund" under the direction of the Supplies Committee to defray cost of necessary furniture, fittings and fixtures for the new quarters of the various departments in the temporary City Hall.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Repealing Resolution Awarding Contract for Electric Bells.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:

Resolution No. 9278 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Upon investigation it has been found that the 200 fire alarm bells furnished the Department of Electricity by the Electric Agencies Co., pursuant to Resolution No. 9033 (New Series), awarding contract for furnishing same has been found upon investigation to have been irregularly contracted for, that the specifications have not been complied with, and that the price is excessive; therefore be it

Resolved, That said Resolution No. 9033 (New Series), Awarding contract to said firm, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the Department of Electricity is hereby directed to return said bells to the Electric Agencies Company.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Statement of Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad Company as to Gross Receipts from Passenger Fare for October, November and December, 1911, and Percentage Thereon Due City.

Also, Resolution No. 9279 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad Company has filed with the Board of Supervisors statements showing the following receipts arising under its permit to operate a street railroad, to-wit:

For the month of October, 1911	\$15,717.60
For the month of November, 1911	14,071.30
For the month of December, 1911	15,604.55

Total \$45,393.45

And whereas, the sum of \$2269.68, being five per cent of the aforesaid receipts of said company for the months of October, November and December, 1911, is due and payable to the City and County of San Francisco under the terms of Resolutions Nos. 1285 and 3092 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors; and

Whereas, said statements have been examined and verified by William Dolge, Expert to the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the aforesaid statements be and they are hereby accepted and approved, said sum of \$2269.68 having heretofore been deposited with the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco and placed to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Statement of Gough Street Railroad Company as to Gross Receipts from Passenger Fares for October, November and December, 1911, and Percentage Thereon Due City.

Also, Resolution No. 9280 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, the United Railroads of

San Francisco, as lessée of the Gough Street Railroad Company, has filed with the Board of Supervisors statements of receipts from passenger fares for the months of October, November and December, 1911, upon the taxable portion of which three per cent is due the City and County of San Francisco under the terms of Ordinance No. 1196 (New Series), approved June 14, 1910, said taxable portions being as follows, to-wit:

For October, 1911	\$1,052.48
For November, 1911	993.16
For December, 1911	1,000.27

Total \$3,045.91

And whereas, three per cent of said gross receipts under said statements, as reported by said company to the Board of Supervisors, amounts to \$91.36; and

Whereas, said statements have been examined by William Dolge, Expert to the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors, who certifies to said committee that the sum of \$91.36 is now due the City and County; now therefore be it

Resolved, that the aforesaid statements be and they are hereby accepted and approved, and the said United Railroads of San Francisco, as lessee of the Gough Street Railroad Company, be and is hereby directed to deposit the sum of \$91.36 with the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, said sum to be placed by the Treasurer to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Auditor and Treasurer to Transfer Surplus in Assessor State Panama-Pacific Corporation Tax Fund.

Also, J. R. No. 35.

Resolved, That the Auditor and Treasurer be and they are hereby authorized to transfer out of the Assessor State Panama-Pacific Corporation Tax Fund, a special account, to the "Refund Tax Account," the surplus amounting to \$1285.56, created by collection in excess of 5 cents on the hundred dollars of assessed valuation as fixed by Ordinance No. 1677 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors, in order that demands for refunds may be properly drawn and audited against a City and County fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,

Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Boilers, Oil and Laundry Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are granted:

Boilers.

Old People's Home, southwest corner of Pine and Pierce streets, 50 horsepower, for heating purpose.

City Supply Company, northeast corner of Sixth and Channel streets, 35 horsepower, for bunkers.

J. Labarere, 628 Laguna street, 8 horsepower, for laundry purpose.

City and County of San Francisco, Potrero avenue and Twenty-third street, 250 horsepower, for heat and power.

Storage Tanks.

City and County of San Francisco, Potrero avenue and Twenty-third street, capacity 10,000 gallons.

City Supply Company, northeast corner of Sixth and Channel streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Schrader Iron Works, 1247 Harrison street, capacity 1500 gallons.

P. J. Gartland, northeast corner of Sixteenth and Valencia streets, capacity 2500 gallons.

The Butler Estate, southeast corner of McAllister and Gough streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Laundry.

Chin Quong & Company, No. 491 Natoma street.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher explained his vote by saying that he would vote No on the laundry permit and Aye on all the others.

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Cagliari: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to wit:

Peter Bisagno, east side of Andover street, 85 feet north of Cortland avenue (rear), for one horse.

Pacific Tank and Pipe Company, south side of Bryant street, 200 feet west of Fifth street, for fifteen horses.

J. P. Casenave, north side of Underwood street, 200 feet of Lane street, for one horse.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permits.

J. R. No. 36.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission be and the same is hereby denied the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter mentioned locations, to wit:

Arthur F. Jacobs, 2379 Post street, 40 horses.

Mary Stanley, 2257 Chestnut street, one horse.

Joseph P. McGranaghan, 517 Thirtieth street, two horses.

W. W. Bowen, 164 Twenty-third avenue, one horse.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was *passed for printing*:

Boxing Ordinance.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

Bill No. 2002, An ordinance to provide for licensing boxing, or sparring exhibitions, and regulating same.

Recommended.

The following Bill was taken up and on motion referred to *Judiciary Committee*:

Providing Method for Issuing Permits and Requiring Fee Therefor.

Bill No. 1999, Providing the method of issuance of permits that are required to be granted by the Board of Supervisors by various ordinances of the City and County, and requiring a fee to be paid by the applicants for such permits.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Masquerade Ball Permits

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 37.

Resolved. That the following named be and they are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to wit:

Alsace-Lorraine Society, at Mission Turn Verein Hall, 3543 Eighteenth street, February 17, 1912.

Associated Danish Societies, at Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, February 10, 1912.

Gesellschaft Rheinbund, at San

Francisco Turn Hall, 2416 Sutter street, March 2, 1912.

Italian Relief Society, at Garibaldi Hall, 441 Broadway, February 20, 1912.

Mazzini Circle 106, C. O. F., Washington Square Hall, 1525 Stockton street, February 25, 1912.

Societadi Mutuo Soccorso Della Campagna Garibaldini, at Garibaldi Hall, February 25, 1912.

Washington Circle No. 1, C. O. F.-A. O. F., at 115 Valencia street, February 15, 1912.

Polish Society of California, at Brewery Works Hall, February 3, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

J. R. No. 38.

Also, Resolved, That Charles Samuels be and he is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at the Coliseum, Oak and Baker streets, January 31, 1912, upon payment of the usual license fee.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company to Advise as to its Plans for Civic Center.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 39.

Whereas, It is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to submit to the people of this City, a bond issue, for the erection of a new City Hall and the construction of a Civic Center in connection therewith; and

Whereas, It is of the greatest importance that immediate information be furnished the Board of Supervisors as to the character, number and purposes of proposed buildings that are likely to be placed in the Civic Center group; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company be and is hereby requested to furnish definite proposals and information to the Board of Supervisors as follows:

1. Whether the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company will erect an Auditorium in the proposed Civic Center, provided the people of this city vote to acquire lands upon which said Auditorium may be erected; and provided the Board of Supervisors sets aside a sufficient area in the proposed Civic Center for a monumental Auditorium.

2. Whether the said Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company will convey to the City and County of San Francisco all right, title and interest in said proposed Auditorium to the City and County of San Francisco after the exposition of 1915 shall have closed.

3. The Board of Supervisors, for the purpose of fully informing the people in relation to the proposed City Hall and proposed Civic Center, requests the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company to state how much money said Company will set aside and appropriate for the erection of such an Auditorium on land which is provided by the City, should the City so determine to provide the land.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Providing \$5000 to Defray Cost of Professional Advice on Plans for Proposed Civic Center and City Hall.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars is hereby set aside and authorized to be expended out of the Urgent Necessities Fund, by the Committee on Public Buildings of the Board of Supervisors, for defraying the cost of advising said Committee as to the plan to be adopted in securing plans for the proposed City Hall and Civic Center, and matters appertaining thereto.

Providing \$2500 for Investigating Site of Proposed Civic Center and City Hall.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars is hereby set aside and authorized to be expended out of the Urgent Necessity Fund, by the Board of Public Works under the direction of the Committee on Public Buildings of the Board of Supervisors, for defraying the cost of making investigations of the foundation at the City Hall site for the purpose of ascertaining its condition for construction of a new city hall.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Mayor Authorized to Appoint Three Advisory Architects to Advise Public Buildings Committee on Civic Center and City Hall Matters.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 40.

Resolved, That the Mayor is hereby authorized and requested to appoint a committee of three architects, said committee to act in an advisory capacity to the Board of Supervisors.

The duties of said Advisory Committee shall be to consult with the Public Buildings Committee of the Board of Supervisors, and to advise with said Public Buildings Committee as to what lands shall be purchased for a Civic Center; how public buildings shall be arranged or grouped upon said Civic Center; and upon other matters appertaining to the construction of a City Hall and Civic Center.

Said Advisory Committee shall proceed upon the understanding that the Board of Supervisors stands committed to the erection of the New City Hall upon the so-called "old site", and that lands for a Civic Center shall be purchased within the district bounded by Van Ness avenue, Hayes street, Market street and Golden Gate avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Repealing Resolution No. 8836 (New Series), Relating to Change of Grades on Leavenworth Street Between Francisco and Chestnut Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9281 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution No. 8836, approved November 14, 1911, relating to change of grades on Leavenworth street, between Francisco and Chestnut streets, is hereby rescinded.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was passed for printing:

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, be and the same is hereby granted to the Republic Construction Company to blast on De Haro street, between Twentieth and Twenty-second streets, for the purpose of grading and the construction of a sewer, provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of eight thousand (\$8000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works,

and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204 (New Series); provided also that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Fixing Date of Hearing Appeals from Street Assessments.

Also, Resolution No. 9282 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, F. C. Dowling, feeling aggrieved at the assessment issued by the Board of Public Works January 12, 1912, for sewerage in the crossing of Plymouth avenue and Broad street, appeals from said assessment for the reason that there was an error made in figuring said assessment;

Resolved, That Monday, February 19, 1912, at 3:00 p. m., in the chambers of the Board of Supervisors, No. 70 Eddy street, be fixed as the time and place for hearing said appeal.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Also, Resolution No. 9283 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Dr. F. C. Keck, feeling aggrieved at the decision of the Board of Public Works in accepting the crossing of Twenty-sixth and Castro streets, appeals from said decision of the Board of Public Works;

Resolved, That Monday, February 19, 1912, at 3:00 p. m., in the chambers of the Board of Supervisors, No. 70 Eddy street, be fixed as the time and place for hearing said appeal.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Fixing Date of Hearing Protest Against Closing of Jarboe Street, Between Moultrie and Andover Streets.

Also, Resolution No. 9284 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Monday, February 26, 1912, at the hour of 3:00 p. m., in the chambers of the Board of Supervisors, 70 Eddy street, be fixed as the time and place for hearing the protest of George Darby et al. against closing Jarboe street (formerly Jefferson avenue), from Moultrie to Andover streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Conditional Acceptance, Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2003, Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadways of West Clay street, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh avenues; Bryant street, between Twenty-sixth and Army streets; crossing of Army street and Florida street.

Full Acceptance, Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2004, Providing for the full acceptance of the roadways of Army street, between Florida and Bryant streets; Bernal avenue, between Coso avenue and Shotwell street; Coleridge street, between Lizzie street and Cortland avenue; Ashbury street, from Clifford to Seventeenth streets; intersection of Alvarado and Douglass streets; Battery street, between California and Sacramento streets; crossing of Battery and Halleck streets.

Establishing Grades.

Also, Bill No. 2005, Establishing grades at certain points on Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues, on Pacheco, Quintara, Rivera, Taraval and Ulloa streets.

Also, Bill No. 2006, Establishing grades on Sabin place.

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2007, Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in Twenty-fifth avenue, between Lake and West Clay streets; Lake, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; Twenty-first avenue, between California and Geary streets; Polk street, between Greenwich and Lombard streets; Parker avenue, between Euclid avenue and Geary street; Church and Dorland streets (westerly intersection); Castro street, between Elizabeth and Twenty-third streets; Twenty-fifth street, between Diamond and Douglass streets; Fifteenth avenue, between Geary and Clement streets; Buena Vista avenue and Waller street; intersection Cook street, between Geary street and Laurel Hill cemetery; Pixley street, between Fillmore and Steiner streets; Chenery street, between Mateo and Roanoke streets; Twenty-first avenue, between Lake street and its northerly termination; approving and adopting specifications therefor, authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing same.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF BILLS, RESOLUTIONS OR MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolution was intro-

duced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Public Utilities and Streets Committees to Report Proper Ordinances Regulating Extensions of Lighting System in Conformity with Recent Constitutional Amendments.

J. R. No. 41.

Whereas, On the 13th day of January, 1912, the City Attorney advised this Board that the amendment of Section 19 of Article XI of the Constitution, adopted on the 10th day of October, 1911, had changed the relations of the City and County of San Francisco and public service corporations using the streets of the city under that section of the Constitution as it existed prior to October 19, 1911, and

Whereas, Many applications for extensions of lighting systems have been made, and

Whereas, It is necessary to adopt ordinances and regulations concerning extensions of lighting systems; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Public Utilities Committee and the Street Committee of this Board be constituted a joint committee to consider the matter and report to this Board the proper and necessary ordinances.

This resolution need not be published.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher and on his motion *passed for printing*:

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. —. (New Series):

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, be and is hereby granted the Republic Construction Company to blast on De Haro street, between Twentieth and Twenty-second streets, for the purpose of grading and the construction of a sewer, provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204 (New Series); provided also that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and that if any of the conditions of this Resolution be violated by the said

Republic Construction Company, then the privilege and all rights arising thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and on his motion *adopted* by the following vote:

Open Air Schools.

J. R. No. 42.

Resolved, That the attention of the Committee on Public Welfare is hereby called to the fact that Open Air Instruction is being given to school children in various parts of this country and of Europe, and inasmuch as the climatic conditions in San Francisco favor such open air instruction, said committee is requested to investigate this method of education as conducted elsewhere, and the feasibility of so constructing school buildings that may be erected in the future as to adapt them to such open air instruction; also to bring this matter to the attention of the Board of Education, the Board of Health and the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Resolution of Condolence.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

J. R. No. 43.

Resolved, That the members of the Board of Supervisors hereby respectfully express their sincere and tender sympathy with their associate, Mr. J. Emmet Hayden, and with his wife, in the death of their infant son.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

(His Honor the Mayor also added his sympathy.)

Approved by the Board of Supervisors February 5, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Appointment of Advisory Committee to Committee on Public Welfare in Matter of Garbage Disposal.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 44.

Resolved, That T. B. Berry and L. M. King be appointed as an Advisory Committee to the Committee on Public Welfare in the matter of the construction of garbage incinerators and the installation of a system of garbage disposal.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Appointment of Advisory Committee on Competitive Architectural Plans for City Hall.

His Honor the Mayor announced that he had appointed the following named gentlemen an advisory committee on preparation of scheme for competitive architectural plans for the City Hall:

John Galen Howard.

Fred H. Meyer.

Jno. Reed, Jr.

(On motion of Supervisor Murdock the Mayor was congratulated and thanked for appointments made.)

Announcement.

Supervisor Koshland announced that the Supplies Committee would meet with the dealers in hay, grain and produce for the purpose of discussing matters of mutual concern in the Merchants' Exchange building on Tuesday afternoon, January 30, 1912.

Passed for Printing.

The following bill was introduced under suspension of the rules and *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Appointment of Stenographer-Typewriter for City Attorney.

Bill No. 2008, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing City Attorney to appoint stenographer-typewriter and fixing the compensation."

Adjournment.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5:35 o'clock P. M. *adjourned*.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

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Very truly yours,
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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, February 5, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Nolan, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of January 29, 1912, was read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Efficiency and Civil Service Committee—Chas. Murdock, Chairman.

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Hospital and Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Judiciary Committee—Daniel C. Murphy, Chairman.

Land and Tunnels Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—Alex. T. Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Report of the Public Utilities Committee on the Purchase of the Properties of the Spring Valley Water Company.

The Public Utilities Committee re-

ported the result of a conference held in the Mayor's office relative to the purchase of the properties of the Spring Valley Water Company, and stated that a declaratory ordinance for that purpose had been prepared by Judge Lindley and Mr. Dillon of Dillon, Thompson & Clay, and would be submitted in its proper order with the recommendation of the committee that it be substituted for the ordinance heretofore presented on the same subject. The committee also recommended the appointment of a Special Advisory Committee on the acquisition of the plant and properties of the Spring Valley Water Company, committee to consist of Judge Curtis Lindley, the Mayor, the City Attorney, the Chairman of the Finance Committee and the Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee.

Report adopted on motion of Supervisor Vogelsang.

Report of Public Utilities Committee on Ceasing Operation of the Geary Street Railroad.

The Public Utilities Committee reported against the suggestion of the Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad Company relative to the joint purchase by the company and the city of a new cable to permit the operation of the road until such time as city's road is completed. The company had advised the committee that the old cable would probably not last longer than the middle of the month and that a new one would cost about \$8000, but the committee's findings showed that the operation of the road would have to cease before the cost could be paid from the revenues. The report stated that Bion J. Arnold, the expert on street railroad transportation, is about ready to report on a type of car to be used on the Municipal Railway, and the contract for them will be let as soon as possible. Deliveries expected to be made about ninety days after award of contract. The committee recommended that when the old cable broke, that the operation of the road cease. The report also called attention to the fact that \$894,000 of 4½ per cent bonds for the construction of

the road remained unsold, and that it was necessary to sell same before the road can be completed.

Report *adopted* on motion of Supervisor Murdock.

Relative to the Publication of the Building and Plumbing Laws.

Supervisor Koshland introduced the following resolution, which was, on motion of Supervisor Murdock, ordered referred jointly to the Public Buildings and Judiciary Committee with the suggestion that a meeting of the builders, contractors, etc., be called in order to simplify and properly interpret the present building code:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Committee on Supplies is hereby directed to print and publish for public distribution five hundred copies of the Building Law and the Plumbing Law, after the said laws have been properly revised and amended; and that the sum of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars is hereby appropriated for said printing and publishing.

Hearing of Appeal from Street Assessment.

The hearing of appeal of Leslie Van Ness Denman and other property owners against assessment, warrant and diagram issued by the Board of Public Works for the construction of a sewer in Laurel street, between Jackson and Pacific streets, fixed for the hour of 3 p. m. this day, was proceeded with:

Motion.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher moved that hearing go over one week.

Motion *carried*.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9285 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

J. O'Keefe & Company, hay and grain, Police Department (claim dated January 3, 1912).....	\$551.29
The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors, December, 1911 (claim dated January 1, 1912).....	545.98
Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent St. Joseph's I. O. Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated December 31, 1911).....	1,670.32
Roman Catholic Orphanage,	

maintenance of minors (claim dated January 1, 1912)	1,320.54
The St. Vincent De Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated December 30, 1911)	3,550.65
Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin county, Cal., maintenance of minors (claim dated January 2, 1912).....	1,538.88
Preston School of Industry, maintenance of minors (claim dated January 6, 1912)	730.60
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated December 30, 1911)	1,805.79
Sherry-Freitas Company, Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated January 2, 1912)	1,095.96
Western Rock Products Company, lime rock (claim dated January 4, 1912)	1,430.55

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland, repaving over side sewer trenches (claim dated January 3, 1912).....	1,034.70
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Library Fund.

George C. Terrill, final payment, additions and alterations, Branch Public Library, 2435 Sacramento street (claim dated January 17, 1912)	525.00
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Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

W. W. Wymore, basalt blocks (claim dated January 12, 1912)	1,197.00
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.	

Providing \$15,000 to Enable City Engineer to do Portion of Development and Other General Work Required by Secretary of Interior in Hetch Hetchy Valley.

Resolution No. 9286 (New Series), providing \$15,000.00 to be expended out of proceeds of the sale of Water Supply Bonds, to be expended by the City Engineer in doing a portion of the development and other general work required by the Secretary of the Interior in his order to show cause why the Hetch Hetchy permit should not be revoked.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$10,000 for Continuing Preparation of Plans and Specifications of Contemplated Sewers.

Resolution No. 9287 (New Series), providing \$10,000.00 to be expended out of the Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the purpose of continuing preparation of plans and specifications of contemplated sewers.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$8,000 to Enable Board of Public Works to Lay High Pressure Mains in Brannan Street, Between Second and Eighth Streets.

Resolution No. 9288 (New Series), providing \$8000.00 to be expended out of proceeds of sale of Fire Protection Bonds, being additional to \$12,000.00 heretofore appropriated by Resolution No. 8254 (New Series), to enable the Board of Public Works to pay for hauling and laying of high pressure mains and conduits in Brannan street from Second to Eighth streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$3,000 for Resurveys of Certain Districts.

Resolution No. 9289 (New Series), Providing \$3000.00 to be expended out of the item "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for construction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings", in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to continue, during the month of February, 1912, the resurvey of the Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, and the computations, compilations and mapping of the Market Street Homestead.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$1,000 for Fitting up and Equipping Tax Collector's Office.

Resolution No. 9290 (New Series), Providing \$1000.00 to be expended out of the "Furniture for Public Buildings" account, in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of fitting and equipping

the office of the Tax Collector; to be expended by the Board of Public Works under the supervision of the Tax Collector.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$970.50 for Paving and Repairing Streets in Front of School Property.

Resolution No. 9291 (New Series), Providing \$970.50 to be expended out of the appropriation of \$60,000.00 heretofore made for paving and repairing streets during the month of February, 1912, for the purpose of curbing and paving Twelfth avenue between Kirkham and Lawton streets in front of school property.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$5000 out of "Urgent Necessities Fund" for Furniture, etc., Various Departments, Temporary City Hall.

Resolution No. 9292 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$5000 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the "Urgent Necessities Fund" under the direction of the Supplies Committee to defray cost of necessary furniture, fittings and fixtures for the new quarters of the various departments in the temporary City Hall.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

(Out of Order.)

Five Per Cent Bonds, Issue of 1908.

The hour of 3 o'clock having arrived, his Honor the Mayor announced that that was the time set for considering proposals for the purchase of the following 5 percentum bonds:

School bonds...\$250,000.00, issue of 1908

Fire protection

bonds320,000.00, issue of 1908

Sewers bonds... 600,000.00, issue of 1908

Announcement.

The Clerk announced, at the request of his Honor the Mayor and the assistant cashier of the Bank of California, that a bid had been filed in said bank inclosing a check payable to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

of San Francisco, and that the representative of the bank was in attendance to substitute a local check should there be any question about the check inclosed with the bid.

His Honor the Mayor asked if there was any objection to such proceedings. No objection offered.

His Honor the Mayor then read the following proposal notice:

Notice of Sale of Bonds.

Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco, December 27, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the purchase of certain bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, hereinafter described, will be received by the Board of Supervisors up to the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 5th day of February, 1912, and will be opened by said Board at said time.

The bonds hereby offered are Municipal bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, issue of 1908, and described as follows:

School bonds to the amount of \$250,000, comprising 10 bonds of each year's maturity from 1914 to 1938, inclusive.

Fire protection bonds to the amount of \$320,000, comprising 8 bonds of each year's maturity from 1916 to 1955, inclusive.

Sewer bonds to the amount of \$600,000, comprising 15 bonds of each year's maturity from 1915 to 1954, inclusive.

All the above bonds are dated July 1, 1908, and are of the denomination of \$1,000 each, and bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually January 1st and July 1st each year; principal and interest payable at the office of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, or, at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County in the City and State of New York. Said bonds, under the law, are exempt from all taxation within the State of California.

All bids must be upon forms furnished by the City and County and must state the amount offered by the bidder and must include the payment to the city of all interest that may have accrued at the time of the delivery of such bond or bonds to purchaser. No bid will be considered for less than par and accrued interest. No conditional bids will be considered except as herein permitted, but the State of California may submit a bid conditioned upon the subsequent approval of the legality of the bonds.

Delivery of bonds to the successful bidder or bidders will be made within two weeks from the award of sale thereof.

Bidders may bid for the whole or any

part of the bonds here offered and such bid, unless it be an "all or none" bid, shall state separate amounts for each set of the bonds named in the bid, and when a less amount than the whole amount offered of any named set is bid on the bidder shall state the year or years of maturity thereof.

Any bidder may offer to take the whole amount offered on condition that no other bid be accepted, but the Board reserves the right to reject such bid should the public interest so require, and the said Board may also reject any or all bids.

All bids shall be sealed and indorsed "Proposal for the Purchase of Bonds," addressed to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Cal., and filed in the office of said Clerk before the time fixed for the opening of said bids.

All proposals for the purchase of such bonds shall be accompanied by a deposit of five per cent of the amount bid in lawful money of the United States, or by a deposit of a certified check, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County, for a like sum, provided, that no deposit need exceed the sum of \$10,000, and that no deposit need be given by the State of California, which money or check shall be forfeited by the bidder in case he fails to accept and pay for the bonds bid for by him if his bid is accepted.

The opinion of Messrs. Dillon & Hubbard, attorneys, New York City, stating that the above bonds offered for sale are in all respects legal, and are a binding obligation upon the City and County, is on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, and a copy of the same will be furnished to any purchaser of said bonds.

Blank forms of proposal and circulars of information concerning said bonds may be had at the office of the Clerk or the Board of Supervisors, or will be mailed upon application to said Clerk.

This notice is given pursuant to the direction of Resolution No. 9148 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors, adopted December 26, 1911.

W. R. HAGERTY,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco.

Opening Bids.

Whereupon the following bids were presented, opened, read and referred to the Finance Committee:

1. E. H. Rollins & Sons & Stadfeld, for all the bonds, \$1,223,001.00 and accrued interest; certified check in the sum of \$10,000 on the First National Bank of San Francisco inclosed.

2. N. W. Halsey & Co., for all bonds \$1,239,147.00 and accrued interest;

certified check in the sum of \$10,000.00 on the Mercantile National Bank of San Francisco inclosed.

3. Watson, Pressprich, Adams & Co., New York, for all bonds \$1,240,715.00 and accrued interest; certified check in the sum of \$10,000.00 on the Hanover National Bank of New York inclosed.

4. Kuntze Bros and J. H. Adams & Co., for all bonds \$1,224,973.00 and accrued interest; certified check in the sum of \$10,000.00 on the Anglo-London Paris National Bank inclosed.

5. Continental Commercial Trust and Savings Bank and Harris Trust and Savings Bank of Chicago: \$250,000.00 5 per centum school bonds, maturing 1914-1938, \$258,750.00 and accrued interest; \$320,000.00 5 per cent fire protection bonds, maturing 1916-1955, \$336,850.00 and accrued interest; \$600,000.00 5 per centum sewer bonds, maturing 1915-1954, \$630,420.00 and accrued interest; total bid, \$1,226,020.00. Certified check in the sum of \$10,000.00 on the Union Trust Company of San Francisco inclosed.

6. First National Bank of San Jose, \$250,000.00 5 per centum school bonds, maturing 1914-1938, \$257,175.00 and accrued interest.

Recess.

His Honor the Mayor thereupon, at the hour of 3:20 p. m., declared a recess of five minutes to enable Finance Committee to consider the bids presented.

Reassembled.

At the hour of 3:30 o'clock the Board reassembled and the roll was called, all members before noted being present.

Thereupon Supervisor McCarthy presented the following report:

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

February 5, 1912.

Your Finance Committee having examined the several bids for the purchase of school, sewer and fire bonds submitted this day recommends that the bid of Watson, Pressprich, Adams & Co., in the sum of \$1,240,715.00, be accepted, and the bonds awarded to said bidder.

(Signed)

WILLIAM H. MCCARTHY.

DANIEL C. MURPHY.

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG.

Award of Bonds.

Whereupon the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor McCarthy and adopted by the following vote:

AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR BONDS.

J. R. No. 56.

Whereas, pursuant to Resolution No. 9148 (New Series), the Board of Supervisors did on the 5th day of February, 1912, receive, open and consider

sealed proposals for the purchase of certain bonds of the City and County, described as follows:

Issue of July 1, 1912.

School bonds to the amount of \$250,000.00, comprising ten bonds of each year's maturity from 1914 to 1938, inclusive.

Sewer bonds to the amount of \$600,000.00, comprising fifteen bonds of each year's maturity from 1915 to 1954, inclusive.

Fire protection bonds to the amount of \$320,000.00, comprising eight bonds of each year's maturity from 1916 to 1955, inclusive; and

Whereas, a bid from Watson & Pressprich and Adams T. Co., of New York, was on said day received for the purchase of all said bonds offered for sale at a price therefor of \$1,240,715.00; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the said bid of Watson & Pressprich and Adams T. Co., of New York (the same being the highest and best bid offered for said bonds) be and the same is hereby accepted, and the said described bonds are hereby struck off and sold to said Watson & Pressprich and Adams T. Co. for \$1,240,715.00, in accordance with the terms of said Resolution No. 9148 (New Series), the notice of sale given in pursuance to said resolution and the bid submitted therefor; and that all other bids be rejected, and the Clerk of this Board is directed to return all checks and deposits to unsuccessful bidders.

Further Resolved, That the Finance Committee of this Board be and is hereby authorized and instructed to arrange for the delivery of the aforesaid bonds.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS (Continued).

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizing Appointment of Stenographer-Typewriter for City Attorney.

Bill No. 2008, Ordinance No. 1790 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing City Attorney to appoint stenographer-typewriter and fixing the compensation."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Boilers, Oil and Laundry Permits.

Resolution No. 9293 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are granted:

Boilers.

Old People's Home, southwest corner of Pine and Pierce streets, 50 horsepower, for heating purpose.

City Supply Company, northeast corner of Sixth and Channel streets, 35 horsepower, for bunkers.

J. Labarere, 628 Laguna street, 8 horsepower, for laundry purpose.

City and County of San Francisco, Potrero avenue and Twenty-third street, 250 horsepower, for heat and power.

Storage Tanks.

City and County of San Francisco, Potrero avenue and Twenty-third street, capacity 10,000 gallons.

City Supply Company, northeast corner of Sixth and Channel streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Schrader Iron Works, 1247 Harrison street, capacity 1500 gallons.

P. J. Gartland, northeast corner of Sixteenth and Valencia streets, capacity 2500 gallons.

The Butler Estate, southeast corner of McAllister and Gough streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Laundry.

Chin Quong & Company, No. 491 Natoma street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Explanation of Vote.

Andrew J. Gallagher and Edw. I. Nolan explained their vote by saying they voted *No* on the laundry permit and *Aye* on the remainder of the resolution.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9294 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to

Peter Bisagno, east side of Andover street, 85 feet north of Cortland avenue (rear), for one horse.

Pacific Tank and Pipe Company, south side of Bryant street, 200 feet west of Fifth street, for fifteen horses.

J. P. Casenave, north side of Underwood street, 200 feet of Lane street, for one horse.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri,

Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Boxing Ordinance.

The following Bill was taken up:

Bill No. 2002, Ordinance No. 1791. An ordinance to provide for licensing boxing, or sparring exhibitions and regulating same.

Motion.

Supervisor McLeran moved Bill be amended by striking out section 10.

Motion lost.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the above Bill was finally passed as Ordinance No. 1791 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

No—Supervisor McLeran—1.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

NEW BUSINESS (Out of Order.)**Passed for Printing.**

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Bancroft and *passed for printing*:

Providing \$5000 of Defray Cost of Advising Board of Public Works as to Plans For City Hall and Civic Center.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$5000 is hereby set aside and authorized to be expended out of the Urgent Necessities Fund by the Board of Public Works under the direction of the Committee on Public Buildings of the Board of Supervisors for defraying the cost of advising said Board of Public Works as to the plan to be adopted in securing plans for the proposed City Hall and Civic Center and all matters appertaining thereto.

Resolution Rescinded.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Bancroft, the following Resolution heretofore *passed for printing* was rescinded:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars is hereby set aside and authorized to be expended out of the Urgent Necessities Fund, by the Committee on Public Buildings of the Board of Supervisors, for defraying the cost of advising said Committee as to the plan to be adopted in securing plans for the proposed City Hall and Civic Center, and matters appertaining thereto.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS (Continued.)

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Providing \$2500 for Investigating Site of Proposed Civic Center and City Hall.

Resolution No. 9295 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars is hereby set aside and authorized to be expended out of the Urgent Necessity Fund, by the Board of Public Works under the direction of the Committee on Public Buildings of the Board of Supervisors, for defraying the cost of making investigations of the foundation at the City Hall site for the purpose of ascertaining its condition for construction of a new city hall.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9296 (New Series). Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Westdahl-Hennessey Company, to explode blasts along Beale street, between Folsom and Bryant streets, for the purpose of constructing a sewer in said street; provided that said permittees shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204 (New Series); provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and that if any of the conditions of this Resolution be violated by the said Westdahl-Hennessey Company, then the privilege and all rights arising thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Nolan—1.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9297 (New Series): Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, be and is hereby granted the Republic Construction Company to blast on De Haro street, between Twentieth and Twenty-second streets, for the purpose of grad-

ing and the construction of a sewer, provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204 (New Series); provided also that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and that if any of the conditions of this Resolution be violated by the said Republic Construction Company, then the privilege and all rights arising thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Conditional Acceptance, Streets.

Bill No. 2003, Ordinance No. 1792 (New Series), Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadways of West Clay street, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh avenues; Bryant street, between Twenty-sixth and Army streets; crossing of Army street and Florida street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Bill No. 2004, Ordinance No. 1793 (New Series), Providing for the full acceptance of the roadways of Army street, between Florida and Bryant streets; Bernal avenue, between Coso avenue and Shotwell street; Coleridge street, between Lizzie street and Cortland avenue; Ashbury street, from Clifford to Seventeenth streets; intersection of Alvarado and Douglass streets; Battery street, between California and Sacramento streets; crossing of Battery and Halleck streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Establishing Grades.

Also, Bill No. 2005, Ordinance No. 1794 (New Series), Establishing grades at certain points on Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues, on Pacheco, Quintara, Rivera, Taraval and Ulloa streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,

Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Also, Bill No. 2006 (Ordinance No. 1795 (New Series)), Establishing grades on Sabin place.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2007, Ordinance No. 1796 (New Series), Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in Twenty-fifth avenue, between Lake and West Clay streets; Lake, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; Twenty-first avenue, between California and Geary streets; Polk street, between Greenwich and Lombard streets; Parker avenue, between Euclid avenue and Geary street; Church and Dorland streets (westerly intersection); Castro street, between Elizabeth and Twenty-third streets; Twenty-fifth street, between Diamond and Douglass streets; Fifteenth avenue, between Geary and Clement streets; Buena Vista avenue and Waller street; intersection Cook street, between Geary street and Laurel Hill Cemetery; Pixley street, between Fillmore and Steiner streets; Chenery street, between Mateo and Roanoke streets; Twenty-first avenue, between Lake street and its northerly termination; approving an adopting specifications therefor, authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing same.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$36,253.98 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 11,537 to 11,872, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallag-

her, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Nolan, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to-wit:

Park Fund.

Spring Valley Water Co., water service, public parks (claim dated December 28, 1911) \$1,616.07

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

J. H. Dockweiler, preparation of data, investigation of water supply sources for submission to Board of U. S. Army engineers (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912) 1,000.00

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Western Lime & Cement Co., cement for paying right of way Geary Street Municipal Railway (claim dated Jan. 19, 1912) 570.00

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue Jan. 1, 1910.

McLeran and Peterson, 7th payment, general construction, Polytechnic shop building (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912) 8,022.00

General Fund.

San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Poundkeeper; impounding, feeding, etc., of animals (claim dated Feb. 2, 1912) 507.80

Kiernan & O'Brien, first payment plumbin- Potrero Police Station (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912) 1,080.00

The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., for care and maintenance of dependent children (claim dated Jan. 1, 1912) 3,542.61

Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished public buildings for month of January, 1912 (claim dated Jan. 29, 1912) 1,666.66

C. Anderson, rent for County Clerk, No. 11 Jones street,

month of January, 1912
(claim dated Jan. 2, 1912). 648.00
D. A. White, Chief of Police,
contingent allowance for
February, 1912 (claim
dated Feb. 1, 1912)..... 666.66

*Public Building Fund, Series 1908.
Freight on Pipe.*

Southern Pacific Co., from
Alabama to S. F. (claim
dated Jan. 25, 1912)..... 964.35

Purchase Castiron Pipe.

U. S. Castiron Pipe and
Foundry Co., for high pres-
sure system (claim dated
Jan. 13, 1912)..... 2,621.05

Purchase Manhole Frames, Covers, Etc.

Vulcan Iron Works, final pay-
ment on contract No. 41
(claim dated Dec. 18,
1911) 1,179.33

San Francisco Hospital.

Robert Dalziel Jr., first
payment, boiler and boiler
room auxiliaries (claim
dated Jan. 25, 1912)..... 16,500.00

Robert A. McLean, third pay-
ment, cement and composi-
tion floors (claim dated
Jan. 24, 1912)..... 3,462.00

McSheehy Bros., fourth pay-
ment, interior finish (claim
dated Jan. 25, 1912)..... 16,125.00

Robert Dalziel Jr., first pay-
ment, piping for tunnel
work (claim dated Jan. 25,
1912) 4,575.00

Hall of Justice.

Columbia Marble Co., sixth
payment, marble contract
(claim dated Jan. 29, 1912) 3,060.00

Schools.

Wm. S. Snook & Son, first
payment, plumbing, John
Swett Grammar School
(claim dated Jan. 26, 1912) 2,400.00

Wm. S. Snook & Sons, final
payment, plumbing, Spring
Valley School (claim
dated Jan. 25, 1912)..... 843.50

Wm. S. Snook & Sons, final
payment, plumbing, Frank-
lin Grammar School (claim
dated Jan. 25, 1912)..... 746.50

Chas. E. Thomas Co., sec-
ond payment, heating and
ventilation, Lowell High
School (claim dated Jan.
27, 1912) 6,000.00

Henning & Burke, third pay-
ment, general construc-
tion, Girls' High School
(claim dated Jan. 30, 1912) 2,000.25

Sewers.

U. S. Castiron Pipe & Foun-
dry Co., castiron pipe for
Ingle side outlet sewer
(claim dated Jan. 29, 1912) 12,868.59

Pacific Coast Casualty Com-

pany of California, as
surety on bond of Metropo-
lis Construction Co., Lower
Sunset District sewers
(claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)
final payment 41,715.68
(Supervisor McLeran excused from
voting.)

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the following
amounts be and the same are hereby
set aside, appropriated and author-
ized to be expended out of the here-
inafter mentioned funds for the pur-
poses designated, to-wit:

Board of Public Works.

For furnishing and installing
blackboard and construc-
tion of extra brick work
at Spring Valley Grammar
School, School Construction
Bonds, 1908 \$1,500.00

For painting, graining, varn-
ishing and sign writing in
Assessor's office, Tempora-
ry City Hall; paving, re-
paving, etc., account..... 250.00

For purpose of remunerating
Commission on Specifica-
tions for revising specifi-
cations on building con-
struction, and repealing
Resolution No. 9130; pav-
ing, repaving, etc., account
ing, repaving, etc., account. 2,970.00

Board of Health.

For continuing work of spe-
cial sanitation during
months of February,
March, April, May and
June, 1912, to be expended
at the rate of \$1350.00 per
month; special sanitation
account for fiscal year
1911-12 6,750.00

For purchase of automobile
for use of Superintendent
of Relief Home and Warden
of City and County Hos-
pital; appropriation for
Relief Home 1911-12..... 2,000.00

Department of Elections.

To meet expenses of conduct-
ing elections during cur-
rent fiscal year; General
Fund 75,932.90

City Attorney.

To meet cost of completing
preparation of reports and
other data on sources of
water supply for San
Francisco, for submission
to the Board of United
States Army Engineers;
Water Construction Fund,
bond issue July 1, 1910.... 4,000.00

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Awarding Contract For Moving Departments to Hall of Justice.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:
J. R. No. 45.

Resolved, That the contract for moving the various department to the new Hall of Justice be and the same is hereby awarded to Wilson Bros. Co. Inc., at their bid price of \$471.00, the same being lowest bid submitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Merging Salaries and Maintenance Accounts of Relief Home and City and County Hospital.

Also, J. R. No. 46.

Resolved, On the recommendation of the Board of Health, that the merging of the salaries and maintenance accounts of the Relief Home and the City and County Hospital be allowed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Mayor to Use His Efforts to Bring Liberty Bell to San Francisco During Exposition.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 47.

Whereas, It is the earnest desire of the people of California, and the people of San Francisco to maintain a patriotic interest in the Panama-Pacific Exposition which meets in 1915, and

Whereas, One of the most inspiring historical objects available for that purpose is the Liberty Bell, and

Whereas, An earnest effort is being made by the Directors of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, the Public Schools, and Municipalities of California to have the Liberty Bell as a part of this World's Exposition, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco request his Honor the Mayor and the Common Council of Philadelphia, to lend their good offices toward the sending of the Liberty Bell to San Francisco for the Exposition of 1915;

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to supplement this formal resolution with an official letter to the Mayor of Philadelphia asking co-operation in this matter.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,

Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Oil, Boiler and Garage Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

C. L. Tilden, 1501 Evans avenue, 2000 gallons capacity.

St. Luke's Hospital, Valencia and Duncan streets, 2000 gallons capacity.

German House Societies, northwest corner of Turk and Polk streets, 1500 gallons capacity.

M. Fisher Company, north side of Golden Gate avenue, 191 feet 6 inches east of Van Ness avenue, 1500 gallons capacity.

Pacific Structural Iron Works, 370-84 Tenth street, 1500 gallons capacity.

Boilers.

M. Fisher Company, north side of Golden Gate avenue, 191 feet 6 inches east of Van Ness avenue, twenty horsepower, for heating and vulcanizing.

The Fisk Rubber Co., Pine street near Van Ness avenue, eight horsepower, for vulcanizing.

St. Luke's Hospital, Valencia and Duncan streets, 250 horsepower.

C. L. Tilden, 1501 Evans avenue, fifty horsepower, for grinding machine.

Garages.

Fourth Street Garage Company, northeast side of Fourth street from Harrison to Perry streets; not more than two tanks or 600 gallons of gasoline or benzine to be stored at one time.

J. L. Kidwell, south side of Ellis street, 83 feet west of Buchanan street; not more than one tank of 300 gallons of gasoline or benzine to be stored at one time.

Rudolph Spreckels, to make alteration and addition to one-story brick garage on south side of Pacific avenue, 65 feet west of Polk street; to store electric automobiles only, and no gasoline or benzine to be stored.

Laundry.

Laurent Sarlatte, 166 South Park, hand laundry.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Mayor to Sell in Use at Sheriff's Department at Auction and Fire Department to Transfer Four Condemned Horses For Use in Said Department.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
J. R. No. 48.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor

is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction four horses of the Sheriff's Department, unfit for its service; and it is further requested that the Fire Commissioners transfer four condemned horses of the Fire Department, for use and purposes of the Sheriff's Department.

(Recommendation of Sheriff, filed January 27, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Glannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted Willett & Burr to blast in premises of the H. Levi Building at Fifteenth and Rhode Island streets, for the purpose of foundation work, provided that said permittees shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$10,000.00, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204 (New Series); provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and that if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated then the privilege and all rights thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to conduct and maintain stables, to wit:

Joseph Blum, 212 Silliman street, for one horse.

P. G. Anderson, 116 Stillman street, for two horses.

G. Lindauer, 124 Clara street, for one hundred additional horses.

Laurant Sarlatte, north side South Park, 76 feet east of Third street, for one horse.

Laurence Flaherty, lot 2, block G, Mission Terrace, for two horses.

Denying Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 49.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter mentioned locations, to wit:

Thomas O'Keefe, 774-780 Valencia street, for thirty horses.

Arthur Niemitz, 525 Gough street, for fifty horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Recommended.

The following Resolution was on motion of Supervisor Caglieri ordered *recommitted to Public Health Committee*:

Denying Permit For Dog Hospital.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Dr. K. O. Steers to establish and maintain a dog hospital at 416 Fifth avenue.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Professional Boxing Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 50.

Resolved. That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold four-round professional boxing exhibitions at the dates set opposite their respective names, provided said exhibitions are conducted in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 624 of the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

Observatory Athletic Club, February 9, 1912.

Market Athletic Club, February 16, 1912.

Bay View Athletic Club, March 1, 1912.

Ormonde Club, March 8, 1912.

Dreamland Athletic Club, March 15, 1912.

American Athletic Club, March 29, 1912.

Eureka Athletic Club, April 12, 1912.

Columbus Athletic Club, April 19, 1912.

Hawthorne Athletic Club, May 3, 1912.

National Athletic Club, May 10, 1912.

Richmond Athletic Club, May 17, 1912.

Royal Athletic Club, May 24, 1912.

University Mound Athletic Club, June 7, 1912.

San Francisco Athletic Club, June 14, 1912.

Crescent Athletic Club, June 21, 1912.

Sunset Social and Athletic Club, July 12, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Amateur Boxing Permits.

Also, J. R. No. 51.

Resolved, That the Columbia Athletic Club is hereby granted permission to hold an amateur boxing exhibition at its gymnasium No. 474 Castro street, February 20, 1912, under the provisions of Section 12, of Ordinance 624.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Masquerade Ball Permits.

Also, J. R. No. 52.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to wit:

Butchers' Union, Local 3, at Masonic Hall, Railroad and Newcomb avenues, February 3, 1912.

German Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Red Cross, at Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, March 2, 1912.

New Century Circle No. 513, at American Foresters' Hall, 172 Golden Gate avenue, February 19, 1912.

Verein Eintracht, at Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, February 17, 1912.

Western Addition Club, at Western Addition Hall, 2226 Fillmore street, February 16, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Also, J. R. No. 53.

Resolved, That the Belmont Club is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at Guadalupe Hall, 4551 Mission street, February 10, 1912, upon payment of the usual license fee.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Install Lighting Service.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:

J. R. No. 54.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas & Electric Light Company be requested to install one gas lamp at each of the following locations:

West side of Montgomery street, between Jackson and Pacific streets, opposite Gold street.

South side of Union street, 110 feet east of Divisadero street,

Also, to install electric light service in Engine House No. 20, of the San Francisco Fire Department at 2117 Filbert street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

(Supervisor Vogelsang called attention to matter of correct spelling of street names on lamp posts and declared that gas and electric company should place names on lamps instead of City.

(Clerk instructed to write company relative to changes in street name and correct spelling of same.)

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was *passed for printing*:

Calling and Providing For Special Election For the Issuance of Bonds For City Hall and Civic Center.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang: Bill No. 2009, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Calling and providing for a special election to be held in the city and county of San Francisco on the 28th day of March, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said city and county a proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness for said city and county for the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the city and county of San Francisco of a permanent building, or buildings, and improvements to be used by the said city and county as a City Hall, and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a civic center."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Adopted.

Whereupon, The following resolution

was on motion of Supervisor Vogelsang *adopted* by the following vote:

Intention to Apply Premium on City Hall and Civic Center Bonds to Payment of Principal and Interest.

Resolution No. 9298 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That it is hereby declared to be the intention, and determined to be the policy of the Board of Supervisors, to apply any premiums received from the sale of any bonds hereafter authorized for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, to the payment of principal and interest on such bonds.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

(Supervisor Vogelsang, in response to request of his Honor the Mayor as to the purpose of the above Resolution, explained that it was intended to bind this administration to a determination to place whatever surplus that may come from a premium on the city hall bonds in a fund that it may be used as a part of the sinking fund for the redemption of these bonds and for the payment of the interest. This, he stated, would tend to reduce the rate of interest paid on bonds to a proper market price.)

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

City Attorney to Solicit Offers For the Acquisition of Certain Lands Required For the Opening of Fair Avenue From Casserly to Prosper Avenues.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 55.

Resolved, That the City Attorney is hereby authorized and requested to solicit offers for the acquisition of the certain lands as surveyed and delineated by the City Engineer and required for the opening of Fair avenue, from Casserly to Prosper avenues.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on his motion laid *over one week*:

Sustaining Protest of Property Owners Against Change of Grade on San Bruno Avenue, Between Silliman and Felton Streets.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the protest of prop-

erty owners against the change of grades on San Bruno avenue, between the northerly line of Silliman street and the southerly line of Felton street, and on Silliman and Felton streets, between San Bruno avenue and Girard streets, be sustained.

Resolved, That Resolution of Intention No. 8913, approved November 22nd, 1911, be repealed.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the City Street Improvement Company is hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after January 4, 1912, within which to complete contract for paving the roadway of Kearny street, between Sacramento and California streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was delayed in the work on account of the reconstruction of the railroad tracks on said street and the installation of the high pressure fire protection system.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9299 (New Series), as follows:

Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Clement street and on Seventeenth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Conditional Acceptance, Crossing of Ashbury and Grove Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2010, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the conditional acceptance of the roadway of crossing of Ashbury and Grove streets.

Establishing Grades, San Bruno Avenue, Between Twenty-first and Twenty-second Streets.

Also, Bill No. 1995, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Establishing grades on

San Bruno avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, and on Twenty-first street, between Vermont street and San Bruno avenue.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF BILLS, RESOLUTIONS OR MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relative to Citizens' Alliance Advertisement in East For Workers to Come to California.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher called the attention of his Honor the Mayor to advertisements of the Citizens' Alliance running in eastern papers inviting colonists to San Francisco and California, holding out the inducement that since the new administration took office open shop conditions prevailed and would be encouraged, and that there was plenty of work owing to preparations being made for the 1915 Exposition. He did not believe the Mayor would countenance any such statement regarding the new administration and requested a statement as to its attitude in the matter.

His Honor the Mayor in reply, stated that he had seen one of the advertising circulars of the Citizens' Alliance and was very much incensed at the statements contained therein, that he had made inquiries as to the organization through men who were in sympathy with his administration and had learned that there was not enough members of the Citizens' Alliance to hold a coroner's inquest. He declared that the platform on which he was elected was every clear on the question of organized labor, and he stated that he would never allow his office to be used for the destruction of labor organizations in San Francisco. He pledged himself to be true and faithful to his platform as regards organized labor and in conclusion said he did not think it necessary to take any further cognizance of the statement contained in the circular of the Citizens' Alliance.

Speeding of Street Cars on Grades.
Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher called attention to dangerous practice of motormen in speeding heavy cars on steep grades, and requested the Mayor to call matter to attention of United Railroads.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules, and adopted:

Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company to Furnish Data of its Activities For Publication in Municipal Record.

On motion of Supervisors Hayden:

J. R. No. 57.

Resolved, That the Directors of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, be and they are hereby invited to furnish for publication in the "Municipal Record" each week, a brief statement of the matters of general public interest considered and acted upon by them, to the end that the progress and preparations being made may be presented to the people in succinct form.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Mayor to Sell at Auction Five Horses Unfitted For Further Use at Relief Home.
J. R. No. 58.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction five horses in use at the Relief Home, but unfitted for further use in such institution or any other department of the City and County.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Relative to Lease of Geary Street Cable Railway.

His Honor the Mayor presented:

Petition—Of Frederick Knower, for a month to month lease of the Geary Street Cable Railroad and the electric system at the westerly termination thereof.

Ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee.

Telephone Rates Meeting.
Announcement.

Supervisor Hilmer announced that the Telephone Rates Committee would meet on Wednesday evening, February 7, 1912, at 8 p. m., to commence the telephone rates investigation.

Relative to Nuisance Maintained on Dolores Street, Between Twenty-first and Twenty-second.

Supervisor Payot declared that manure had been dumped in the ovals in the center of Dolores street, and had remained in this dumped condition for at least one month, to the great discomfort of the residents of that district. On account of the great number of flies attracted this condition has become a great nuisance, which cannot be abated, notwithstanding the reams of fly paper the afflicted housewives decorate their houses with. He requested that the attention of the Park Commission be called to this neglected condition, and

that it be requested to afford the much desired relief.

Motion.

Supervisor George E. Gallagher moved that matter be referred to the Board of Health and the Board of Public Works.

Motion carried.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was introduced under suspension of the rules and passed for printing:

Declaratory Ordinance, Acquisition of Properties of Spring Valley Water Company.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang: Bill No. 2011, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Declaring and determining that the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to-wit: A water supply and works to be owned and controlled by the City and County of San Francisco to furnish to said City and County and to the inhabitants thereof a sufficient supply of water for all purposes in connection with and as a part of the Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne system; directing the Board of Public Works to procure, through the City Engineer, and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of original construction and completion by the said City and County of San Francisco of the public utility herein named, and designating the sources of supply of the Spring Valley Water Company as available sources for obtaining a sufficient supply of good, pure water for the said City and County and the inhabitants thereof, and declaring that the acquisition of the properties of the Spring Valley Water Company is necessary and desirable as part of such public utility.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby declared and specifically determined that the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition and completion of a public utility, to wit: a water supply and works to be owned and controlled by the City and County of San Francisco to furnish to said City and County and to the inhabitants thereof a sufficient supply of good, pure water for all purposes, such water supply and works to be used as a part of and in connection with the water supply and works of what is known as the Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne System, authorized by vote of the electors of the City and County on the 14th day of January, 1910.

Section 2. The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to procure,

through the City Engineer, and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of original construction and completion by the said City and County of the public utility herein named, and to procure, through the said City Engineer, and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of obtaining from the sources of supply of the Spring Valley Water Company, mentioned in Sections Three and Four of this Ordinance, a sufficient supply of water for the City and County of San Francisco and its inhabitants, such sources of supply and works to be used in connection with and as a part of the Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne System heretofore authorized by vote of the electors of the said City and County on the 14th day of January, 1910.

Section 3. The sources of said Spring Valley Water Company are hereby designated as available sources for obtaining, in connection with said Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne System, a sufficient supply of good, pure water for all purposes for the City and County of San Francisco and the inhabitants thereof to be used as a part of and in connection with the said Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne System.

Section 4. That the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition of an existing public utility, to-wit, the existing property and plants of the Spring Valley Water Company, a corporation now supplying water to said City and County and its inhabitants, consisting of sources of water supply, distribution system, storage and distributing reservoirs, pipe lines and conduits and other properties and rights owned by said company. The said property and plant of said company to be owned and used by the said City and County in connection with and as a part of the system of water supply heretofore authorized by the electors of said City and County on the 14th day of January, 1910, and known as the Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne System.

Section 5. This Ordinance is the first of a series of Ordinances to be adopted by the Board of Supervisors relating to and designed to secure the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility herein named.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper for fourteen days after its approval.

Section 7. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Glanville, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Appointment of Advisory Committee on Acquisition of Spring Valley Water Company Properties.

On motion of Supervisor Volegsang:
J. R. No. 59.

Resolved, That on the recommendation of the Public Utilities Committee a special Advisory Committee upon the acquisition of the Spring Valley water system be appointed. Said Committee to consider and report upon the entire subject matter of purchase of these properties.

Further Resolved, That this special Advisory Committee be composed of Judge Curtis H. Lindley, his Honor the Mayor, James Rolph Jr., the City Attorney, Honorable Percy V. Long, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Thomas Jennings and the Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee, Alexander T. Vogelsang.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Volegsang—17.

Relative to the Departure of the "Cleveland".

His Honor the Mayor declared that Major Young of the U. S. Army Transport Service had placed the tug "Slocum", at the service of the members of the Board to enable them to accompany the steamer "Cleveland" outside the heads on her departure tomorrow to continue her journey around the world, and requested all who could avail themselves of the invitation to do so.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5:05 p. m. o'clock *adjourned* to meet Wednesday evening, February 7, 1912, at 8 p. m., to commence investigation preliminary to fixing and establishing telephone rates for year commencing July 1, 1912.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors February 13, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 7, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Wednesday evening, February 7, 1912, 8 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of commencing the annual investigation preliminary to the fixing and establishing of rates for telephonic service for the year commencing July 1, 1912.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher—10.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph being absent, Supervisor Hilmer was called to the Chair.

Committee of the Whole.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy the Board resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole with Supervisor Hilmer in the Chair.

Supervisor Hocks called attention to the fact that the proposed telephone merger was before the Board of Supervisors and that it was desirable to postpone action on the investigation until something was done in the matter.

Motion.

Whereupon, *Supervisor Murphy* moved that the reports furnished by the Home Telephone and the Pacific Telephone companies be received and filed and that the Board meet again for the purpose of continuing the investigation on Friday evening, February 23, 1912.

Report of the Committee of the Whole.

Thereupon, on motion of Supervisor Murdock, the Committee of the Whole arose and reported progress.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board of Supervisors adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Tuesday, February 13, 1912

Wednesday Evening, February 14, 1912

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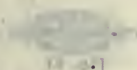
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, February 13, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Nolan, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Payot, Vogelsang—15. Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of February 5, 1912, was read and approved.

Leave of Absence, Assessor Washington Dodge.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Mayor, recommending that Assessor Washington Dodge be granted a leave of absence from the State for sixty days.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced and adopted by the following vote:

J. R. No. 60.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed February 13, 1912, Assessor Washington Dodge be and he is hereby granted a leave of absence from the State for a period not to exceed sixty days.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Providing for Correction of Certificates of Sale of Property Sold to State for Non-Payment of Taxes.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From the Tax Collector, submitting draft of Resolution providing for correction of certificates of sale of property sold to State for non-payment of taxes.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced and adopted by the following vote:

J. R. No. 61.

Whereas, Certain property was correctly assessed and sold to the State on August 6, 1906, for delinquent State and county taxes for the fiscal year 1905, and

Whereas, The Certificates of Tax Sale issued for the sale of such property are dated the seventh day of August, 1906, and

Whereas, The dating of said certificates the seventh day of August, 1906, is a misstatement of fact and a clerical error occurring and appearing in said Certificate of Sale, and

Whereas, It has been determined by the Board of Supervisors, acting under authority of Section No. 3805, P. C. C., that said certificates should be dated the sixth day of August, 1906, the day of said sale,

Therefore, It is hereby ordered by the Board of Supervisors, acting under authority of Section No. 3805, P. C. C., that David Bush, the Tax Collector be, and he is hereby directed to correct all unredeemed certificates of tax sales for delinquent taxes for the fiscal year 1905, by the issuance of new and amended certificates of said sales, to be dated the sixth day of August, 1906, and to contain a statement giving reasons for their issuance.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Judiciary Committee—Daniel C. Murphy, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Ed. I. Nolan, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Publicity and Interurban Relations Committee—J. Emmet Hayden, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—Alex. T. Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Report of the Public Utilities Committee. The following report was presented, read and adopted:

San Francisco, February 13, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: Your Committee on Public Utilities begs leave to report that on Wednesday, February 7th, a further hearing was given on the matter of the telephone merger.

His Honor the Mayor was present, and there were also present Messrs. Jas. Slauson, Dan Murphy, W. S. Bartlett, W. G. Patterson and F. W. Braun of Los Angeles, who represented stockholders of the Home Telephone Company. These gentlemen requested that the petition for the merger be granted, as they had large sums of money invested in the project and were receiving no return thereon and because competitive telephony was apparently not desired by the people of our city.

Representatives of the Labor Council and representatives of the telephone companies were present.

Bion J. Arnold, Traffic Expert, presented his first report suggesting the type of cars for the Geary Street Municipal Railroad. This report recommended a car partially open and partially closed, and gave specific information regarding car construction.

Your Committee having in mind the possible early cessation of operation of the present Geary street cable cars, due to recommencement of construction, recommends the adoption of a resolution extending the time for operation by the Geary Street Cable Company thirty days, or until such time as the Public Utilities Committee shall direct the operation of the road to cease.

Your Committee further reports that on Thursday, February 8th, it held a

meeting jointly with his Honor the Mayor, the Board of Public Works and Bion J. Arnold at the office of the Mayor, where further discussion was had concerning the type of car to be used upon the Geary street road, and as to the method of reconstruction of the roadbed.

It was unanimously decided by all parties concerned that the completion of the road shall be done by public contract, and the Board of Public Works was requested to prepare specifications accordingly. The resolution to be adopted by this Board is presented herewith.

It was also decided that the specifications of the City Engineer for the cars to be used upon said road, shall be modified to meet the suggestions and recommendations of Mr. Arnold and that as soon as said alterations are complete advertisements for proposals shall be published inviting bids for all-steel, semi-steel and wood construction of said cars, concerning which a resolution is also offered herewith for your consideration.

It is expected that all specifications for reconstruction and for cars will be complete by March 1st.

Mr. Wm. H. Crocker appeared before the Committee seeking permission to purchase, on behalf of the Geary Street Cable Company, a new cable and asking that the road be operated by this cable until its purchase price was earned. Your Committee feels that such extension would extend over a period of 4 or 5 months, and deems it unwise to postpone reconstruction for so long a period. Your Committee, therefore, recommends that the application be denied.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG,
GEO. E. GALLAGHER.

Public Utilities Committee.

Relative to Construction of Daniel Webster School.

His Honor the Mayor stated that it had been called to his attention that school facilities in the Potrero District were entirely inadequate to meet the needs of that district, that there was only accommodations in the present Daniel Webster School for 490 pupils, whereas there were over 1250 children in the district seeking accommodation. He stated that he had been informed that provision was made in the 1904 bond issue for the Daniel Webster School and wanted to know why the school could not be built and paid for in 3½ per cent bonds.

Supervisor McCarthy, acting Chairman of the Finance Committee, stated that there was no money of the 1904 bond issue available. He declared that it was a poor financial policy to con-

tinue the practice of paying for such work in $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent bonds, as it tended to depreciate the city's credit. As far as he was concerned he wished to see the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent bonds retired and new bonds issued for necessary schools and other improvements and recommended that action as the only proper solution of the question. Upon being asked by his Honor the Mayor about how long it would take to prepare a new bond issue, he stated that as soon as he could obtain a report from the Board of Public Works, which he has been waiting for, and the Board of Education will state its requirements, he would take the matter up at once with the Finance Committee.

Clerk instructed to obtain immediately from the Board of Public Works report asked for by the Building Committee as to the amount necessary to complete bond issue schools.

Presentation of Mr. Kemp, Former Mayor of Brockton, Mass.

His Honor the Mayor presented Mr. Kemp, former Mayor of Brockton, Mass., who addressed the Board, stating that every part of the country was watching with interest the progress of San Francisco. He declared that he had had some experience with bond issue for school buildings, and advised that the policy of the Finance Committee as outlined by Supervisor McCarthy be sustained.

Hearing of Appeal from Street Assessment.

The hearing of appeal of Leslie Van Ness Denman and other property owners against assessment, warrant and diagram issued by the Board of Public Works for the construction of a sewer in Laurel street, between Jackson and Pacific streets, laid over since last week and fixed for the hour of 3 p. m. this day, was proceeded with.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. Renaud, property owner, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that the sewer work in Laurel street benefited only one person's property for which all the others were assessed, no benefit being received therefrom as they already had other sewer connections. He believed the Board of Public Works had no power to assess property in that manner unless the property was actually benefited.

Geo. Connolly, attorney, also addressed the Board, favoring the assessment made by the Board of Public Works. He declared that it was not true that only one property owner was benefited and stated that the Board of Public Works could not do other than it had done in making the as-

essment if it wished to comply with the law in this regard as laid down in the Charter.

Assessment Confirmed.

Whereupon the following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher and adopted:

Resolution No. 9300 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the appeal of Leslie Van Ness Denman et al. against the assessment for sewer work in Laurel street, between Jackson and Pacific streets, be denied and the assessment levied by the Board of Public Works confirmed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Maury, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9301 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to-wit:

Park Fund.

Spring Valley Water Co., water service, public parks (claim dated December 28, 1911) \$1,616.07

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

J. H. Dockweiler, preparation of data, investigation of water supply sources for submission to Board of U. S. Army engineers (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)..... 1,000.00

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Western Lime & Cement Co., cement for paving right of way Geary Street Municipal Railway (claim dated Jan. 19, 1912)..... 570.00

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue Jan. 1, 1910.

McLeran and Peterson, 7th payment, general construction. Polytechnic shop building (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912) 8,022.00

General Fund.

San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Poundkeeper; impounding, feeding, etc., of animals (claim dated

Feb. 2, 1912)	507.80	lin Grammar School (claim dated Jan. 25, 1912)	746.50
Kiernan & O'Brien, first payment plumbin~ Potrero Police Station (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912)	1,080.00	Chas. E. Thomas Co., second payment, heating and ventilation, Lowell High School (claim dated Jan. 27, 1912)	6,000.00
The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., for care and maintenance of dependent children (claim dated Jan. 1, 1912)	3,542.61	Henning & Burke, third payment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912)	2,000.25
Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished public buildings for month of January, 1912 (claim dated Jan. 29, 1912)	1,666.66	<i>Sewers.</i>	
C. Anderson, rent for County Clerk, No. 11 Jones street, month of January, 1912 (claim dated Jan. 2, 1912)	648.00	U. S. Castiron Pipe & Foundry Co., castiron pipe for Ingleside outlet sewer (claim dated Jan. 29, 1912)	12,868.59
D. A. White, Chief of Police, contingent allowance for February, 1912 (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)	666.66	Pacific Coast Casualty Company of California, as surety on bond of Metropolitan Construction Co., Lower Sunset District sewers (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	41,715.68
<i>Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>		final payment	41,715.68
<i>Freight on Pipe.</i>		Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannihi, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.	
Southern Pacific Co., from Alabama to S. F. (claim dated Jan. 25, 1912)	964.35	(Supervisor McLeran excused from voting on fourth item.)	
<i>Purchase Castiron Pipe.</i>		Appropriations.	
U. S. Castiron Pipe and Foundry Co., for high pressure system (claim dated Jan. 13, 1912)	2,621.05	Resolution No. 9302 (New Series), as follows:	
<i>Purchase Manhole Frames, Covers, Etc.</i>		Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the purposes designated, to-wit:	
Vulcan Iron Works, final payment on contract No. 41 (claim dated Dec. 18, 1911)	1,179.33	<i>Board of Public Works.</i>	
<i>San Francisco Hospital.</i>		For furnishing and installing blackboard and construction of extra brick work at Spring Valley Grammar School, School Construction Bonds, 1908	\$1,500.00
Robert Dalziel Jr., first payment, boiler and boiler room auxiliaries (claim dated Jan. 25, 1912)	16,500.00	For painting, graining, varnishing and sign writing in Assessor's office, Temporary City Hall; paving, repaving, etc., account	250.00
Robert A. McLean, third payment, cement and composition floors (claim dated Jan. 24, 1912)	3,462.00	For purpose of remunerating Commission on Specifications for revising specifications on building construction, and repealing Resolution No. 9130; paving, repaving, etc., account.	2,970.00
McSheehy Bros., fourth payment, interior finish (claim dated Jan. 25, 1912)	16,125.00	<i>Board of Health.</i>	
Robert Dalziel Jr., first payment, piping for tunnel work (claim dated Jan. 25, 1912)	4,575.00	For continuing work of special sanitation during months of February, March, April, May and June, 1912, to be expended at the rate of \$1350.00 per month; special sanitation account for fiscal year 1911-12	6,750.00
<i>Hall of Justice.</i>		For purchase of automobile	
Columbia Marble Co., sixth payment, marble contract (claim dated Jan. 29, 1912)	3,060.00		
<i>Schools.</i>			
Wm. S. Snook & Son, first payment, plumbing, John Swett Grammar School (claim dated Jan. 26, 1912)	2,400.00		
Wm. S. Snook & Sons, final payment, plumbing, Spring Valley School (claim dated Jan. 25, 1912)	843.50		
Wm. S. Snook & Sons, final payment, plumbing, Frank-			

for use of Superintendent of Relief Home and Warden of City and County Hospital; appropriation for Relief Home 1911-12..... 2,000.00

Department of Elections.

To meet expenses of conducting elections during current fiscal year; General Fund 75,932.90

City Attorney.

To meet cost of completing preparation of reports and other data on sources of water supply for San Francisco, for submission to the Board of United States Army Engineers; Water Construction Fund, bond issue July 1, 1910.... 4,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$5000 of Defray Cost of Advising Board of Public Works as to Plans For City Hall and Civic Center.

Resolution No. 9303 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$5000 is hereby set aside and authorized to be expended out of the Urgent Necessities Fund by the Board of Public Works under the direction of the Committee on Public Buildings of the Board of Supervisors for defraying the cost of advising said Board of Public Works as to the plan to be adopted in securing plans for the proposed City Hall and Civic Center and all matters appertaining thereto.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Oil, Boiler and Garage Permits.

Resolution No. 9304 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

C. L. Tilden, 1501 Evans avenue, 2000 gallons capacity.

St. Luke's Hospital, Valencia and Duncan streets, 2000 gallons capacity.

German House Societies, northwest corner of Turk and Polk streets, 1500 gallons capacity.

M. Fisher Company, north side of Golden Gate avenue, 191 feet 6 inches east of Van Ness avenue, 1500 gallons capacity.

Pacific Structural Iron Works, 370-84 Tenth street, 1500 gallons capacity.

Boilers.

M. Fisher Company, north side of

Golden Gate avenue, 191 feet 6 inches east of Van Ness avenue, twenty horsepower, for heating and vulcanizing.

The Fisk Rubber Co., Pine street near Van Ness avenue, eight horsepower, for vulcanizing.

St. Luke's Hospital, Valencia and Duncan streets, 250 horsepower.

C. L. Tilden, 1501 Evans avenue, fifty horsepower, for grinding machine.

Garages.

Fourth Street Garage Company, northeast side of Fourth street from Harrison to Perry streets; not more than two tanks or 600 gallons of gasoline or benzine to be stored at one time.

J. L. Kidwell, south side of Ellis street, 83 feet west of Buchanan street; not more than one tank of 300 gallons of gasoline or benzine to be stored at one time.

Rudolph Spreckels, to make alteration and addition to one-story brick garage on south side of Pacific avenue, 65 feet west of Polk street; to store electric automobiles only, and no gasoline or benzine to be stored.

Laundry.

Laurent Sarlatte, 166 South Park, hand laundry.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9305 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted Willett & Burr to blast in premises of the H. Levi Building at Fifteenth and Rhode Island streets, for the purpose of foundation work, provided that said permittees shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$10,000.00, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204 (New Series); provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and that if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated then the privilege and all rights thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9306 (New Series):
Resolved, That Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company be and is hereby granted the following extensions of time on its contracts, to-wit:

Sixty days' time from and after December 11, 1911, within which to complete construction of Twin Peaks Reservoir, for the reason of changes in the plans; and ninety days' time from and after October 16, 1911, within which to complete the general construction of Pumping Plant No. 1, for reason of delays caused in painting until the completion of the installation of the machinery; and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution be and the same is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9307 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance 1003 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to conduct and maintain stables, to wit:

Joseph Blum, 212 Silliman street, for one horse.

P. G. Anderson, 116 Stillman street, for two horses.

G. Lindauer, 124 Clara street, for one hundred additional horses.

Laurant Sarlatte, north side South Park, 76 feet east of Third street, for one horse.

Laurence Flaherty, lot 2, block G, Mission Terrace, for two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Calling and Providing For Special Election For the Issuance of Bonds For City Hall and Civic Center.

Bill No. 2009, Ordinance No. 1797 (New Series), entitled, "Calling and providing for a special election to be held in the city and county of San Francisco on the 28th day of March, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said city and county a proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness for said city and county for the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the city and county of San Francisco of a permanent build-

ing, or buildings, and improvements to be used by the said city and county as a City Hall, and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a civic center."

Whereas, The Board of Supervisors did on the fifteenth day of January, 1912, adopt and finally pass Ordinance No. 1769, New Series, determining and declaring that the public interest requires the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the said City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building, or buildings, and improvements, to be used by the said City and County as a City Hall, and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a civic center, determining and declaring that the cost of the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of said building, or buildings, improvements and lands will exceed the income and revenue provided by the City and County for any one year, and directing the Board of Public Works to prepare and file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of original construction and completion or acquisition of the building, or buildings, improvements and lands mentioned therein; and

Whereas, Pursuant to the direction of said Ordinance No. 1769, New Series, said Board of Public Works did prepare and on the twenty-ninth day of January, 1912, did file with the Board of Supervisors the plans and estimates of the cost of original construction and completion or acquisition of the building, or buildings, improvements and lands mentioned therein.

Now, therefore, Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. A special election is hereby called and ordered to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on Thursday, the 28th day of March, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County a proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness for the following purpose, to wit:

The acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building or buildings and improvements to be used by the City and County of San Francisco as a City Hall and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a Civic Center.

Section 2. That the estimated cost of the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building or buildings and improvements to be used by said City and County of San Francisco as a City Hall, and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and land adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a Civic Center, is Eight Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars.

That the method and manner of payment of said estimated cost of such building or buildings, improvements and lands referred to is by the issuance of bonds to the amount herein-after stated, the sale of said bonds so issued and the application of the proceeds of such sale to the payment of the cost of the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment of such building or buildings and improvements to be used by the City and County of San Francisco as a City Hall and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a Civic Center. Any excess of cost over and above such bonded debt to be paid from the annual revenue of the City and County.

Section 3. The special election hereby called and ordered to be held shall be held and conducted and the votes thereat received and canvassed, and the returns thereof made, and the results thereof ascertained, determined and declared as herein provided and according to the laws of the State of California providing for and governing elections in the City and County of San Francisco, and the polls for such election shall be and remain open during the time required by said laws.

The ballots to be used at said special election shall be such as may be required by law to be used thereat, and, in addition to any other matter required by law to be printed thereon, shall appear thereon the following:

"MUNICIPAL TICKET,"

To vote for the proposition and thereby authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the amount of, and for the purpose stated in such proposition stamp a cross (X) in the blank space to the right of the word "Yes."

To vote against the proposition and thereby refuse to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the amount of, and for the purpose stated in such proposition stamp a cross (X) in the blank space to the right of the word "No."

Also said ballot shall have printed thereon the following:

Proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount of Eight Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars for the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building, or buildings, and improvements to be used by the City and County of San Francisco as a City Hall and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and land adjacent thereto for the purpose of creating a Civic Center. Bonds issued for such purpose shall bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually.

YES

NO

Sample ballots containing the above matter required to be printed thereon shall be supplied to the electors of said City and County by the Board of Election Commissioners, but a failure on the part of any elector to receive such sample ballot shall not be held to invalidate the election or affect in any manner the legality of any bonds that may be authorized thereat.

Section 4. Any qualified elector of the City and County of San Francisco may vote at said special election for or against the proposition herewith submitted. To vote in favor of and authorize the incurring of a bonded debt for the purpose set forth in the proposition herein stated he shall stamp a cross (X) in the square to the right of the word "Yes," printed opposite to the proposition, and to vote against and refuse to authorize the incurring of a bonded debt for the purpose set forth in the proposition herein stated stamp a cross (X) in the square to the right of the word "No," printed opposite the proposition.

Each cross (X) stamped in the square to the right of the word "Yes" shall be counted as a vote in favor of, and to authorize, the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purpose set forth in the proposition opposite to which such cross (X) is stamped; and each cross (X) stamped in the square to the right of the word "No" shall be counted as a vote not in favor of, and a refusal to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purpose set forth in the proposition opposite to which such cross (X) is stamped.

The election precincts and the numbers, names and boundaries thereof for said special election and the places of voting and the officers to conduct such election, and all other necessary proceedings in that behalf, shall be respectively defined, designated, selected, appointed and had by the Board of Election Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to procure and provide all supplies that may be necessary to properly and lawfully conduct said special election.

When the polls are closed the officers of election shall count the ballots cast at such election and canvass the votes cast respectively for and against the proposition herein stated and make return thereof in time, form and manner required for the counting, canvassing and returning of votes cast at other municipal elections held in the City and County of San Francisco. The Board of Election Commissioners shall, as soon as the said returns and ballots have been received by said Board, canvass said returns and declare the result thereof in the manner provided by law for canvassing returns and declaring results in other elections, and shall also certify said results to the Board of Supervisors.

Section 5. If at such special election it shall appear that two-thirds of all the votes cast thereat were in favor of and authorized the incurring of a bonded debt for the purpose set forth in said proposition, then such proposition shall be deemed to have been accepted by the electors, and bonds will be issued to defray the cost of the building or buildings, improvements or lands specified in such proposition and to the amount stated therein. Such bonds shall be of the form and character known as "serials." All of said bonds shall be dated July 1, 1912; shall bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually; shall be of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or, at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County in the City and State of New York.

Bonds issued for the purpose stated in said proposition shall be called "City Hall Bonds," and shall be numbered from 1 to 8800 inclusive.

Section 6. Said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
City and County of San Francisco.
CITY HALL BOND.

No. _____ \$1,000.00
For value received, the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer on the first day of July, 19—, One Thousand Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually January 1 and July 1, on presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached as they respectively become due, both principal and interest being payable in Gold Coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York.

This bond is issued under and pursuant to the Constitution and Statutes of the State of California and the Charter of said City and County of San Francisco and amendments thereto, and under and pursuant to ordinances and proceedings of said City and County duly adopted and taken, and a vote and assent of more than two-thirds of the qualified electors of said City and County voting at a special election duly and legally called and held for that purpose.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required by law to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have existed, happened and been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City and County, does not exceed any limit prescribed by the Constitution or Statutes of said State or Charter of said City and County, and that provision has been made as required by the Constitution and Statutes of said State and the Charter of said City and County for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on this bond as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of this bond on or before maturity. Full faith and credit of said City and County are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond.

This bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a

statement stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that this bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of this bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time this bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person, or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of this bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon.

This bond is exempt from all taxation within the State of California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said City and County of San Francisco has caused this bond to be executed under its corporate seal, signed by its Mayor and Treasurer, and countersigned by its Auditor; and has caused interest coupons hereto attached to be signed by the engraved or lithographed signature of its Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of July, 1912.

Mayor.

Treasurer.

Countersigned. _____

Auditor. _____

FORM OF COUPON.

No. _____ \$25.00

On _____ 19—, the City and County of San Francisco, California, will pay to bearer at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York, Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) in Gold Coin of the United States, being six months' interest then due on its bond dated July 1, 1912.

No. _____

Treasurer.

FORM OF REGISTRATION.

San Francisco, _____, 19—.

This bond is registered pursuant to the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, in the name of _____, and the interest and principal thereof are hereafter payable to such owner.

Treasurer.

Section 7. Said Eight Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars bonds to be issued for the purpose stated herein shall be numbered from 1 to 8800, both inclusive, and shall be payable, Two Hundred Thousand Dollars thereof, five years from the date of said bonds, beginning with the lowest numbers, and two hundred thousand dollars of the next higher numbers on the same day

in each succeeding year until all of said bonds shall be paid.

Section 8. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment of said Eight Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars bonds issued under said proposition shall be the sum of Four Hundred and Forty Thousand Dollars each year for the first five years from date of said bonds to pay the annual interest on said bonds, and in season pay such interest as it becomes due, and for the sixth year after the date of said bonds, the sum of Four Hundred and Thirty Thousand Dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the Two Hundred Thousand Dollars thereof due five years from their date have been paid, and for the seventh year after the date of said bonds the sum of Four Hundred and Twenty Thousand Dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the Two Hundred Thousand Dollars thereof due six years from their date have been paid, and so on, a sum each year for Forty-two succeeding years and until said bonds are all paid sufficient for interest, and in season to pay interest on all of said bonds outstanding, which sum for interest will diminish each year by the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars by reason of the payment each year, beginning five years from the date of said bonds of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars of said bonds, and the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars each year beginning four years from the date of said bonds to pay and in season to pay the principal of such bonds as they respectively become due, and continuing each succeeding year for Forty-three years until the principal of all of said bonds has been paid.

The purpose and intent of the foregoing tax provisions are, and it is hereby expressly provided that at the time of levying the municipal tax, and in the manner provided for such tax levy, the Supervisors shall levy and collect annually a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds, and also such part of the bonded indebtedness as will fall due within the succeeding fiscal year. Such taxes shall be in addition to all other taxes levied for municipal purposes, and shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner as other municipal taxes are collected.

Section 9. This ordinance shall be published for at least ten days in the official newspaper, and at the expiration of said ten days' notice of such special election shall be given and published as required by law.

Section 10. This ordinance is the second of a series of ordinances which

will be adopted by the Board of Supervisors under and by virtue of which it is proposed that a bonded indebtedness of said City and County will be incurred for the purposes herein enumerated.

Section 11. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent Supervisor Jenning—1.

Declaratory Ordinance, Acquisition of Properties of Spring Valley Water Company.

Bill No. 2011, Ordinance No. 1798 (New Series). Declaring and determining that the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to-wit: A water supply and works to be owned and controlled by the City and County of San Francisco to furnish to said City and County and to the inhabitants thereof a sufficient supply of water for all purposes in connection with and as a part of the Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne system; directing the Board of Public Works to procure, through the City Engineer, and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of original construction and completion by the said City and County of San Francisco of the public utility herein named, and designating the sources of supply of the Spring Valley Water Company as available sources for obtaining a sufficient supply of good, pure water for the said City and County and the inhabitants thereof, and declaring that the acquisition of the properties of the Spring Valley Water Company is necessary and desirable as part of such public utility.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby declared and specifically determined that the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition and completion of a public utility, to-wit: a water supply and works to be owned and controlled by the City and County of San Francisco to furnish to said City and County and to the inhabitants thereof a sufficient supply of good, pure water for all purposes, such water supply and works to be used as a part of and in connection with the water supply and works of what is known as the Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne System, authorized by vote of the electors of the City and

County on the 14th day of January, 1910.

Section 2. The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to procure, through the City Engineer, and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of original construction and completion by the said City and County of the public utility herein named, and to procure, through the said City Engineer, and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of obtaining from the sources of supply of the Spring Valley Water Company, mentioned in Sections Three and Four of this Ordinance, a sufficient supply of water for the City and County of San Francisco and its inhabitants, such sources of supply and works to be used in connection with and as a part of the Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne System heretofore authorized by vote of the electors of the said City and County on the 14th day of January, 1910.

Section 3. The sources of said Spring Valley Water Company are hereby designated as available sources for obtaining, in connection with said Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne System, a sufficient supply of good, pure water for all purposes for the City and County of San Francisco and the inhabitants thereof to be used as a part of and in connection with the said Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne System.

Section 4. That the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition of an existing public utility, to-wit, the existing property and plants of the Spring Valley Water Company, a corporation now supplying water to said City and County and its inhabitants, consisting of sources of water supply, distribution system, storage and distributing reservoirs, pipe lines and conduits and other properties and rights owned by said company. The said property and plant of said company to be owned and used by the said City and County in connection with and as a part of the system of water supply heretofore authorized by the electors of said City and County on the 14th day of January, 1910, and known as the Lake Eleanor-Tuolumne System.

Section 5. This Ordinance is the first of a series of Ordinances to be adopted by the Board of Supervisors relating to and designed to secure the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility herein named.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper for fourteen days after its approval.

Section 7. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9308 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the City Street Improvement Company is hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after January 4, 1912, within which to complete contract for paving the roadway of Kearny street, between Sacramento and California streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was delayed in the work on account of the reconstruction of the railroad tracks on said street and the installation of the high pressure fire protection system.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Conditional Acceptance, Crossing of Ashbury and Grove Streets.

Bill No. 2010, Ordinance No. 1799 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the conditional acceptance of the roadway of crossing of Ashbury and Grove streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Establishing Grades, San Bruno Avenue, Between Twenty-first and Twenty-second Streets.

Bill No. 1995, Ordinance No. 1800 (New Series), Establishing grades on San Bruno avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, and on Twenty-first street, between Vermont street and San Bruno avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$155,272.60 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 11,881 to 12,349, inclusive, were presented.

read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Nolan, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following names claimants, to wit:

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

John G. Sutton Co., final payment, plumbing, Grattan School (claim dated Dec. 6, 1911)	\$ 603.25
Flinn & Treacy, first payment, asphalt, paving, Lake View School (claim dated Feb. 3, 1912)	2892.75
Kiernan & O'Brien, final payment, plumbing, Lincoln School (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912)	1023.50
General Elec. Con Co., third payment, electrical work, Lowell High School (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912)	823.20
Brandon & Lawson, third payment, brickwork, Lowell High School (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912)	4702.50
O. C. Holt, sixth payment, general contract, John Swett School (claim dated Feb. 3, 1912)	7410.00
C. F. Weber & Co., assembly chairs, Spring Valley School (claim dated Dec. 12, 1911)	504.00
C. F. Weber & Co., furniture, Spring Valley School (claim dated Dec. 26, 1911)	1141.83
Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin Co., furniture, Spring Valley School (claim dated Dec. 13, 1911)	1242.06

San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Guilfoy Cornice Works, final payment, roofing, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Jan. 24, 1912)..... \$ 1735.50

General Fund.

Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphaltum for repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated Jan. 23, 1912).....\$ 941.28

Whitcomb Estate, by Jas Otis, Trustee, January rent, Tax Collector and Assessor, temporary City Hall (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912)..... 800.00

Madison & Burke, rent of 64-70 Eddy street (claim dated Feb. 5, 1912)..... 2000.00

Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)..... 10,927.59

The Rincon Publishing Company, printing and distributing Municipal Record (claim dated Feb. 2, 1912)..... 621.33

Pacific Gas & Electric Company, gas and electricity for public streets and public buildings (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)..... 36,201.25

J. R. Sloan, Agt. for American Surety Co. of New York, premium on Treasurer's Bond, Jan. 8, 1912 to Jan. 8, 1913 (claim dated Nov. 22, 1911)..... 1000.00

General Fund (Appropriation For Fire Department, Fiscal Year 1911-12).

American LaFrance Fire Engine Co. of Cal., one chemical engine motor car (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912)..... \$6625.00

Associated Oil Company, fuel oil (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)..... 845.29

D. Demartini, hauling manure (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)..... 570.00

Thos. Morton & Son, coal (claim dated Feb. 5, 1912)..... 1683.75

Scott, Magner & Miller, hay (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)..... 1399.07

W. & J. Sloane, carpets, etc. (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912)..... 1902.85

Somers & Co., grain (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)..... 1571.37

Library Fund.

The Emporium, books (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)..... \$ 535.88

S. F. News Co., periodicals (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)..... 1269.35

Appropriations.

Board of Public Works.

For completing hauling and laying of castiron high pressure pipe in district bounded by Market street, Powell street and the Bay; additional appropriation, Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection Fund, bond issue 1908. \$95,000.00

For defraying expenses of Advisory Committee on the Civic Center and City Hall, additional appropriation, paving, repaving streets, etc., account 1,500.00

Public Buildings Committee.

For moving and fitting up departments in temporary City Hall, additional appropriation, paving, repaving streets, etc., account..... \$5,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Noes—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Nolan—3.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings.

Authorizing Appointment of Stenographer-Typewriter For the Board of Fire Commissioners.

Also, Bill No. 2012, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Board of Fire Commissioners to appoint a stenographer-typewriter, and fixing the compensation."

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Installation of Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 62.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas & Electric Company be requested to install two gas lamps on Union street at the following locations:

North side 103 feet west of Divisadero street.

South side 206 feet west of Divisadero street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Laundry and Oil Storage Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the following revocable permits:

E. Vours, French laundry, at 2340 Geary street.

Storage Tanks.

J. V. Tadich, southeast corner of Clay and Leidesdorff streets, capacity 1000 gallons.

E. C. Cutler, south side of Market street 80 feet east of First street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Blasting Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Mercer Fraser Company permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in premises situate and bounded by Kansas, Rhode Island and Army streets and Islais Creek, for the purpose or grading for foundation work, provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and in any of the conditions of this Resolution be violated by said above named company, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Denying Stable Permit.

J. R. No. 63.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter mentioned location:

Alexander Bond, northeast side of Eleventh street, 75 feet northwest of Natoma street, for 30 horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Recommended.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Hocks and on motion *recommended to Police Committee*:

Amateur Boxing Permit.

Resolved, That the Western Athletic Club is hereby granted permission to hold an amateur boxing exhibition at its gymnasium, No. 901 Golden Gate avenue, February 14, 1912, under the provisions of Section 3 of Ordinance No. 1791 (New Series).

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Professional Boxing Permits.

Also, J. R. No. 64.

Resolved, That the following named domestic incorporated athletic class "B" clubs are hereby granted permission to hold four-round boxing exhibitions during the year 1912, on the dates selected by the Police Committee of this Board, provided said exhibitions are conducted in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 1791 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

Observatory Athletic Club.
Market Athletic Club.
Bay View Athletic Club.
Ormonde Club.
Dreamland Athletic Club.
American Athletic Club.
Eureka Athletic Club.
Columbus Athletic Club.
Hawthorne Athletic Club.
National Athletic Club.
Richmond Athletic Club.
Royal Athletic Club.
University Mound Athletic Club.
San Francisco Athletic Club.
Crescent Athletic Club.
Sunset Social and Athletic Club.
Journal Resolution No. 50 is hereby rescinded.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Masquerade Ball Permits.

Also, J. R. No. 65.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable purposes, to wit:

San Francisco Lodge No. 505, Order of Brith Abraham, at Eagles' Hall, No. 279 Golden Gate avenue, February 23, 1912.

Danish Sisterhood, at Mission Turn Verein Hall, 3543 Eighteenth street, March 9, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft and on motion of Supervisor Murphy *told over one week*:

Mayor Authorized to Sell Shack Buildings on Lincoln School Site.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Education filed February 9, 1912, his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction those certain shack buildings on the south side of Harrison street, between Third and Fourth streets, formerly occupied by the Lincoln School.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Completion of Geary Street Municipal Railway by Public Contract.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

J. R. No. 66.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Board that all remaining construction work necessary to complete the Geary Street Railway be done by public contract, that the Board of Public Works be requested to immediately prepare plans and specifications therefor and that all resolutions in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby rescinded.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Nolan—2.

Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Murdock—2.

Type of Car for Geary Street Municipal Railway and Providing for Bids for Same.

Also, J. R. No. 67.

Resolved, That the type of car recommended by Bion J. Arnold for use upon the Geary Street Railway is hereby approved, and the Board of Public Works is hereby requested to solicit bids for the furnishing of said cars of all-steel, semi-steel, and wood construction according to plans and specifications therefor to be prepared by the City Engineer under the direction of said Bion J. Arnold.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extending Time For Operation of Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad.

Also, J. R. No. 68.

Resolved, That the time fixed for ceasing operations of the Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad by J. R. No. 9, be extended thirty days from and after February 16th, or until such time as the Public Utilities Committee shall direct the suspension of operation

of the cable cars on the existing Geary Street Railroad.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9309 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish crossings at certain points and elevations on Parker avenue and St. Rose's street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on motion of Supervisor Murdock made a special order for 3 p. m. next Monday, Board to investigate in the meantime.

Sustaining Protest of Property Owners Against Change of Grade on San Bruno Avenue, Between Silliman and Felton Streets.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the protest of property owners against the change of grades on San Bruno avenue, between the northerly line of Silliman street and the southerly line of Felton street, and on Silliman and on Felton streets, between San Bruno avenue and Girard street, be sustained.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Accepting Deed of S. F. Electric Railways Company for Sewer Right of Way at Sloat Boulevard and Thirty-fourth Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2013, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting deed of easement from San Francisco Electric Railways (a corporation) to the City and County of San Francisco (a municipal corporation) of a sewer right of way in, under and across a railroad right of way lying north of the Sloat Boulevard and within the lines of Thirty-fourth avenue."

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Board of Election Commissioners to Provide For the Holding of Special Election For City Hall and Civic Center Bonds in Same Precincts as Last General Municipal Election.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 69.

Resolved, That the Board of Election Commissioners is hereby requested to hold and conduct a Special Election called for March 28, 1912, in the same precincts as nearly as possible, that were established and used for the last general Municipal Election in the City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Closing of Registration for City Hall and Civic Center Bond Election.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 70.

Whereas, On the 28th day of March, 1912, the women of San Francisco will have their first opportunity of exercising their recently acquired right to vote; and

Whereas, There is no class in the community more interested in the improvement and beautification of our City than the women of San Francisco; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the attention of all those desiring to vote for a new City Hall and Civic Center be called to the fact that registration for this election, for women and for those who are not registered, or who have moved since they last voted, closes on the 27th day of this month.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Assignment of Court Rooms in Hall of Justice.

Also, J. R. No. 71.

Resolved, That the three court rooms in the New Hall of Justice Building be assigned as follows:

To Hon. George H. Cabaniss, the court room and chambers fronting on Kearny street.

To Hon. William P. Lawlor, the court room and chambers on Merchant street.

To Hon. Frank H. Dunne, the court

room and chambers on Washington street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft and on motion ordered *referred to Public Utilities Committee*:

United Railroads to Run its Sutter Street Cars on Inner Tracks of Lower Market Street to the Ferry.

Bill No. 2014, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance directing and requiring the United Railroads of San Francisco to run all of its passenger cars, which are or may be run on Sutter street, through to the city front and from the city front back to Sutter street.

(Clerk to notify United Railroads of meeting of Public Utilities Committee and find out if the company has any proposition to offer with regard to the operation of the Municipal road on lower Market street.)

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Inspection of Twin Peaks Reservoir.

On motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 72.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is requested to consider the feasibility of a public inspection of the Twin Peaks Reservoir (with proper incident exercises) on a day to be set by him.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher and on motion ordered *referred to the Committee on Public Efficiency and Civil Service*:

Women Employees of City to be Paid Same Wages as Men in Same Service.

Referred.

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Whereas, Modern industrial society has brought women from the home into every avenue of commercial, industrial and professional life as wage-earners, and has proven their fitness to perform their work in those fields with fidelity and distinction; and

Whereas, Even-handed justice can do no less than give to the worker, of

either sex, the same payment for services performed as is given the worker of the opposite sex doing the same work, particularly in view of the fact that in either case the worker is bound to maintain American standards of living; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, this 13th day of February, 1912, that we declare it to be the policy of the City and County government henceforth to pay to women employees in all departments the same wage or compensation for work performed as is granted to men performing a like service, and that we declare it to be the policy of the City Government that no women employed in any department shall because of the enforcement of this rule be supplanted in their position by men.

Resolved, That the Clerk be instructed to forward copies of these resolutions to all departments and request their compliance therewith.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and referred to the Public Welfare Committee:

Public Welfare Committee to Consider Feasibility of Holding Municipal Band Concerts in Small Parks.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That it is the desire of the Board of Supervisors to make provisions for concerts in the small parks within the residence sections of the city either by the establishment of a municipal band or otherwise; and the Public Welfare Committee is hereby requested to examine into the feasibility of establishing such concerts and to make such further recommendations as may to them seem reasonable.

Imposing a Charge for Use of Sub-Sidewalk Space.

Supervisor McLeran introduced:

Bill No. 2015, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a charge for the use of sub-sidewalk areas in the public streets of the City and County of San Francisco."

Ordered referred to Public Buildings Committee.

Imposing a license Tax on Lodging House and Hotel Keepers.

Also, Bill No. 2016, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a license tax on owners, agents, managers, or keepers of hotels, or boarding or lodging houses, or restaurants or places of refreshment, or persons engaged as caterers."

Ordered referred to Police Committee.

Changing Name of Sailors' Home.
Supervisor Murdock introduced:

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco approves the amendment to the Act of Congress, approved August 11, 1876, whereby the words "to be used by the City and County of San Francisco solely for the purpose of a Sailors' Home", be stricken out and the words "to be used by the City and County of San Francisco as a Men's Industrial Home" shall be inserted therefor.

Ordered referred to Judiciary Committee.

City Attorney to Appear on Behalf of City in All Actions Brought Against Auditor.

Supervisor Murphy presented:

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, The Charter requires the City Attorney to defend all actions and special proceedings against the City and County, and

Whereas, It has become the practice of persons having claims against the City and County to sue the Auditor alone without joining the City and County as a party defendant, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby requested to appear for and on behalf of the City and County in all actions against the Auditor involving the interests of the City and County.

The attention of the City Attorney, the Auditor and the Treasurer is directed to this Resolution and the Clerk is instructed to send a copy hereof to each of said officials.

Ordered referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Announcements.

Supervisor Payot announced that the Committee on Public Efficiency and Civil Service would meet on Thursday at 2 p. m., and would consider the salary loan evil. He requested that the Clerk notify all parties interested.

So ordered.

Supervisor Vogelsang announced that the Public Utilities Committee would meet Wednesday, February 14, 1912, at 2 o'clock for the purpose of continuing the hearing in the matter of the proposed telephone merger.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Secretary of War to Permit Surveys for the Construction of the Fort Mason Tunnel.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

J. R. No. 73.

Whereas, Blon J. Arnold, traffic expert, employed by the City recommends

the immediate construction of a tunnel under the military reservation at Fort Mason, said tunnel to be a continuation of Beach street into the Harbor View district for the purpose of facilitating traffic and

Whereas, It is necessary that immediate surveys be made preliminary to the making of plans and preparation of assessment for said tunnel project, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Secretary of War be requested to grant permission to the City Engineer to make such preliminary survey and also that the City Engineer confer with Bion J. Arnold relative to immediate preparation of data for the survey and construction of the proposed Fort Mason tunnel along the most advantageous route.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board of Supervisors, at the hour of 5:50 p. m., adjourned to meet Wednesday evening, February 14, 1912, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of commencing the investigation preliminary to fixing heat, light and power rates for ensuing fiscal year.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 14, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Wednesday evening, February 14, 1912, 8 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met, pursuant to adjournment, for the purpose of commencing the annual investigation preliminary to the fixing and establishing of heat, light and power rates for the year commencing July 1, 1912.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—10.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph being ab-

sent, Supervisor Nolan was called to the Chair.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy, the Board resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Supervisor Nolan in the Chair.

The Committee arose at 10:20 p. m., all members before noted being present. Thereupon the following report was presented and adopted:

Report of the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee of the Whole reports in the matter of the investigation held preliminary to the establishment of heat, light and power rates for the year commencing July 1, 1912, that it has heard the testimony of John A. Britton, president of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company and F. G. Cartwright, director of the South Side Light and Power Company, and Equitable Light and Power Company.

That the following matters, heretofore filed with the Board of Supervisors and referred by the Clerk to the Committee on Public Lighting and Rates, have been duly considered, admitted in evidence in the pending investigation and designated exhibits, as follows:

Exhibit No. 1—Statement of Pacific Gas and Electric Company as to receipts and expenditures, cost and present value of plant, capital stock, bonds outstanding and floating debt.

Exhibit No. 2—Statement of the South Side Light and Power Company on same matters.

Exhibit No. 3—Statement of the Equitable Light and Power Company.

Exhibit No. 4—Statement of Consumers Light and Power Company.

Exhibit No. 5—Statement of City Electric Company.

Exhibit No. 6—Communication from United Railroads advising that it is not in the business of furnishing heat, light or power.

Exhibit No. 7—Memorandum from Assessor as to the assessed value of the properties of the various corporations supplying heat, light and power.

Furthermore, your committee reports progress and begs leave to sit again on Wednesday, February 28, 1912, for the purpose of continuing the investigation.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 10:30 p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors February 19, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, February 19, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Nolan, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Payot, Vogelsang—15. Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of February 13, 1912, was read and approved.

CALIFORNIA CLUB'S RECEPTION.

His Honor Mayor Rolph announced that he had been asked to speak at a reception of the California Club on Tuesday afternoon, March 19, 1912, at 3 p. m., on matters pertaining to the betterment and welfare of San Francisco. He requested that a committee of three or four members of the Board of Supervisors also volunteer to attend on that occasion and speak on the like subject.

Appointment of Committee.

Thereupon, the members mentioned agreeing, Supervisors Murdock, Hayden and Koshland were appointed to attend said function.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Judiciary Committee—Daniel C. Murphy, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Ed. I. Nolan, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—Alex. T. Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

None.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$23,960.55 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 12,361 to 12,792, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Nolan, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and motion adopted by the following vote:

Designating Temporary City Hall as Meeting Place of Board of Supervisors. J. R. No. 74.

Resolved, That on and after March 1, 1912, the official meetings of the Board of Supervisors be held in the City Hall, Market street between Eighth and Ninth streets, and that the rooms set aside for that purpose be known as the Chambers of the Board; that the Clerk be instructed to

remove the furniture and records of this Board to said City Hall between February 26 and March 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows: Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to-wit:

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Karl Ehrhart, 2nd progress payment, sewer, Twenty-third avenue, between Geary and Anza streets (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....\$3505.35

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., sureties on bond of Keystone Construction Co., 11th progress payment, sewer, Mission street between Silver avenue and Bosworth street (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....\$ 2,164.50

Westdahl Hennessey Co., assignees of John W. Flinn, 2nd progress payment, sewer, Beale street between Folsom and Bryant streets (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912) 1,247.59

Coast Improvement Co., 3rd progress payment, section "B" Ingleside outlet sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912) 3,593.25

Federal Construction Co., assignee of Metropolis Construction Co., 10th progress payment, section "F" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912)..... 1,324.56

John Daniel, 6th progress payment, section "G" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)..... 8,339.93

Contra Costa Construction Co., 5th progress payment, section "D-1" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)..... 13,004.74

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 5th partial payment, section "D-2" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)..... 15,342.38

F. Rolandi, 5th progress pay-

ment, section "D-3" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 9, 1912)..... 4,672.50

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

Butte Engineering & Electric Co., 4th payment, electric work, Polytechnic shop building (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912)\$ 1,425.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund 1908.

Ralston Iron Works, 1st payment, structural steel, Girls' High School (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912).....\$18,000.00

Pacific Fire Extinguisher Co., final payment, heating and ventilation, Grattan school (claim dated Jan. 27, 1912) 1,831.00

National Electric Co., 1st payment, electric wiring, John Swett School (claim dated Feb. 9, 1912)..... 1,200.00

Hospital Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Pacific Fire Extinguisher Co., final payment, sheet metal work, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Jan. 4, 1912)\$ 1,437.42

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund 1908.

Ajax Brass & Iron Works, final payment, contract No. 40, manhole frames, covers and dust-pans, municipal pipe yard (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912).....\$ 2,077.38

Southern Pacific Co., hauling cast iron pipe from Anniston to San Francisco (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)..... 1,307.94

Southern Pacific Co., hauling cast iron pipe from Bessmer to San Francisco (claim dated Jan. 29, 1912) 1,476.81

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 8th partial payment, section "B" Intake tunnel (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912) 1,162.50

Union Iron Works, 1st payment, bolts, tie rods, nuts and washers, Auxiliary Water Supply System (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912)..... 6,965.95

Coast Improvement Co., 3rd progress payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, Auxiliary Water Supply System (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)..... 6,639.73

Michael Murphy, 3rd progress payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, Auxiliary Water Supply System (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912)..... 4,772.04

<i>General Fund, 1911-12.</i>	
California Mill Co., labor and material, Board of Election Commissioners (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912).....	781.00
Miller & Lux, Inc., meat supplies, Relief Home (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	1,802.68
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Relief Home (claim dated Feb. 5, 1912).....	633.70
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, etc., Relief Home (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	2,912.04
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, etc., City and County Hospital (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	637.91
Miller & Lux, Inc., meat supplies, City and County Hospital (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	915.68
Peter Caubv, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912).....	1,045.85
Ajax Brass & Iron Works, manhole frames, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	568.58
A. L. Young Machinery Co., 2 street sweepers, maintenance, sweeping streets (claim dated Jan. 29, 1912).....	897.50
Healy-Tibbits Construction Co., 8th partial payment, northerly section Mission viaduct (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	11,397.77
Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., sureties on bond of Keystone Construction Co., 8th progress payment, southerly section Mission viaduct (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	5,850.65
J. P. M. Phillips, safety station, Market, Bush and Battery streets (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	1,800.00
State of California, maintenance of inmates, Preston School of Industry (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912).....	702.23
Maud B. Booth Home for Children, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912).....	514.75
The St. Vincent De Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	3,628.65
Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin county, maintenance of minors (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912).....	1,470.09
The Boys and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	523.96

Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	1,593.82
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912).....	1,215.62

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Accepting Statement of United Railroads as to Gross Receipts of Gough Street Railroad Company for January, 1912, and Percentage Thereon Due City.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:

J. R. No. 75.

Resolved, That the statement of the United Railroads of San Francisco as lessee of the Gough Street Railroad Company as to gross receipts from passenger fares for the month of January, 1912, in the sum of \$1,002.75, and the percentage thereon due the city amounting to \$30.80, be and the same is hereby accepted, and said Company is hereby directed to deposit same with the Treasurer to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Accepting Statement of United Railroads as to Gross Receipts of Parkside Transit Company for October, November and December, 1912, and Percentage Thereon Due City.

Also, J. R., No. 76.

Resolved, That the statement of the United Railroads of San Francisco as lessee of the Parkside Transit Company as to taxable receipts from passenger fares for the months of October, November and December, 1911, and January, 1912, in the sum of \$15,029.96, and the percentage thereon due the city, amounting to \$450.90, be and the same is hereby accepted, and said company is hereby directed to deposit same with the Treasurer to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Denying Request of Board of Public Works for an Appropriation of \$57.00 for Construction of Sidewalk on Third Street near Perry Street.

Also, J. R. No. 77.

Resolved, That the recommendation contained in Resolution No. 15829 (Second Series) of the Department of Public Works, that \$57.00 be made availa-

ble to be expended by the Department of Public Works for the construction of a sidewalk along the westerly line of Third street, commencing at a point fifty-five feet south of Perry street and running thence south for a distance of twenty-five feet, this sidewalk having been accepted by the City and County in the year 1866, is hereby denied; no funds being available for this purpose.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Appointment of Certain Em-Bill No. 2017, Ordinance No. —

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: ployees of Police Department.

(New Series), Authorizing the appointment by the Board of Police Commissioners of certain employees, fixing their compensation and repealing all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith.

Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

Ocean Crab Company, 104 Vander-water street, ten horsepower, for steaming purposes.

M. Mandich, 3640 Seventeenth street, four horsepower, for heating purposes.

Gorham-Revere Rubber Company, 541 Van Ness avenue, six horsepower, for steam vulcanizer.

Storage Tank.

M. Fisher Company, northeast corner Oak and Pierce streets, capacity 2000 gallons.

Public Garage.

Thomas W. Hendry, 665 Golden Gate avenue, provided not more than one tank of 300 gallons of gasoline or benzine shall be allowed upon the premises at any one time.

Cabinet Shop.

George Butler, 325-27 Church street, with permission to use a band saw and small combination planer.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Denying Permit for Dog Hospital.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 78.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors permission is hereby denied Dr. K. O. Steers to es-

tablish and maintain a dog hospital at 416 Fifth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed For Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

Dr. Ira B. Dalziel, north line of Fulton street, 110 feet west of Octavia street, for four horses.

New Richland Meat Market, 46 West Park, 100 feet south of Mission street, for one horse.

C. and R. Lamaysou, 2623 Sutter street (rear), for two horses.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 79.

Resolved, That Loyal Rebekah Lodge No. 215, I. O. O. F., is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at Odd Fellows' Hall, Seventh and Market streets, March 4, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said ball are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Appointments of Employees of Board of Supervisors.

Supervisor Murphy presented:

Bill No. 2018, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Authorizing the appointment by the Board of Supervisors of certain employees, fixing their compensation and repealing all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith.

Privilege of the Floor.

Julius Caesar Saulmann was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that City Attorney had not cited any authorities to support his contention that appointments may be made by resolution providing necessary ordinances had been passed creating positions.

Passed For Printing.

Whereupon the foregoing Bill was *passed for printing*:

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

City Attorney to Appear on Behalf of City in all Actions Against Auditor.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

J. R. No. 80.

Whereas, The Charter requires the City Attorney to defend all actions and special proceedings against the City and County, and

Whereas, It has become the practice of persons, having claims against the City and County to sue the Auditor alone without joining the City and County as party defendant, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby requested to appear for and on behalf of the City and County in all actions against the Auditor involving the interests of the City and County.

The attention of the City Attorney, the Auditor and the Treasurer is directed to this resolution, and the Clerk is directed to send a copy hereof to each of said officials.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution laid over from last meeting was taken up and on motion again *laid over one week*:

Mayor to Sell Shacks Formerly Occupied by Lincoln School.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction those certain shack buildings on the south side of Harrison street, between Third and Fourth streets, formerly occupied by the Lincoln School.

Passed For Printing.

The following Resolutions were passed for printing:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Owen McHugh is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after February 13, 1912, within which to complete the construction of a sewer in Seventeenth avenue, between Geary and Anza streets, and for the grading and sewerage in the crossing of Seventeenth and Anza streets, under public contract.

These extensions of time are granted upon the recommendation of the

Board of Public Works, for the reason that the work was delayed because of the large amount of grading work which had to be done, and owing to the necessity for operating dump cars over the crossing of Geary and Anza streets.

Pipe Line Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That G. B. Torre & Sons be and are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to lay down and maintain a pipe from Stauffer's building situate on the north side of Bay street to the building of G. B. Torre & Sons situate on the south side of Bay street, the same to be used for the purpose of furnishing steam for G. B. Torre & Sons; provided that said pipes shall be laid to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

City Attorney to Commence Condemnation Proceedings for the Acquisition of Certain Lands Required for Sewer Right of Way.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher and adopted:

Resolution No. 9310 (New Series):

Whereas, the Board of Public Works by Resolution No. 16009 (Second Series), passed February 14, 1912, did recommend that there be acquired for a sewer right of way certain lands hereinafter described; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Attorney be directed to acquire by condemnation or otherwise, an easement for a sewer right-of-way through the following described property:

Commencing on a point on the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue, distant thereon six hundred eighty (680) feet northerly from the northerly line of Clement street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue, produced, for a distance of six hundred (600) feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles to the last described line for a distance of seventy (70) feet to the easterly line of Forty-eighth avenue, produced; thence southerly along the easterly line of Forty-eighth avenue produced, for a distance of four hundred and sixty-four and fifty-two hundredths (464.52) feet; thence southwesterly along the northerly termination line of Forty-eighth avenue for a distance of one hundred fifty-two and five-tenths (152.5) feet to a point on the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue, distant thereon six hundred eighty (680) feet northerly from the northerly line of Clement street, the point of commencement; and to acquire by condemnation or otherwise for the purposes of a

sewer right of way and for the purposes of a site for a building to be used as a screen house, incinerator house or other purpose incident thereto, all that piece or parcel of land bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue, produced, distant thereon one thousand two hundred eighty (1280) feet northerly from the northerly line of Clement street; thence along a line at right angles easterly from the last described line for a distance of one hundred (100) feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with and one hundred (100) feet at right angles easterly from the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue produced, for a distance of two hundred and fifty (250) feet more or less to the line of high tide of the waters of San Francisco bay; thence southerly along said line of high tide for a distance of one hundred twenty-five (125) feet more or less to the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue produced; thence southerly along the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue produced, for a distance of one hundred sixty (160) feet, more or less, to a point on the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue produced, distant thereon one thousand two hundred eighty (1280) feet northerly from the northerly line of Clement street, the point of commencement.

Adopted.

Board of Supervisors, February 19, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Assessor to Remove Assessment Against B. Joost for a Portion of Corbett Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9311 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, the City Attorney, in a written opinion filed February 7, 1912, advised this Board that Corbett avenue, commencing at the westerly line of Ord street, thence running westerly 136 degrees by a uniform width of fifty (50) feet, and known as Horner's Addition Block No. 124, now assessed in the name of B. Joost, is a public street, now, therefore

Resolved, That the Assessor be and is hereby directed to remove the assessment now on the assessment roll

against the hereinafter described property, to wit: Corbett avenue.

Commencing at the westerly line of Ord street, thence running westerly 136 degrees by a uniform width of fifty (50) feet, and known as Horner's Addition Block No. 124, now assessed in the name of B. Joost.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Recommitted.

The following was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on motion of Supervisor Mauzy ordered *recommitted to Streets Committee*:

Providing for Barricades at Street Trenches.

J. R. No. —

Whereas, Numerous accidents have recently occurred through the negligence of contractors leaving trenches in the public streets unguarded and unlighted; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to incorporate in the specifications for the work to be performed in the public streets a provision that during the day barricades shall be placed around the trenches and at night said trenches shall be covered with planking and lamps placed thereon.

SPECIAL ORDER 3 P. M.

Sustaining Protest of Property Owners Against Change of Grade on San Bruno Avenue and on Silliman Street.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting and made a special order of business for 3 p. m. this day, was taken up:

Resolution No. —, Sustaining the protest of property owners against the change of grades on San Bruno avenue, between the northerly line of Silliman street and the southerly line of Felton street, and on Silliman and on Felton streets, between San Bruno avenue and Girard street.

Privilege of the Floor.

Leo Morris, attorney representing estate of Pauline Otto, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board favoring the establishment of an official grade that would follow the natural contour of the land. He stated that only one property owner was on the present official grade and all the other surrounding property owners were on the proposed grade. Mrs. Fernando, the property owner who would be damaged by the proposed change of grade, he declared, would be paid ample damages by assessment of surrounding property for any injury sustained by her property.

Marsden Manson, City Engineer, also addressed the Board, stating that the present grade was established in October, 1905. He declared that he would not recommend proposed change of grade as it would not conform to other grades in adjacent blocks.

Leon Samuels, attorney representing protestants, was also heard. He stated that the proposed grade change would not conform to the natural contour of the land as stated by Mr. Morris, but would follow the grade of the railroad track. He held that Mr. Schultz, who recently built a nickelodeon on the block, had done so with a full knowledge of the true grade.

James Bucigalupi, attorney representing Mrs. Fernando, stated that the offers made by surrounding property owners were not commensurate with the damage she would suffer by proposed change of grade. He declared that his client had built in accordance with the official grade, and if she is obliged to conform to the proposed grade her building will be racked and her sidewalks destroyed.

Wm. Cole, property owner, addressed the Board, stating that he erected his building in 1902 and followed the grade of the railroad track and that several others did the same believing it to be the official grade.

Mrs. Schultz, property owner, stated that herself and her husband had built a nickelodeon at a cost of over \$7000 and that she would suffer considerable damage if obliged to conform to official grades.

Joseph Lecari, property owner, protested against change of grade, stating that proposed grade would not conform to grades in adjacent blocks, and that every block in the University Mound District would be affected by proposed change.

Adopted.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher, the above resolution was adopted as Resolution No. 9312 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.
Noes—Supervisors Hayden, Hocks—2.
Absent—Supervisor Jennings.

HEARINGS OF APPEALS FROM ASSESSMENT FOR STREET AND SEWER WORK.

Crossing of Twenty-sixth and Castro Streets.

The hearing of appeal of Dr. F. C. Keck against assessment issued by the Board of Public Works for street work at the crossing of Twenty-sixth and Castro streets, fixed by Resolution No.

9283 (New Series) for the hour of 3 p. m. this day, was proceeded with.

Privilege of the Floor.

James Hanley, attorney representing F. C. Keck, property owner, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that the work on the crossing of Twenty-sixth and Castro streets had been done to conform with the turn table of the United Railroads and not to the official grade, thereby injuring property of his client, there being a difference of seven or eight inches in the crossing. He declared that the street as it now stood would not drain and was wet and muddy at all times.

Paul Fay, contractor, addressed the Board, stating that he was not doing his work off-handed and without the sanction of the City Engineer's office. He declared that the work was done in a manner calculated to properly drain the crossing, and that it was not true that it was now wet and muddy for any long period of time after rain. He said that if the United Railroads was obliged to go to the expense of raising its turn table to the official grade it had threatened to remove its car service from the street as the proper dip could not be obtained at a higher grade. He believed that the people living along the car line should be given some consideration in the matter, and that the work was done for the best interests of all concerned.

Dr. F. C. Keck, also addressed the Board, stating that he owned two pieces of property at Twenty-sixth and Castro—one piece was improved, but if street work was not done to conform to official grade he could not see his way clear to improve the other piece, which he earnestly desired to do. He said it was not true that if the United Railroads had to adjust their turn table to the official grade that company would discontinue their service on said block before going to the expense of raising the turntable. He believed the company was bluffing and could operate its cable cars with a switch as well as a turntable.

J. Hendy, property owner, and *N. Twitman*, property owner, also protested against the acceptance of the work.

Adopted.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher, the following resolution was adopted:

Denying Appeal and Confirming Assessment.

Resolution No. 9313 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the appeal of F. C. Keck against the acceptance of the street work at the crossing of Twenty-sixth and Castro streets by the Board

of Public Works be denied; and further

Resolved, That the recommendation of the Board of Public Works is hereby approved.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

CROSSING OF PLYMOUTH AVENUE AND BROAD STREET.

The hearing of appeal of F. C. Dowling against assessment issued by the Board of Public Works for sewer work in the crossing of Plymouth avenue and Broad street, fixed by Resolution No. 9282 (New Series) for the hour of 3 p. m. this day, was proceeded with.

His Honor the Mayor asked if there was any person present who wished to be heard in the matter. There being no reply, the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and *adopted*:

Appeal Sustained and Board of Public Works Directed to Make New Assessment.

Resolution No. 9314 (New Series): Resolved, That the appeal of F. C. Dowling against the assessment issued by the Board of Public Works January 12, 1912, to F. C. Dowling for sewerage in the crossing of Plymouth avenue and Broad street, for the reason that there was an error made in figuring said assessment, be sustained, and the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to make a new assessment.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

NEW BUSINESS (Continued).

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Corbett Avenue an Open Public Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2019, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Declaring Corbett avenue an open public street."

Spur Track Permit.

Also, Bill No. 2020, Ordinance No. — (New Series). Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Milos Mitrov Gopcevic to construct and maintain a spur track from point commencing in switch of the Belt Line Railroad on the Embarcadero east of Sansome street and south of the southerly line of Chestnut street produced easterly and north of the northerly line of Lombard

street, thence northwesterly crossing Sansome street to the south side of Chestnut street, thence upon and along Chestnut street westerly to the east line of Montgomery street; center of spur track to be ten feet north of the property line on the south side of Chestnut street and five feet south of the curb line on the south side of Chestnut street.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2021, Ordinance No. — (New Series) Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of San Bruno avenue, between Silver avenue and the northerly line of Sweeney street; crossing of Lake street and Twenty-fifth avenue.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2022, Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Fulton street, between Clayton and Cole streets; Fulton street, between Ashbury and Clayton streets; Fulton street, between Masonic avenue and Ashbury street; intersection of Fulton and Clayton streets; intersection of Fulton and Ashbury streets.

Action Deferred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Payot and on motion *laid over one week*:

Providing For the Taking Over of the James Lick Baths by the City.

J. R. No. —

Whereas, The Trustees of the James Lick Baths Trust have offered to the City and County of San Francisco the property now managed by such Trustees subject to the following conditions hereinafter named:

1. That the aforesaid properties are subject to outstanding mortgages, one to the Hibernia Savings and Loan Society, and the other to the Estate of Soule, and that the total amount to December 31, 1912, of principal and interest for which the said mortgages were secured was \$33,871.12.

2. That the said transfer be first approved by the Superior Court of City and County of San Francisco.

3. That the City and County of San Francisco shall take the said property subject to the trust provision contained in the will of James Lick that the property known as the James Lick Baths shall be ever maintained as free baths for the public.

4. That the name James Lick Baths, or other proper phraseology in which the name of James Lick shall be used shall be forever continued by the City in connection with said property, and

Whereas, The City Attorney has advised that there is ample power in the City and County to assume the trust

now carried on by the Board of Trustees of the James Lick Baths, and that the Board of Supervisors has power to provide for the execution of such trust, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Public Welfare Committee recommends to the Board of Supervisors that the offer of the Trustees of the James Lick Baths be accepted.

BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

The following matters were presented by the Clerk and acted upon as follows:

Leave of Absence for Employees of Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Resolution No. —, Recommending to his Honor the Mayor that the employees of the Bureau of Weights and Measures be given a leave of absence without pay pending decision on appeal to Supreme Court as to validity of ordinance creating said Bureau, such leave of absence to be without prejudice to right of employees to re-enter the service should the court's decision be favorable to them.

Laid over one week.

Superintendent of Supplies to Take Possession of Property of Bureau of Weights and Measures.

J. R. No. 81.

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Supplies be and he is hereby directed to take possession of all property in the Bureau of Weights and Measures and to safely store same subject to further orders of this Board; also to notify owner of premises occupied by said Bureau that same is no longer required.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Repealing Weights and Measures Ordinance.

Bill No. —, Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series) relating to weights and measures.

Laid over one week.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Announcement.

His Honor Mayor Rolph announced that he had fixed Sunday, March 10, 1912, at 3 p. m., as the date for the public inspection of the Twin Peaks reservoir and thereupon appointed Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini and Mauzy to make arrangements.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Postponement of Initial Hearing in Water Rates Investigation.

On motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 82.

Whereas, in compliance with the provisions of the charter that due diligence be exercised in the fixing of water rates, the initial meeting for this purpose was fixed for Wednesday evening, February 21st, and

Whereas, a special committee, of which his Honor the Mayor, the Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee and the Chairman of the Finance Committee of this Board are members, has arranged to make a further inspection of the Spring Valley Water Company on Wednesday and Thursday of this week, and

Whereas, the public interest will be served by a postponement of the initial hearing; therefore be it

Resolved, That the meeting of the Board of Supervisors fixed for Wednesday, February 21st, at 8 p. m., to consider the matter of water rates be and is hereby postponed to Monday, February 26th, at 4:30 p. m., at which time the Board will resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the purpose of beginning the investigation into the matter of water rates.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Streets Committee to Provide for Landing Places for Aerial Craft.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 83.

Whereas, a biplane recently crossed over the Bay of San Francisco from Alameda county and landed in a public street of this city to the great excitement of pedestrians, terror to horses, joy to small boys and menace to the life of the "birdman," and

Whereas, there is a possibility of a repetition of such disturbing occurrence, be it

Resolved, that the Public Streets Committee of this Board be and is hereby directed to make an investigation into the matter of the landing of aerial craft in the streets of this city and county to the end that said committee report back for passage by this Board an ordinance designating and outlining certain districts within said city and county outside of which said districts it shall be unlawful to make a landing with any form, type or style of airship.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock, and on his motion, ordered *referred to the Public Welfare Committee:*

Authorizing City Officials to Issue Salary Certificates to Municipal Employees.

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, employes of the city, meeting with emergencies, are sometimes in urgent need of money, and are compelled to suffer great hardship in borrowing without security; and

Whereas, the best interests of the City, as well as common sympathy, dictates all reasonable assistance and protection; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the officials of the City and County of San Francisco are authorized and urged to issue to any employe so desiring, at any time after the fifteenth of the month, a certificate setting forth the amount, in full or in part, that has been earned up to and including that date. A record shall be kept, and at the end of the month the salary demand shall be plainly stamped "Assigned." No employe shall receive more than one certificate in one month.

Any employe wishing to borrow money, to be repaid from his salary, may assign his demand, giving the bank making the loan, authority to receive the demand from the Auditor and to collect the amount thereof from the Treasurer. The Auditor shall withhold all demands marked "Assigned" until the assignment is presented.

Banks belonging to the San Francisco Clearing House are asked to loan upon the security of the assignment, the amount covered by the certificate, collecting the demand, when payable, and paying to the borrower, by check or otherwise as agreed upon, the balance due him after deducting the amount of the loan with interest at not to exceed one per cent per month on the sum advanced.

As methods of carrying out the proposed measure of relief, the following forms, are suggested:

FORM OF CERTIFICATE.

\$..... San Francisco, 191..
To any Bank Belonging to the San Francisco Clearing House:

I hereby certify that
(whose signature follows), employed as in the
has earned up to and including the 15th day of the current month, not less than \$..... (..... dollars), and that at the end of the month the salary demand will be stamped "Assigned" before going to the Auditor.

(Seal)

By.....

Accepted:

Employe.

FORM OF ASSIGNMENT.

San Francisco, 191..

For value received, I hereby assign to my salary demand for the month, authorizing or his assignee to receipt to the Auditor for the same, and the Treasurer to pay the amount thereof.

.....
To be recognized only when presented by a Clearing House Bank.

FORM OF RECEIPT.

Received of assignment of salary demand for the month of 191.., and certificate of amount now due upon which I have this day advanced the sum of \$..... Upon collection of demand, and surrender of this receipt, I agree to pay to or order, the balance due after deducting amount advanced with interest from date of loan at the rate of per cent per annum.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules, and *adopted:*

Publicity Committee to Prepare Argument Favorable to City Hall and Civic Center Project and to Arrange for Public Meetings.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

J. R. No. 84.

Resolved, That the Committee on Publicity be and it is hereby authorized and directed to take the necessary steps to place before the voters written arguments in favor of the City Hall and Civic Center bonds to be voted on on March 28th, and to arrange for the holding of public meetings in different parts of the City for the same purpose.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Supervisors to Inspect Properties of Spring Valley Water Company and Clerk to Arrange for Tour.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

J. R. No. 85.

Whereas, the matter of proposed bond election for the purpose of submitting to the people the question of purchase of the Spring Valley Water System is pending, and

Whereas, it is essential that the members of the Board of Supervisors be thoroughly familiar with the property of the said Spring Valley Water Company; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Super-

visors make a tour of inspection of said Spring Valley Water Company beginning on Friday morning, March 1st, until March 3rd.

Further Resolved, That the Clerk of the Board is hereby instructed to make the necessary arrangements and notify the members of the Board of these arrangements when made.

Further Resolved, That it is the sense of the Board that every member should make this personal investiga-

tion of the Spring Valley properties.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 6 p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors February 26, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1912, 8 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Friday evening, February 23, 1912.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of taking testimony and of making such investigations as would enable it to establish telephone rates for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1912.

His Honor Mayor Rolph being absent Supervisor Hilmer was called to the Chair.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—6.
No quorum.

Committee of the Whole.

On motion of Supervisor Payot the Board resolved itself into Committee of the Whole with Supervisor Hilmer in the Chair.

Motion.

Supervisor Payot moved that the Board adjourn to meet again Friday evening, March 15, 1912, for the purpose of continuing the investigation.

Motion *carried*.

ADJOURNMENT.

Thereupon at the hour of 8:15 o'clock p. m. the Board adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, February 26, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Nolan, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of February 19, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Dedication Services, German House Association.

A communication from the German House Association, inviting his Honor the Mayor and the members of the Board of Supervisors to participate in the dedication services of the said association on March 26, 1912, was received, read and on motion of Supervisor Hocks *accepted*.

Sheet Metal Work, Polytechnic High School.

His Honor the Mayor presented:

Communication—From the Master Sheet Metal Workers Association, requesting that in letting contract for Polytechnic High School a separate contract be made for the sheet metal work on said building.

Ordered referred to the Board of Public Works.

Relative to the Construction of the Patrick Henry School.

His Honor the Mayor presented a communication from the Mission Promotion Association, calling attention to the advisability of the immediate construction of the Patrick Henry School, and asked as to the status of the matter of constructing schools and paying for same with 1904 bonds.

He was advised by Supervisor McCarthy that the Finance Committee had not changed its opinion as to the inadvisability of constructing schools and paying for them in such a manner.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and *adopted* by the following vote:

J. R. No. 85.

Resolved, That the City and County Attorney be requested to report at his earliest convenience if in his judgment contracts for school buildings upon specifications in which it is expressed that payment will be made by bonds of the City which it has been unable to sell at par instead of in money, is legal and is permissible

under the Charter, and that he be requested to suggest any other means by which the unsold bonds can be utilized for the purpose for which they were issued.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels' Committee—By Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—Alex. T. Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Hearing of Protest Against Closing of Jarboe Street.

The hearing of the protest of George Darby et al., against the closing of Jarboe street (formerly Jefferson avenue) from Moultrie street to Andover street, fixed for the hour of 3 p. m., this day was proceeded with.

No protestants appearing the following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted by the following vote:

Resolution No. 9315 (New Series), Closing and abandoning a portion of Jarboe avenue, formerly Jefferson avenue, from Moultrie to Andover streets.

Whereas, This Board has by Resolution No. 9047 (New Series), declared its intention to close and abandon a portion of Jarboe avenue, formerly Jefferson street.

Whereas, The notice of said Resolution and of, said proposed closing and abandoning of said portion of Jarboe avenue was duly given by the Board of Public Works of this City and County by publication and posting in the manner provided by Section 3 of Chapter 3 of Article VI of the Charter of this City and County; and

Whereas, Within ten days after the

expiration of the time of publication of said notice George Darby et al., delivered to the clerk of this Board written objections to the said closing and abandonment of said portion of said street; and

Whereas, This Board at its next meeting after the expiration of the time of publication of said notice, to-wit, its meeting on January 29, 1912, did by Resolution No. 9284 (New Series), fix February 26, 1912, as the time for hearing said objections; and

Whereas, No other objections to the said closing and abandonment of said portion of said street were made or delivered to the clerk of this Board, and the clerk of this Board has notified George Darby et al. of the time so fixed for hearing its said objections by depositing a notice thereof in the postoffice, postage prepaid, addressed to said George Darby et al., and

Whereas, No person appeared before the Board of Supervisors at the time so fixed, and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that the public interest and convenience will be conserved by the closing and abandonment of said portion of Jarboe avenue; now therefore be it

Resolved, That said objections of George Darby et al. be and the same are hereby overruled; be it further

Resolved, That the said closing and abandonment of said portion of Jarboe avenue be and the same is hereby ordered, and the said portion of Jarboe avenue be and the same is hereby closed and abandoned as a public street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9316 (New Series), as follows: Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to-wit:

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Karl Ehrhart, 2nd progress payment, sewer, Twenty-third avenue, between Geary and Anza streets (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....\$3505.35

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., sureties on bond of Keystone Construc-

tion Co., 11th progress payment, sewer, Mission street between Silver avenue and Bosworth street (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	\$ 2,164.50
Westdahl Hennessey Co., assignees of John W. Flinn, 2nd progress payment, sewer, Beale street between Folsom and Bryant streets (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	1,247.59
Coast Improvement Co., 3rd progress payment, section "B" Ingleside outlet sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	3,593.25
Federal Construction Co., assignee of Metropolis Construction Co., 10th progress payment, section "F" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912).....	1,324.56
John Daniel, 6th progress payment, section "G" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	8,339.93
Contra Costa Construction Co., 5th progress payment, section "D-1" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	13,004.74
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 5th partial payment, section "D-2" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	15,342.38
F. Rolandi, 5th progress payment, section "D-3" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 9, 1912).....	4,672.50
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue 1910.</i>	
Butte Engineering & Electric Co., 4th payment, electric work, Polytechnic shop building (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912).....	\$ 1,425.00
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund 1908.</i>	
Ralston Iron Works, 1st payment, structural steel, Girls' High School (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912).....	\$18,000.00
Pacific Fire Extinguisher Co., final payment, heating and ventilation, Grattan school (claim dated Jan. 27, 1912).....	1,831.00
National Electric Co., 1st payment, electric wiring, John Swett School (claim dated Feb. 9, 1912).....	1,200.00
<i>Hospital Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.</i>	
Pacific Fire Extinguisher Co., final payment, sheet metal work, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Jan. 4, 1912).....	\$ 1,437.42
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund 1908.</i>	
Ajax Brass & Iron Works, final payment, contract No. 40, manhole frames, covers and dust-pans, municipal pipe yard (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912).....	\$ 2,077.38
Southern Pacific Co., hauling cast iron pipe from Anniston to San Francisco (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912).....	1,307.94
Southern Pacific Co., hauling cast iron pipe from Bessmer to San Francisco (claim dated Jan. 29, 1912).....	1,476.81
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 8th partial payment, section "B" Intake tunnel (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	1,162.50
Union Iron Works, 1st payment, bolts, tie rods, nuts and washers, Auxiliary Water Supply System (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912).....	6,965.95
Coast Improvement Co., 3rd progress payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, Auxiliary Water Supply System (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	6,639.73
Michael Murphy, 3rd progress payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, Auxiliary Water Supply System (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912).....	4,772.04
<i>General Fund, 1911-12.</i>	
California Mill Co., labor and material, Board of Election Commissioners (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912).....	781.00
Miller & Lux, Inc., meat supplies, Relief Home (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	1,802.68
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Relief Home (claim dated Feb. 5, 1912).....	633.70
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, etc., Relief Home (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	2,912.04
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, etc., City and County Hospital (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	637.91
Miller & Lux, Inc., meat supplies, City and County Hospital (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	915.68
Peter Caubu, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912).....	1,045.85
Ajax Brass & Iron Works, manhole frames, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	568.58
A. L. Young Machinery Co., 2 street sweepers, maintenance, sweeping streets (claim dated Jan. 29, 1912).....	897.50
<i>Healy-Tibbitts Construction</i>	

Co., 8th partial payment, northerly section Mission viaduct (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	11,397.77	payment, electrical work, Lowell High School (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912).....	823.20
Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., sureties on bond of Keystone Construction Co., 8th progress payment, southerly section Mission viaduct (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	5,850.65	Brandon & Lawson, third payment, brickwork, Lowell High School (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912).....	4702.50
J. P. M. Phillips, safety station, Market, Bush and Battery streets (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912).....	1,800.00	O. C. Holt, sixth payment, general contract, John Swett School (claim dated Feb. 3, 1912).....	7410.00
State of California, maintenance of inmates, Preston School of Industry (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912).....	702.23	C. F. Weber & Co., assembly chairs, Spring Valley School (claim dated Dec. 12, 1911)	504.00
Maud B. Booth Home for Children, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912).....	514.75	C. F. Weber & Co., furniture, Spring Valley School (claim dated Dec. 26, 1911)	1141.83
The St. Vincent De Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	3,628.65	Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin Co., furniture, Spring Valley School (claim dated Dec. 13, 1911).....	1242.06
Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin county, maintenance of minors (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912).....	1,470.09	San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.	
The Boys and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	523.96	Guilfooy Cornice Works, final payment, roofing, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Jan. 24, 1912).....	\$ 1735.50
Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	1,593.82	General Fund.	
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912).....	1,215.62	Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphaltum for repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated Jan. 23, 1912).....	\$ 941.28
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.		Whitcomb Estate, by Jas Otis, Trustee, January rent, Tax Collector and Assessor, temporary City Hall (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912).....	800.00
Authorizations.		Madison & Burke, rent of 64-70 Eddy street (claim dated Feb. 5, 1912).....	2000.00
Resolution No. 9317 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following names claimants, to wit:		Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	10,927.59
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>		The Rincon Publishing Company, printing and distributing Municipal Record (claim dated Feb. 2, 1912)	621.33
John G. Sutton Co., final payment, plumbing, Grattan School (claim dated Dec. 6, 1911).....	\$ 603.25	Pacific Gas & Electric Company, gas and electricity for public streets and public buildings (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912).....	36,201.25
Flinn & Treacy, first payment, asphalt, paving, Lake View School (claim dated Feb. 3, 1912).....	2892.75	J. R. Sloan, Agt. for American Surety Co. of New York, premium on Treasurer's Bond, Jan. 8, 1912 to Jan. 8, 1913 (claim dated Nov. 22, 1911).....	1000.00
Kiernan & O'Brien, final payment, plumbing, Lincoln School (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912).....	1023.50	General Fund (Appropriation For Fire Department, Fiscal Year 1911-12).	
General Elec. Con Co., third		American LaFrance Fire Engine Co. of Cal., one chemical engine motor car (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912).....	\$6625.00
		Associated Oil Company, fuel oil (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912).....	845.29

D. Demartini, hauling manure (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	570.00
Thos. Morton & Son, coal (claim dated Feb. 5, 1912)	1683.75
Scott, Magner & Miller, hay (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	1399.07
W. & J. Sloane, carpets, etc. (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912)	1902.85
Somers & Co., grain (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	1571.37

Library Fund.

The Emporium, books (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	\$ 535.88
S. F. News Co., periodicals (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	1269.35

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9318 (New Series), Providing the following amounts to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

Board of Public Works.

For completing hauling and laying of castiron high pressure pipe in district bounded by Market street, Powell street and the Bay; additional appropriation, Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection Fund, bond issue 1908.	\$95,000.00
For defraying expenses of Advisory Committee on the Civic Center and City Hall, additional appropriation, paving, repaving streets, etc., account	1,500.00

Public Buildings Committee.

For moving and fitting up departments in temporary City Hall, additional appropriation, paving, repaving streets, etc., account	\$5,000.00
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Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Appointment of Certain Employees of Police Department.

Bill No. 2017, Ordinance No. 1801 (New Series), Authorizing the appointment by the Board of Police Commissioners of certain employees, fixing their compensation and repealing all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,

Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Appointment of Stenographer for Fire Commissioners.

Bill No. 2018, Ordinance No. 1802 (New Series), entitled "Authorizing Board of Fire Commissioners to appoint a stenographer and fixing his compensation.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Permits.

Resolution No. 9319 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

Ocean Crab Company, 104 Vanderwater street, ten horsepower, for steaming purposes.

M. Mandich, 3640 Seventeenth street, four horsepower, for heating purposes.

Gorham-Revere Rubber Company, 541 Van Ness avenue, six horsepower, for steam vulcanizer.

Storage Tank.

M. Fisher Company, northeast corner Oak and Pierce streets, capacity 2000 gallons.

Public Garage.

Thomas W. Hendry, 665 Golden Gate avenue, provided not more than one tank of 300 gallons of gasoline or benzine shall be allowed upon the premises at any one time.

Cabinet Shop.

George Butler, 325-27 Church street, with permission to use a band saw and small combination planer.

Resolution No. 9320 (New Series), Granting the following revocable permits:

E. Vours, French laundry, at 2340 Geary street.

Storage Tanks.

J. V. Tadich, southeast corner of Clay and Leidesdorff streets, capacity 1000 gallons.

E. C. Cutler, south side of Market street 80 feet east of First street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9321 (New Series), Granting the Mercer Fraser Company permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in premises situate and bounded by Kan-

sas, Rhode Island and Army streets and Islais Creek, for the purpose of grading for foundation work, provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and in any of the conditions of this Resolution be violated by said above named company, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9322 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

Dr. Ira B. Dalziel, north line of Fulton street, 110 feet west of Octavia street, for four horses.

New Richland Meat Market, 46 West Park, 100 feet south of Mission street, for one horse.

C. and R. Lamaysou, 2623 Sutter street (rear), for two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Authorizing Appointments of Employees of Board of Supervisors.

Bill No. 2018, Ordinance No. 1803 (New Series), Authorizing the appointment by the Board of Supervisors of certain employees, fixing their compensation and repealing all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9323 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Owen McHugh is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after February

13, 1912, within which to complete the construction of a sewer in Seventeenth avenue, between Geary and Anza streets, and for the grading and sewerage in the crossing of Seventeenth and Anza streets, under public contract.

These extensions of time are granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the work was delayed because of the large amount of grading work which had to be done, and owing to the necessity for operating dump cars over the crossing of Geary and Anza streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Pipe Line Permit.

Resolution No. 9324 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That G. B. Torre & Sons be and are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to lay down and maintain a pipe from Stauffer's building situate on the north side of Bay street to the building of G. B. Torre & Sons situate on the south side of Bay street, the same to be used for the purpose of furnishing steam for G. B. Torre & Sons; provided that said pipes shall be laid to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Accepting Deed of S. F. Electric Railways Company for Sewer Right of Way at Sloat Boulevard and Thirty-fourth Avenue.

Bill No. 2013, Ordinance No. 1804 (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting deed of easement from San Francisco Electric Railways (a corporation) to the City and County of San Francisco (a municipal corporation) of a sewer right of way in, under and across a railroad right of way lying north of the Sloat Boulevard and within the lines of Thirty-fourth avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Corbett Avenue an Open Public Street.

Bill No. 2019, Ordinance No. 1805 (New Series), entitled, "Declaring Corbett avenue an open public street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2020, Ordinance No. 1806 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to Milos Mitrov Gopcevic to construct and maintain a spur track from point commencing in switch of the Belt Line Railroad on the Embarcadero east of Sansome street and south of the southerly line of Chestnut street produced easterly and north of the northerly line of Lombard street, thence northwesterly crossing Sansome street to the south side of Chestnut street, thence upon and along Chestnut street westerly to the east line of Montgomery street; center of spur track to be ten feet north of the property line on the south side of Chestnut street and five feet south of the curb line on the south side of Chestnut street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher—1.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2021, Ordinance No. 1807 (New Series) Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of San Bruno avenue, between Silver avenue and the northerly line of Sweeney street; crossing of Lake street and Twenty-fifth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2022, Ordinance 1808, Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Fulton street, between Clayton and Cole streets; Fulton street, between Ashbury and Clayton streets; Fulton street, between Masonic avenue and Ashbury street; intersection of Fulton and Clayton streets; intersection of Fulton and Ashbury streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting

to \$103,755.74 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 13,126 to 12,801, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to wit:

Tearing up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland & Co., repaving over side-sewer trenches for months of May, June, July and August, 1911 (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912)... \$1830.84

P. J. Gartland & Co., repaving over side-sewer trenches, January, 1912 (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912) 1485.10

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Chas. E. Thomas Co., heating and ventilation, Lowell High School, third payment (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912) \$6975.00

F. P. Walsh, heating and ventilating, Spring Valley School, final payment (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912) 2448.25

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund 1908.

Bennett Bros., hardware, Hall of Justice, second payment (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912) \$844.50

Columbia Marble Co., marble work, Hall of Justice, final payment (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912) 13,707.50

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund 1908.

R. C. Storrie & Co., final pay-

ment, Lincoln way and Forty-eighth avenue sewers (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912)\$33,988.00

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund 1904.

Karl Ehrhart, final payment, sewer Twenty-third avenue, between Geary and Anza streets (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912) \$1836.38

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund 1908.

The Compressed Air Machinery Co., furnishing, delivering and testing gate valves, pipes and fittings, Ashbury Heights reservoir (claim dated Feb. 15, 1912) \$7684.00

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.

McLeran & Peterson, extra work, Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912) \$1208.15

General Fund, 1911-12.

Western Lime & Cement Co., cement, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated Feb. 16, 1912) \$ 511.20

Western Lime & Cement Co., sand, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912) 1205.00

The de Lisle Realty Co., rents, Hewes Building, month of February (claim dated Feb. 15, 1912) 1703.00

Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912) 1928.91

Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912) 1332.07

Electric Agencies Co., fire alarm bells (claim dated Dec. 12, 1911) 600.00

Bion J. Arnold, for services and expenses in connection with investigation and report on street railroad transportation system (claim dated Feb. 26, 1912) 3451.00

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following sums be and they are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to wit:

Supplies Committee, Board of Supervisors.

For furnishing and equipping Hall of Justice and temporary City Hall, "Paving and

Repaving Streets, etc." account\$10,000.00

Board of Public Works.

For foundation and excavation, academic building, Polytechnic High School, Polytechnic High School bonds, 1908\$35,000.00

For "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc." for the month of March, 1912; out of budget item "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc." account..... 60,000.00

For salaries, engineers, elevator operators, janitors, Hall of Justice, balance fiscal year 1911-12; item "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc." account... 5,000.00

For re-surveys Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, compilations and mapping Market Street Homestead, for month March, 1912; item "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc." account..... 4,000.00

For engineers plans, Geary Street Municipal Railroad; item Geary Street Municipal Railroad bond issue.. 1,500.00

For furniture, repairs, remodeling and removing Courts, Hall of Justice, to be expended subject to approval of Building Committee Board of Supervisors; item "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc." account 2,500.00

Civil Service Commission.

For Civil Service examinations and salaries for balance of fiscal year 1911-12; item Urgent Necessities Fund \$2,000.00

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Accepting Statement of California Street Cable Railroad Company as to Gross Receipts From Passenger Fares For Six Months Ending December 1, 1911, and Percentage Thereon Due City.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: J. R. No. 86.

Resolved, That the statement of the California Street Cable Railroad Company, as to gross receipts from passenger fares for the six months ending December 31st, 1911, amounting to \$100,020.90, and the percentage due the City thereon, amounting to \$2,000.42, under the terms of the franchise granted by Order No. 2058 and Order No. 2175; be and the same is

hereby accepted, and said Company is hereby directed to deposit said amount with the Treasurer to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 87.

Resolved, That A. G. Ghiotto is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at Guadalupe Hall, 4551 Mission street, February 25, 1912, upon payment of the usual license fee.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 88.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors permission is hereby denied:

J. Allec, east side of Shotwell street, 163 feet south of Seventeenth street, for a stable permit for thirty-two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed For Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to Russell Creamery Co., to maintain a stable north side of Austin avenue, between Polk and Larkin streets, for four horses.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Mayor to Sell Shack Buildings Formerly Occupied by the Lincoln School.

J. R. No. 89.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Education, filed February 9, 1912, his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction those certain shack

buildings on the south side of Harrison street, between Third and Fourth streets, formerly occupied by the Lincoln School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Notice of Election, City Hall and Civic Center Bonds.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

Bill No. 2023, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Giving notice of a special election to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on the 28th day of March, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County a proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness for said City and County for the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building or buildings, and improvements to be used by said City and County as a City Hall, and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a Civic Center."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9325 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain point and elevations on Hearst avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Furnish Plans and Estimates of Cost of Opening Bush or Sutter Street Through Cemeteries and to Outline Assessment District For Same.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 90.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to furnish to this Board plans and estimates of the cost

of opening and extending Bush street from Presidio avenue westerly to the intersection of Parker and Euclid avenues or the extension of Sutter street for the same distance, if in the judgment of said Board such extension would be more feasible; and, be it

Further Resolved, That said Board also at the same time outline the assessment district which should be formed for the purpose of meeting the expenses of such improvement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Establishing Grades, Mangels and Joost Avenues.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2024, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Mangels and Joost avenues, between Foerster and Hamburg streets, and on Genessee and Hamburg streets, between Sunnyside and Mangels avenues."

Establishing Grades, Foerster Street.

Also, Bill No. 2025, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Foerster street, between Staples avenue and the northerly line of Balboa Park."

Full Acceptance, Twenty-sixth and Castro Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2026, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of crossing of Twenty-sixth and Castro streets."

Spur Track Permit, Keystone Sand Company.

Also, Bill No. 2027, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to the Keystone Sand Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company in Twelfth and Harrison streets, thence over and across Harrison street and into Mission Block No. 9."

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2028, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same.

That Lyon street, between Union and Filbert streets, be improved by

constructing granite curbs and a bituminous rock pavement.

Adopted.

The following resolution laid over from last meeting, was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Payot, *adopted* by the following vote:

Providing For the Taking Over of the James Lick Baths by the City.

J. R. No. 91.

Whereas, The Trustees of the James Lick Baths Trust have offered to the City and County of San Francisco the property now managed by such Trustees subject to the following conditions hereinafter named:

1. That the aforesaid properties are subject to outstanding mortgages, one to the Hibernia Savings and Loan Society, and the other to the Estate of Soule, and that the total amount to December 31, 1912, of principal and interest for which the said mortgages were secured was \$33,871.12.

2. That the said transfer be first approved by the Superior Court of City and County of San Francisco.

3. That the City and County of San Francisco shall take the said property subject to the trust provision contained in the will of James Lick that the property known as the James Lick Baths shall be ever maintained as free baths for the public.

4. That the name James Lick Baths, or other proper phraseology in which the name of James Lick shall be used shall be forever continued by the City in connection with said property, and

Whereas, The City Attorney has advised that there is ample power in the City and County to assume the trust now carried on by the Board of Trustees of the James Lick Baths, and that the Board of Supervisors has power to provide for the execution of such trust, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Public Welfare Committee recommends to the Board of Supervisors that the offer of the Trustees of the James Lick Baths be accepted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

**Bureau of Weights and Measures.
Action Deferred.**

The following matters laid over from last meeting were taken up and on the request of his Honor the Mayor *laid over one week*:

Leave of Absence, Employees of Bureau of Weights and Measures.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That this Board recommends to his Honor the Mayor that all employees of the Bureau of Weights and Measures be given a leave of absence, without pay, pending the appeal to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court declaring the creation of said Bureau to have been invalid; that such leave of absence be without prejudice to said employees to re-enter the service should such decision of the Superior Court be reversed.

Repealing Ordinance Creating Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Bill No. 2023, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures".

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MOTIONS AND BILLS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *passed for printing* by the following vote:

Bonds, Issue of 1904, Placed on Sale at the Treasurer's Office.

Bill No. 2029, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Reciting that certain bonds of the issue of 1904 remain unsold after having been advertised for sale, no bids therefor having been received, and directing that such unsold bonds be placed on sale at the office of the Treasurer of the City and County, and fixing the price at which such bonds may be sold by the said Treasurer of said City and County".

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Gallagher and on motion ordered *referred to the Fire Committee*:

Providing For Fire Protection in Factories and Industrial Establishments.

On motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2030, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the protection from fire of persons employed in factories and industrial establishments".

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Opposing Suspension of U. S. Mint.

J. R. No. 92.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Whereas, A movement is under way in Congress to practically abolish the San Francisco Mint and reduce it to a mere assay office, and

Whereas, The San Francisco Mint has been one of the interesting and attractive features of this City for many years, and during the last year was visited by more than 200,000 persons, and

Whereas, California and the other Pacific Coast States still have and wish to continue to have gold coin as the chief circulating medium, and

Whereas, The abolition of the Mint would necessitate a readjustment of banking and commercial methods, and

Whereas, The famous institution, one of the land marks of the Pacific Coast, would be reduced to a mere assay office and deprive several hundred people of a livelihood; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors, acting in concert with the Chambers of Commerce and Industrial and Commercial Organizations of the Pacific Coast, earnestly protest against this proposed change; be it

Further Resolved, That Congress and the President of the United States be urged to continue the operation of the San Francisco Mint for the coinage of gold and silver, so that San Francisco will retain one of its important and beautiful land marks, and at the same time provide employment for men and women who have faithfully served the Government for many years.

Further Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor, the chief executive of the Metropolis of the Pacific Coast, be requested to urge California and Pacific Coast delegations in the United States Senate and House of Representatives, to use their best efforts to retain the San Francisco Mint in full operation; also that his Honor the Mayor be requested to personally communicate with the President of the United States and Secretary of the Treasury, urging that the best interests of this City demand the continuance of the Mint in this City.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Referred.

Supervisors McLeran and Hayden introduced the following resolution, which was on motion of Supervisor Murdock ordered *referred to the Judiciary Committee*:

Amendment to Rule 33, The Rules or Proceedings.

J. R. No. —

Resolution: Amend Rule No. 33 of the "Rules of Proceedings of the

Board of Supervisors", as follows:

All requisitions for supplies and all petitions, protests and communications of a routine character shall be referred by the Mayor at the regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors to the proper committee, subject to confirmation by the Board of Supervisors.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution and telegram were introduced by Supervisor Mauzy and made a special order of business for next Monday at 3 p. m.

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans and Surveys and Outline Assessment District For the Construction of the Fillmore Street Tunnel.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is requested, through the City Engineer to furnish as expeditiously as possible the necessary preliminary plans and surveys for establishing an assessment district in connection with the construction of a tunnel through and under Fillmore street from the north line of Sutter street to the south line of Filbert street.

Chicago, Feb. 26, 1912.

Byron Mauzy, Chairman Committee on Tunnels, Board of Supervisors, 70 Eddy street, San Francisco, Cal.:

After analyzing various projects for low level tunnels leading through Harbor View ridge, I am confident that Fillmore street is the one to construct first, this to be followed by Broadway and Divisadero when conditions warrant. I therefore add to my preliminary report No. 2, the recommendation that the Fillmore street tunnel be constructed at once; full analysis with estimates of costs will be given in final report.

Bion Arnold.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Southern Pacific Company Requested not to Remove Its Spur Track at Ingleside.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

J. R. No. 93.

Whereas, The Southern Pacific Company has served notice on the Department of Public Works and upon the Relief Home of the Department of Health of its intention to remove a spur track commonly known as the "Ingleside Spur", which track is laid on the easterly portion of the Lake Merced Rancho of the Spring Valley Water Company and upon the adjoining land of the Urban Realty Company; and

Whereas, The Spring Valley Water

Company has no objection to the maintenance and use of said spur over its lands, provided that public use thereto does not arise, and said company has from time to time, at the request of the aforesaid departments of the City and County issued limited permits for the use of said spur track for the delivery of heavy commodities of departments; and

Whereas, The issuance of such permits has been greatly to the financial benefit and to the convenience of the City and County in its sewer construction work in the Sunset and Richmond Districts and in the maintenance of the Relief Home; now therefore

Resolved, That the Southern Pacific Company be and it is hereby requested to refrain from removing said spur track until such time as the conveniences of the City may be otherwise served.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and on his motion ordered referred to the *Streets Committee*:

Board of Public Works to Furnish Specifications For Concrete Curbs and to Suggest District in Which They May be Laid.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to furnish this Board with specifications for the construction of concrete curbs, and a suggested district of the City and County within which such curbs might properly be constructed.

Referred.

The following matters were introduced by Supervisor Murdock and on his motion ordered referred to the *Judiciary Committee*:

Authorizing the Tax Collector to Appoint an Expert Accountant.

Bill No. 2031, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Sections 1 and 2 of Ordinance No. 1633 (New Series), entitled, 'Authorizing the appointment by the Tax Collector of an Expert Accountant from the Civil Service list of deputies for the Tax Collector's office, and fixing his compensation' approved August 8, 1911".

Authorizing Tax Collector to Appoint Cashiers and Fixing Their Compensation.

Also, Bill No. 2032, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amend-

ing Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1639 (New Series), 'Authorizing the Tax Collector to appoint an assistant cashier and six temporary cashiers and fixing their compensation', approved August 8, 1911".

Authorizing the Tax Collector to Appoint a Stenographer.

Bill No. 2033, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, Amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1345, "Authorizing the Tax Collector to appoint a stenographer for his office and fixing the compensation of said stenographer", approved October 25, 1910.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Appointment of Gas and Water Inspector.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 94.

Resolved, That the position of Gas and Water Inspector now and heretofore held by Stephen A. Byrne be and the same is hereby declared vacant, and Robert W. Hampton is hereby appointed such Gas and Water Inspector in his place, to take said office March 1, 1912; and that the office of Assistant Gas and Water Inspector now and heretofore held by Frank O'Leary be and the same is hereby declared vacant, and Edward Ellison is hereby appointed such assistant in his place, to take said office on said date.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher explained his vote by saying that he wished to be recorded as voting *Nay* in the matter of declaring the position of Stephen A. Byrne vacant, and *Aye* on the appointment of Edward Ellison.

Relative to the Construction of the Geary Street Municipal Road.

Supervisor Vogelsang stated that it had been called to his attention that it would work a very great hardship on the property owners living along the route of the Geary street line if said road was suspended when the cable now in use broke, which it will probably do in a short time as it is very old and worn, unless the municipal road is ready for operation at that time or very soon after. He suggested that it would be well to make an appropriation for a new cable to keep the road running until such time as the City

was ready to operate its cars. He believed that such cable could be sold to the California Street Cable Company or some other company when there was no further use for it on Geary street. He also requested to be informed as to the reason for the delay in the construction of the roadbed and was informed that the contract for the roadbed was delayed by reason of the fact that a former Board of Supervisors required by resolution that said work be done by day labor.

His Honor Mayor Rolph suggested that the Clerk address a communication to the Board of Public Works and the City Engineer asking when specifications will be ready for the construction of the roadbed; also the reason said Board was requesting at this time an appropriation of \$10,000 for preparations of plans and specifications. He also requested that when the information is received that the matter be given immediate attention by the Public Utilities Committees.

Providing \$2000 to Defray Expenses of Chief of Police, President of the Police Commission and Lieutenant of the Traffic Squad on a Trip to Eastern Cities to Study Methods of Police Regulation in Vogue in Said Cities.

His Honor the Mayor suggested that as a result of a conference held in his office it was decided that it would be a very profitable thing for San Francisco if a committee of the men in charge of the Police Department could visit eastern cities and make a study of conditions existing in those cities and the methods of police regulation in vogue therein. He suggested that \$2000 should be appropriated out of any fund available for the purpose of carrying out the suggestion, and stated that he believed that it would be money very well expended.

Whereupon, The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor McCarthy and on his motion *passed for printing*:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2000 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Urgent Necessities Fund to defray expenses of Chief of Police, President of the Board of Police Commissioners and Lieutenant Police in charge of traffic squad of the San Francisco Police Department on a trip of inspection and investigation into methods employed in eastern cities in matters requiring police regulation.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS, 4:30 P. M.

Water Rates Investigation.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy the Board resolved itself into Commit-

tee of the Whole for the purpose of commencing the investigation preliminary to the fixing and determining water rates for the year commencing July 1, 1912, with Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher, Chairman of the Water Rates Committee, in the Chair.

All members before noted being present.

Motion.

Supervisor Murphy moved that the statements received be designated exhibits in the pending investigation.

Motion carried.

Whereupon, It was moved that owing to the negotiations pending for the purchase of the properties of the Spring Valley Water Company that the investigation be postponed, until April 3, 1912, at 8 p. m.

Thereupon the Committee of the Whole arose and reported progress.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY
28, 1912, 8 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Wednesday evening, February 28, 1912, 8 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors meet pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of continuing the investigation held preliminary to fixing and establishing heat, light and power rates for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1912.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—10.

His Honor Mayor Rolph being absent, Supervisor Nolan, Chairman of the Public Lighting and Rates Committee, was called to the Chair.

Committee of the Whole.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland the Board thereupon resolved itself into Committee of the Whole with Supervisor Nolan in the Chair.

At the hour of 10:30 the Committee of the Whole on motion of Supervisor Murphy arose and reported as follows:

Report of Committee of the Whole.

Your Committee of the Whole reports that it has met for the purpose of continuing the annual investigation held preliminarily to the fixing and establishing heat, light and power rates for the year commencing July 1, 1912.

That the following communications, statements, etc., heretofore filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors have been considered in evidence and designated exhibits as follows:

Exhibit No. 7—Argument of Pacific Gas and Electric Company as to rates charged for electric energy in twenty-two cities of the United States.

Exhibit No. 8—Chart showing the merging and succession of lighting and power companies in San Francisco, the properties of which form componently the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company.

Exhibit No. 9—Additional statement of City Electric Company, showing more completely the operating cost of said company for the year ending December 31, 1911.

Exhibit No. 10—Statement of the Metropolitan Light and Power Company, showing receipts and expenditures, original cost and present value, floating debt and present bonded indebtedness for year ending December 31, 1911.

Exhibit No. 11—Statement of Municipal Light and Power Company, as to receipts and expenditures, original cost and present value, floating debt and bonded indebtedness of said company for year ending December 31, 1911.

Exhibit No. 12—Communication, from City of Oakland as to rates at present charged in said city for light and power service.

Exhibit No. 13—Copy of telegram, addressed to twenty-one electric companies in the principal cities of the United States, together with their replies, covering rates for electric lighting and power service.

That it has heard the testimony of John A. Britton, president of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, as to the comparative cost of producing water gas and oil gas, as to present value of companies gas and electric plants, and as to the reason for the difference in the rates charged for gas in San Francisco as against other cities of the United States and of England. Also, as to what he considered a fair rate for electric current.

Furthermore, your committee reports progress and begs leave to sit again on Wednesday, March 13, 1912, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of continuing the investigation.

ADJOURNMENT.

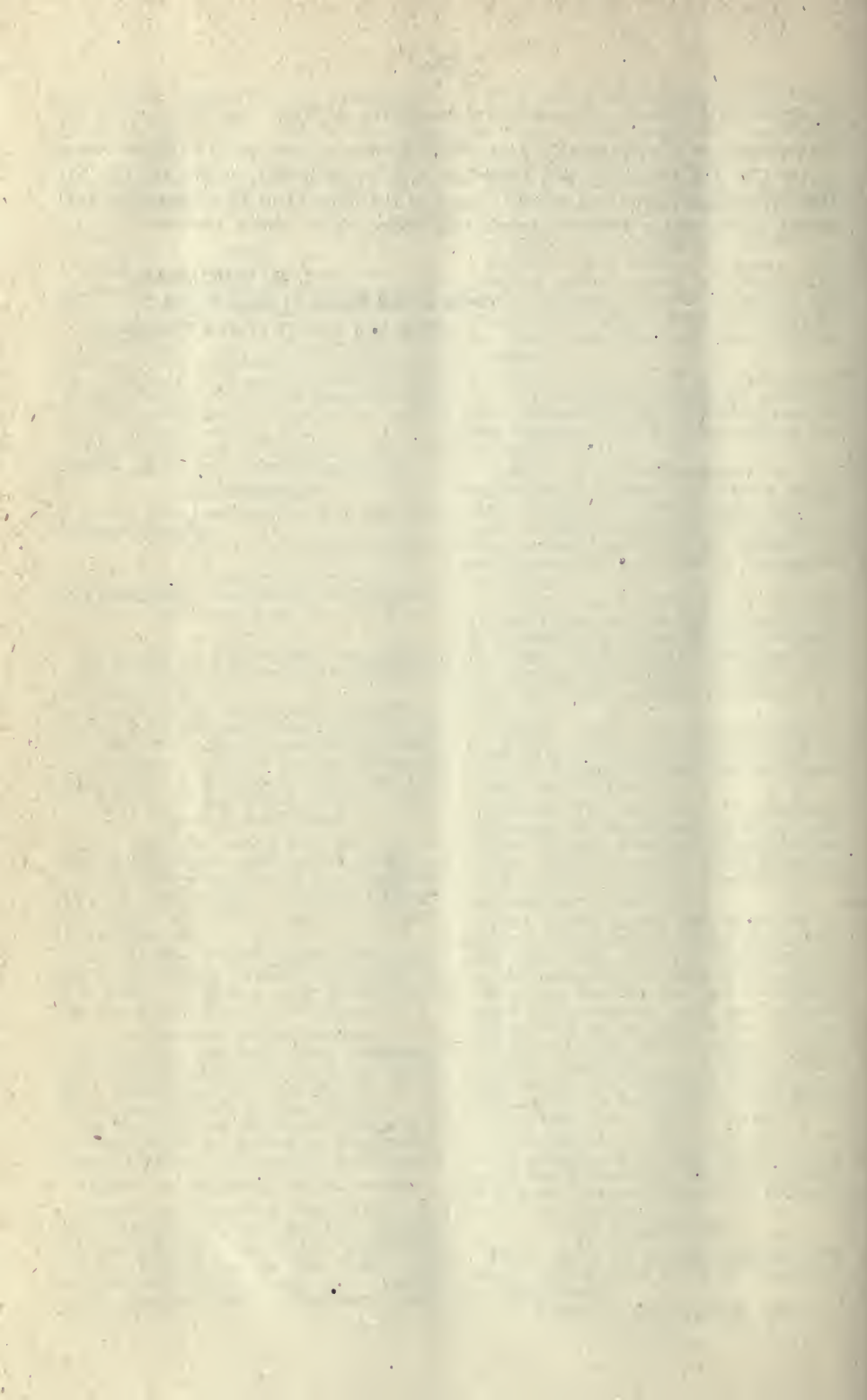
There being no further business the Board at the hour of 10:05 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

JOHN S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors March 4, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.



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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, March 4, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Nolan, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

Motion.

Supervisor Vogelsang moved that the Journal be amended by striking out the words commencing, "He suggested * * * " down to the end of the paragraph under the caption entitled, "Relative to the Construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad," on page 157 thereof.

Motion *carried* and Journal ordered so corrected.

Whereupon, the Journal, as corrected, was approved.

NEW BUSINESS (Out of Order).

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Unemployed Warned Against Coming to San Francisco.

On motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 95.

Whereas, There are at present in San Francisco a large number of unemployed men and women, many of whom have been lured hither by false and misleading reports and advertisements published throughout the country, representing that there exists a demand for labor in connection with the Exposition; and

Whereas, This condition operates injuriously to the interests of our citizens, and will, unless corrected, prove a serious detriment to the city; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the judgment of this Board, the labor forces now available at a moment's notice are more than sufficient to meet any possible demand now, or for a considerable time to come, and we would therefore warn all persons seeking employment against coming to San Francisco, since by so doing they are likely to be disappointed in their own hopes and certain to increase the evils of unemployment among the people already here.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Privilege of the Floor.

Rev. John Rodgers, Pastor of St. Patrick's Church, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that a vast number of men coming from Eastern states have recently applied for relief at the parish residence and that the number is constantly increasing. He stated that these men are without money or employment and have been lured to this city in the hope of obtaining employment in the building of the Panama-Pacific Exposition. He declared further that the need of these men was so great that they gladly accepted the meal tickets that the priests of the parish house had been instructed to give them. He said in concluding that he had nothing to suggest to relieve the condition, but was merely there to testify to the condition that existed and to say that the matter requires immediate attention.

Walter McArthur, Editor of the Coast Seamen's Journal, also addressed the Board, stating that false and misleading statements and advertisements spread broadcast throughout the Eastern states are responsible for the conditions that now prevail in San Francisco. He declared that there are advertisements running in Eastern papers requesting 10,000 men to work on the Fair and that it has set up a strong current of labor toward San Francisco. He believed that we could absorb this additional population in time, but that we cannot now absorb

all the unemployed of the United States that is headed in this direction. He stated that the Board of Supervisors should take some action in the matter for if something is not done to counteract and check the tendency of the unemployed we will have a very serious condition of affairs in San Francisco. He believed that the Board should draw up a formal statement to the press of San Francisco and of the United States stating the actual conditions here and warning those seeking employment that there is already more than sufficient labor for the present needs of San Francisco. In this manner he believed that the condition could in some measure be controlled.

Motion.

Supervisor Koshland moved that the Resolution just adopted be referred to the Public Welfare Committee and that said committee make a study of the problem of the unemployed and devise ways and means for finding employment for them; also, to report thereon as soon as possible.

Motion carried.

Whereupon, the Clerk was instructed to give the above resolution the widest publicity possible.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Relative to the Construction on School Buildings and Payment therefor in 1904 Bonds.

The following was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication: From the City Attorney, advising that the Charter forbids the inclusion in specifications or contracts for the construction of school buildings, the condition that payment shall be made by bonds of the City, and prohibits disposing of bonds in any way except for cash, at not less than par.

Ordered referred to the Finance and Buildings Committee.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS, 3 P. M.

The following matter, laid over from last meeting and made a Special Order of Business for 3 p. m. this day, was taken up:

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans and Surveys and Outline Assessment District For the Construction of the Fillmore Street Tunnel.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is requested, through the City Engineer to furnish as expeditiously as possible the necessary preliminary plans and surveys for establishing an assessment district in connection with the construction of a tunnel through and under Fillmore street from the north line of Sutter street to the south line of Filbert street.

Privilege of the Floor.

Mrs. C. L. Ayers, property owner, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, opposing the construction of a tunnel in Fillmore street. She stated that she did not believe that Bion J. Arnold's decision in favor of the tunnel in Fillmore street was fair, and urged the construction of the Devisadero street in lieu thereof.

C. W. Moores, representing Golden Gate Valley Improvement Club, stated that the Fillmore street tunnel was impracticable and that he did not believe the city would ever build a tunnel in Fillmore street when it was confronted with the difficulties that would surely be met. He declared that a tunnel in Steiner street which would serve the same territory as the proposed Fillmore street tunnel would be 1,000 feet shorter and would cost only one-half as much.

Louis Mooser, property owner, declared that a tunnel in Fillmore street would be the most expensive of all the tunnel projects in that part of the city and wanted to know if there was any good reason for the selection of Fillmore street in which to construct a tunnel as against Devisadero, Pierce or Steiner streets.

J. Monroe also addressed the Board, stating that the property at the portals of the proposed tunnel on Fillmore street was very much more expensive than the lands at the portals of a tunnel on Steiner street. He declared that the burden of the proof as to the most meritorious tunnel project was on the proponents of the Fillmore street tunnel inasmuch as it will be longer and more costly than the Steiner street tunnel. He said that the interruption of traffic, water pipes and auxiliary water system in Fillmore street would add greatly to the cost of handling material, whereas no such obstacles would be met in Steiner street.

F. L. Hansen, property owner, stated that he was not opposed to the Fillmore street tunnel. He declared that the people of Golden Gate Valley were not all in favor of Fillmore street, nor all in favor of Steiner street, but that they were all agreed upon the necessity of a tunnel. He believed that the greatest opposition to the Fillmore street tunnel would come from the Exposition Company which would be heavily taxed if a tunnel is constructed in Fillmore street.

Action Deferred.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved that action be postponed one week and the matter made a Special Order of Business for 2:30 p. m., Monday, March 11, 1912.

Motion carried.

Thereupon, the Clerk, on motion of Supervisor Bancroft, was instructed to obtain the opinion of the City Attorney as to whether or not the construction of a tunnel in Fillmore street would militate against any rights the city might have to operate a municipal street railroad on said street.

HEARING OF PROTEST AGAINST CLOSING NORTHERLY PORTION OF TURK STREET, BETWEEN MASONIC AND PARKER AVENUES.

The hearing of the protest of the West End Betterment Club in the matter of the closing of the northerly portion of Turk street, between Masonic and Parker avenues laid over from a previous meeting was proceeded with.

Motion.

Supervisor George E. Gallagher moved that hearing go over one week. Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—Alex. T. Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Parot, Chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9326 (New Series), as follows: Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to-wit:

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Karl Ehrhart, second progress payment, sewer, Twenty-third avenue, between Geary and Anza streets (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912). \$3,505.35

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., sureties on bond of Keystone Construction Co., 11th progress payment, sewer, Mission street between Silver avenue and Bosworth street (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912). \$2,164.50

Westdahl Hennessey Co., assignees of John W. Flinn, 2nd progress payment, sewer,

er, Beale street between Folsom and Bryant streets (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912). 1,247.59

Coast Improvement Co., 3rd progress payment, section "B" Ingleside outlet sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912) 3,593.25

Federal Construction Co., assignee of Metropolis Construction Co., 10th progress payment, section "F" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912)..... 1,324.56

John Daniel, 6th progress payment, section "G" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)..... 8,339.93

Contra Costa Construction Co., 5th progress payment, section "D-1" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)..... 13,004.74

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 5th partial payment, section "D-2" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)..... 15,342.38

F. Rolandi, 5th progress payment, section "D-3" North Point main sewer (claim dated Feb. 9, 1912)..... 4,672.50

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

Butte Engineering & Electric Co., 4th payment, electric work, Polytechnic shop building (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912)..... \$1,425.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund 1908.

Ralston Iron Works, 1st payment, structural steel, Girls' High School (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912)..... \$18,000.00

Pacific Fire Extinguisher Co., final payment, heating and ventilation, Grattan school (claim dated Jan. 27, 1912)..... 1,831.00

National Electric Co., 1st payment, electric wiring, John Swett School (claim dated Feb. 9, 1912)..... 1,200.00

Hospital Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Pacific Fire Extinguisher Co., final payment, sheet metal work, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Jan. 4, 1912)..... \$1,487.42

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund 1908.

Ajax Brass & Iron Works, final payment, contract No. 40, manhole frames, covers and dust pans, municipal pipe yard (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912)..... 2,077.38

Southern Pacific Co., hauling

castiron pipe from Anniston to San Francisco (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)	1,307.94	mission, southerly section Mission viaduct (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)	5,850.65
Southern Pacific Co., hauling castiron pipe from Bessmer to San Francisco (claim dated Jan. 29, 1912)	1,476.81	J. P. M. Phillips, safety station, Market, Bush and Battery streets (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)	1,800.00
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 8th partial payment, section "B" Intake tunnel (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)	1,162.50	State of California, maintenance of inmates, Preston School of Industry (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912)	702.23
Union Iron Works, 1st payment, bolts, tie rods, nuts and washers, Auxiliary Water Supply System (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912)	6,965.95	Maud B. Booth Home for Children, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 30, 1912)	514.75
Coast Improvement Co., 3rd progress payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, Auxiliary Water Supply System (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)	6,639.73	The St. Vincent De Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	3,628.65
Michael Murphy, 3rd progress payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, Auxiliary Water Supply System (claim dated Feb. 8, 1912)	4,772.04	Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin county, maintenance of minors (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)	1,470.09
<i>General Fund, 1911-12.</i>		The Boys and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	523.96
California Mill Co., labor and material, Board of Election Commissioners (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912)	\$ 781.00	Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	1,593.82
Miller & Lux, Inc., meat supplies, Relief Home (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	1,802.68	Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)	1,215.62
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Relief Home (claim dated Feb. 5, 1912)	633.70	Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Galgher, Giamini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.	
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, etc., Relief Home (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	2,912.04	Authorizations.	
H. Lehrke Sons., groceries, etc., City and County Hospital (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	637.91	Resolution No. 9327 (New Series), as follows:	
Miller & Lux, Inc., meat supplies, City and County Hospital (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	915.68	Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following claimants, to wit:	
Peter Caubun, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)	1,045.85	<i>Tearing up Streets Fund.</i>	
Ajax Brass & Iron Works, manhole frames, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated Jan. 31, 1912)	568.58	P. J. Gartland & Co., repaving over side-sewer trenches for months of May, June, July and August, 1911 (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912)	
A. L. Young Machinery Co., 2 street sweepers, maintenance, sweeping streets (claim dated Jan. 29, 1912)	897.50	P. J. Gartland & Co., repaving over side-sewer trenches, January, 1912 (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912)	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 8th partial payment, northerly section Mission viaduct (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)	11,397.77	School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.	
Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., sureties on bond of Keystone Construction Co., 8th progress pay-		Chas. E. Thomas Co., heating and ventilation, Lowell High School, third payment (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912)	
		F. P. Walsh, heating and ventilating, Spring Valley School, final payment	

(claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)	2448.25
<i>Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund</i>	
1908.	
Bennett Bros., hardware, Hall of Justice, second payment (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912)	\$844.50
Columbia Marble Co., marble work, Hall of Justice, final payment (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912)	13,707.50
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund</i> 1908.	
R. C. Storrie & Co., final payment, Lincoln way and Forty-eighth avenue sewers (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912)	\$33,988.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund</i> 1904.	
Karl Ehrhart, final payment, sewer Twenty-third avenue, between Geary and Anza streets (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912)	\$1836.38
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund</i> 1908.	
The Compressed Air Machinery Co., furnishing, delivering and testing gate valves, pipes and fittings, Ashbury Heights reservoir (claim dated Feb. 15, 1912)	\$7684.00
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue</i> January 1, 1910.	
McLeran & Peterson, extra work, Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)	\$1208.15
<i>General Fund, 1911-12.</i>	
Western Lime & Cement Co., cement, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated Feb. 16, 1912)	\$ 511.20
Western Lime & Cement Co., sand, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated Feb. 7, 1912)	1205.00
The de Lisle Realty Co., rents, Hewes Building, month of February (claim dated Feb. 15, 1912)	1703.00
Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)	1928.91
Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)	1332.07
Electric Agencies Co., fire alarm bells (claim dated Dec. 12, 1911)	600.00
Bion J. Arnold, for services and expenses in connection with investigation and report on street railroad transportation system (claim dated Feb. 26, 1912)	3451.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.
McLeran excused from voting.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9328 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following sums be and they are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to wit:

Supplies Committee, Board of Supervisors.

For furnishing and equipping Hall of Justice and temporary City Hall, "Paving and Repaving Streets, etc." account\$10,000.00

Board of Public Works.

For foundation and excavation, academic building, Polytechnic High School, bonds, 1908\$35,000.00

For "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc." for the month of March, 1912; out of budget item "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc." account..... 60,000.00

For salaries, engineers, elevator operators, janitors, Hall of Justice, balance fiscal year 1911-12; item "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc." account... 5,000.00

For re-surveys Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, compilations and mapping Market Street Homestead, for month of March, 1912; item "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc." account.... 4,000.00

For engineers plans, Geary Street Municipal Railroad; item Geary Street Municipal Railroad bond issue.. 1,500.00

For furniture, repairs, remodeling and removing Courts, Hall of Justice, to be expended subject to approval of Building Committee Board of Supervisors; item "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc." account 2,500.00

Civil Service Commission.

For Civil Service examinations and salaries for balance of fiscal year 1911-12; item Urgent Necessities Fund \$2,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Galla-

gher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Providing \$2000 to Defray Expenses of Chief of Police, President of the Police Commission and Lieutenant of the Traffic Squad on a Trip to Eastern Cities to Study Methods of Police Regulation in Vogue in Said Cities.

Resolution No. 9329 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2000 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Urgent Necessities Fund to defray expenses of Chief of Police, President of the Board of Police Commissioners and Lieutenant Police in charge of traffic squad of the San Francisco Police Department on a trip of inspection and investigation into methods employed in eastern cities in matters requiring police regulation.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gal-lagher—1.

Absent — Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy—2.

Authorizing Appointment of Certain Em-ployees of Police Department.

Bill No. 2017, Ordinance No. 1809 (New Series), Authorizing the ap-pointment by the Board of Police Commissioners of certain employees, fixing their compensation and repeal-ing all ordinances and parts of ordi-nances in conflict herewith.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur-dock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Bonds, Issue of 1904, Placed on Sale at the Treasurer's Office.

Bill No. 2029, Ordinance No. 1810 (New Series); entitled,

"Reciting that certain bonds of the issue of 1904 remain unsold after hav-ing been advertised for sale, no bids therefor having been received, and directing that such unsold bonds be placed on sale at the office of the Treasurer of the City and County, and fixing the price at which such bonds may be sold by the said Treasurer of said City and County".

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur-dock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Authorizing Appointments of Employees of Board of Supervisors.

Bill No. 2018, Ordinance No. 1811 (New Series), Authorizing the ap-pointment by the Board of Supervis-ors of certain employees, fixing their compensation and repealing all ordi-nances or parts of ordinances in con-flict herewith.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Permits.

Resolution No. 9330 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revoc-able permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

Ocean Crab Company, 104 Vander-water street, ten horsepower, for steaming purposes.

M. Mandich, 3640 Seventeenth street, four horsepower, for heating purposes.

Gorham-Revere Rubber Company, 541 Van Ness avenue, six horsepower, for steam vulcanizer.

Storage Tank.

M. Fisher Company, northeast cor-ner Oak and Pierce streets, capacity 2000 gallons.

Public Garage.

Thomas W. Hendry, 665 Golden Gate avenue, provided not more than one tank of 300 gallons of gasoline or ben-zine shall be allowed upon the prem-ises at any one time.

Cabinet Shop.

George Butler, 325-27 Church street, with permission to use a band saw and small combination planer.

Resolution No. 9320 (New Series), Granting the following revocable per-mits:

E. Vaurs, French laundry, at 2340 Geary street.

Storage Tanks.

J. V. Tadich, southeast corner of Clay and Leidesdorff streets, capacity 1000 gallons.

E. C. Cutler, south side of Market street, eighty feet east of First street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur-dock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9331 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Se-

ries), to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to wit:

Dr. Ira B. Dalziel, north line of Fulton street, 110 feet west of Octavia street, for four horses.

New Richland Meat Market, 46 West Park, 100 feet south of Mission street, for one horse.

C. and R. Lamaysou, 2623 Sutter street (rear), for two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Resolution No. 9332 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to Russell Cream Co., to maintain a stable north side of Austin avenue, between Polk and Larkin streets, for four horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9333 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Owen McHugh is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after February 13, 1912, within which to complete the construction of a sewer in Seventeenth avenue, between Geary and Anza streets, and for the grading and sewerage in the crossing of Seventeenth and Anza streets, under public contract.

These extensions of time are granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the work was delayed because of the large amount of grading work which had to be done, and owing to the necessity for operating dump cars over the crossing of Geary and Anza streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Pipe Line Permit.

Resolution No. 9334 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That G. B. Torre & Sons be and are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to lay down and maintain a

pipe from Stauffer's building situate on the north side of Bay street to the building of G. B. Torre & Sons situate on the south side of Bay street, the same to be used for the purpose of furnishing steam for G. B. Torre & Sons; provided that said pipes shall be laid to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Corbett Avenue an Open Public Street.

Bill No. 2019, Ordinance No. 1812 (New Series), entitled, "Declaring Corbett avenue an open public street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2020, Ordinance No. 1813 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors to Milos Mitrov Gopcevic to construct and maintain a spur track from point commencing in switch of the Belt Line Railroad on The Embarcadero east of Sansome street and south of the southerly line of Chestnut street produced easterly and north of the northerly line of Lombard street, thence northwesterly crossing Sansome street to the south side of Chestnut street, thence upon and along Chestnut street westerly to the east line of Montgomery street; center of spur track to be ten feet north of the property line on the south side of Chestnut street and five feet south of the curb line on the south side of Chestnut street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2021, Ordinance No. 1814 (New Series), Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of San Bruno avenue, between Siver avenue and the northerly line of Sweeney street; crossing of Lake street and Twenty-fifth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2022, Ordinance No. 1815, Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Fulton street, between Clayton and Cole streets; Fulton street, between Ashbury and Clayton streets; Fulton street, between Masonic avenue and Ashbury street; intersection of Fulton and Clayton streets; intersection of Fulton and Ashbury streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Establishing Grades, Mangels and Joost Avenues.

Bill No. 2024, Ordinance No. 1816 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Mangels and Joost avenues, between Foerster and Hamburg streets, and on Genessee and Hamburg streets, between Sunnyside and Mangels avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Establishing Grades, Foerster Street.

Bill No. 2025, Ordinance No. 1817 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Foerster street, between Staples avenue and the northerly line of Balboa Park."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Full Acceptance, Twenty-sixth and Castro Streets.

Bill No. 2026, Ordinance No. 1818 (New Series), entitled, Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of crossing of Twenty-sixth and Castro streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Action Deferred.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was on motion *laid over one week*:

Spur Track Permit, Keystone Sand Company.

Bill No. 2027, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to the Keystone Sand Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks

of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company in Twelfth and Harrison streets, thence over and across Harrison street and into Mission Block No. 9.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2028, Ordinance No. 1819 (New Series), Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same.

That Lyon street, between Union and Filbert streets, be improved by constructing granite curbs and a bituminous rock pavement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Notice of Election, City Hall and Civic Center Bonds.

Bill No. 2023, Ordinance No. 1820 (New Series), entitled, "Giving notice of a special election to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on the 28th day of March, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County a proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness for said City and County for the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building or buildings, and improvements to be used by said City and County as a City Hall, and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a Civic Center."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$103,755.74 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 13,126 to 12,801, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined

and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed* for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Polytechnic High School Fund—Bond Issue, January 1, 1910.

McLeran & Peterson, eighth payment, general construction, Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912). \$11,994.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin Co., desks and chairs, Lincoln School (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912) \$1,737.71

Butte Engineering Elec. Co., final payment, electrical work, Lincoln School (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912) 537.00

Abrahamson & DeGear, third payment, heating and ventilating, John Swett School (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912) 2,163.00

Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin Co., blackboard, Spring Valley School (claim dated Nov. 16, 1911) 1,033.53

Brandon & Lawson, fourth payment, brickwork, Lowell High School (claim dated Feb. 14, 1911) 6,392.50

Elmer Carlson, eighth payment, general construction, Lowell High School (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912) 22,335.00

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Adams & Holloper, second payment, lighting fixtures (claim dated Feb. 26, 1912) \$7,046.25

Otis Elevator Co., third payment, elevators (claim dated Feb. 21, 1912) 1,458.75

Wm. Bateman Jr., third payment, interior finish (claim dated Feb. 19, 1912) 3,510.00

A. Knowles, final payment,

plastering (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912) 3,500.00

Wm. Bateman, eighth payment, interior finish (claim dated Feb. 15, 1912) 750.00

Lening Rapple Eng. Co., third payment, heating and ventilating (claim dated Feb. 9, 1912) 2,250.00

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Frederick C. Roberts & Co., first payment, steam turbines (claim dated Feb. 26, 1912) \$2,250.00

Robert Dalziel Jr., second payment, boiler and boiler room auxiliaries (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912) 12,839.25

Central Electric Plumbing & Heating Co., Robt. Dalziel Jr., assignee, second payment, piping for tunnel work (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912) 7,327.50

Roebbling Construction Co., sixth payment, partitions and furring (claim dated Feb. 20, 1912) 5,068.50

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1904.

C. J. Harney, final payment, Mission & Mt. Vernon sewers (claim dated Feb. 19, 1912) \$15,229.12

Buena Vista Improvement Co., final payment, Glenn Park outlet sewer (claim dated Jan. 27, 1912) 5,811.28

Buena Vista Improvement Co., extra work in addition to contract, Glenn Park outlet sewer (claim dated Feb. 5, 1912) 1,849.17

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Michael Murphy, eighth payment, 5th section, contract 46 (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912) \$31,303.43

U. S. Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Co., second payment, cast-iron pipe, contract 55 (claim dated Feb. 14, 1912) 4,318.91

Park Fund.

City Street Improvement Co., bitumen patching, Golden Gate Park (claim dated Jan. 5, 1912) 588.70

Rudolph Herold Jr., premium on insurance policies, pictures in museum, Golden Gate Park (claim dated Feb. 19, 1912) 825.00

Spring Valley Water Company, water furnished parks and squares, December 20, 1911, January 22,

1912 (claim dated Jan. 27, 1912)	1,574.48
<i>General Fund 1911-12.</i>	
D. A. White, as Chief of Police, March police contingent allowance (claim dated March 1, 1912)	666.66
John G. Sutton Co., second payment, plumbing, gas-fitting & heating, Bay View police station (claim dated Feb. 21, 1912)	1,006.50
Pierce Arrow Sales Co., 1 touring car for fire department (claim dated Feb. 28, 1912)	5,692.80
Bauer Lamp Co., material and labor furnished fire department (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	518.00
Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished hydrants, month Feb. 1912 (claim dated Feb. 28, 1912)	10,928.83
Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished public buildings, month Feb. 1912 (claim dated Feb. 26, 1912)	1,666.66
The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors (claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)	3,630.28
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.	
Excused from voting—Supervisor McLeran—1.	
Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy—2.	
<i>Appropriations.</i>	
Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:	
Resolved, That the following sums be and they are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to-wit:	
<i>Board of Health.</i>	
For painting Tubercular Hospital, Twenty-second and Potrero avenue, under direction of Dr. R. G. Broderick, Health Officer, as per estimate by Board of Public Works; out of Budget item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." account....	\$1050.00
For furnishing and equipping extra Pound wagon, horses and crew, month of April, 1912, for impounding stray dogs; out of Budget item "For continuance of sanitary	

measures"	500.00
<i>Board of Public Works.</i>	
For engineers' plans and specifications, Geary Street Municipal Railroad; item Geary Street Municipal Railroad Bond Issue	5000.00
To pay balances due draughtsmen and engineers on Patrick Henry, Douglas and Fairmount Schools; out of the surplus bond moneys, issue of 1904, for construction of Everett School	291.10
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—14.	
No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher—1.	
Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy, Nolan—3.	

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Auditor and Treasurer to Transfer to General Fund Certain Balances of 1904 and 1909 Bond Issues.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: J. R. No. 96.

Resolved, That the Auditor and Treasurer be directed to transfer to the General Fund the balances remaining in Bond Issue funds, to-wit:

3½ per cent 1904 Hospital Bond Fund	\$ 71.75
3¼ per cent 1904 Mission Park Bond Fund	340.00
3¼ per cent 1904 Playgrounds Bond Fund.....	54.56
4½ per cent 1909 Water Supply Bond Fund.....	16.13
Yerba Buena School Fund Account	277.85
Architects' Deposit Fund.....	10.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Board of Health to Transfer \$500 Surplus from Salary Account to Maintenance Account for Purpose of Equipping Bacteriological Laboratory.

Also, J. R. No. 97.

Resolved, That the Board of Health be and they are hereby authorized and directed to transfer from their Salary Account to their Maintenance Account, for the purpose of equipping Bacteriological Laboratory for use of the Board of Health, the sum of \$500.00.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That revocable permission is hereby granted to Jim Hi to erect and maintain a laundry to be operated by hand power in premises at south side of Jackson street 84 feet west of Stockton street.

This resolution is to correct error in description of premises set forth in original petition; and further, Resolution No. 8766 (New Series) is hereby repealed.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

Edward Rolkin, northwest corner of Seventeenth and Folsom streets, 300 horsepower, for laundry purposes.

San Anselmo Dairy Co., south side of Greenwich street, 68 feet 3 inches west of Mason street, 2 horsepower, for steaming purposes.

California Street Laundry Company of San Francisco, 1421 California street, 12 horsepower, for laundry purposes.

Petri Italian-American Cigar Co., 409 Jackson street, 10 horsepower, for heating purposes.

Storage Tank.

Masonic Temple Association, northwest corner of Van Ness avenue and Oak street, capacity 2350 gallons.

Laundries.

California Street Laundry Company of San Francisco, 1421 California street.

Edward Rolkin, northwest corner of Seventeenth and Folsom streets.

Garages.

Milton Righetti, north side of Sacramento street, between Locust and Spruce streets.

W. H. Taylor Co., west side of Jones street, 60 feet north of Golden Gate avenue.

Carpenter Shop and Planing Mill.

G. Cavaglieri, east line of Potrero avenue, 75 feet north of Eighteenth street.

Privilege of the Floor.

Mr. A. Adelsdorfer was granted the privilege of the floor, and addressed the Board opposing the granting of a garage permit to Milton Righetti on Sacramento street, between Locust and Spruce streets. He declared that four people had been killed by machines in the vicinity during the past year, and that property owners had not been noti-

fied in time to protest against granting of permit.

Extensions of Time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company is hereby granted the following extensions of time on its public contracts, to wit:

Sixty days from and after December 27, 1911, to complete construction of Section "B", Intake Tunnel, Townsend Street Pumping Station.

Sixty days from and after February 9, 1912, to complete construction of the Twin Peaks Reservoir.

Ninety days from and after December 5, 1911, to complete the division wall for the Twin Peaks Reservoir.

These extensions of time are recommended for the reasons that it is not desirable to construct asphalt expansion joints in the reservoir during stormy weather; also to enable the restoration of the sea wall and wharf, and to test the water tightness of the reservoir.

(Communications from Board of Public Works filed February 21, 1912.)

Action Deferred.

The following matter was introduced by Supervisor Caglieri and *laid over one week*:

Revoking Permit of California Veterinary Hospital.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution No. 8038 (New Series), approved June 28, 1911, granting permission to California Veterinary Hospital to maintain a veterinary hospital in premises No. 363 Fell street, is hereby repealed.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permit.

J. R. No. 98.

That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors permission is hereby denied Charles O'Connor for stable permit, 33 Tingley street, for a stable permit for two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198

of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

J. B. Ledoux, 14 Girard street, for one horse.

Chas. S. White, east side of Twenty-third avenue, 175 feet north of Lawton street, for four horses.

Requiring the Muzzling of Dogs.

Supervisor Caglieri introduced:

Bill No. 2034, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Requiring the Muzzling of Dogs."

Motion.

Supervisor Payot moved that bill be indefinitely postponed.

Withdrawn.

Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved that bill be *laid over one week*.

Motion *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer—3.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—12.

Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy, Nolan—3.

Privilege of the Floor.

Professor Leishman, dog fancier, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, opposing the passage of the proposed bill. He declared that in his experience with dogs, extending over many years, he had been often bitten, but never suffered any serious consequences. He did not believe there was such a disease as rabies.

Refused Passage.

The question being thereupon put, the above bill was *refused passage* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Vogelsang—7.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hilmer, Hocks, McLeran, Murphy, Payot—8.

Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy, Nolan—3.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

Resolution No. 9335 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Detroit street and Circular avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office February 17, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-

lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang.—15.

Also, Resolution No. 9336 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Flood avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office February 17, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang.—15.

Also, Resolution No. 9337 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Forty-fourth avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office January 13, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang.—15.

Also, Resolution No. 9338 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Alabama street and Precita avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office January 12, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang.—15.

Also, Resolution No. 9339 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Army street and Precita avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office January 13, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang.—15.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.
On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Also, Bill No. 2035, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Golden State avenue, between Holloway and

Ocean avenues; Harrington street, between Mission and Alemany streets; crossing of San Bruno avenue and Wayland street; crossing of San Bruno avenue and Woolsey street; crossing of Chenery and Roanoke streets; intersection of Marsilly street and St. Mary's avenue.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2036, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Ordering the performance of the following street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit:

That granite curbs and an asphalt pavement be constructed in Balboa street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on Collingwood street, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets.

That 8 and 12-inch ironstone pipe sewers with appurtenances be constructed in Noe street, between Twenty-seventh and Army streets, and in the crossing of Army and Noe streets.

That 8, 15 and 21-inch ironstone pipe sewers with appurtenances be constructed in the crossing of Balboa street and Forty-fourth avenue.

That 12 and 21-inch ironstone pipe sewers with appurtenances be constructed in Balboa street, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth avenues, and in the crossing of Balboa street and Forty-fifth avenue.

That a 15-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Twenty-sixth avenue, between Lincoln way and Irving street.

That 18, 21 and 24-inch ironstone pipe sewers with appurtenances be constructed in Thirty-seventh avenue, from Ulloa street to Taraval street, and in the crossings of intersecting streets.

That granite curbs be constructed in Andover avenue, from the northerly line of Park street produced to the southerly line of Ellert street produced, including angular corners of intersecting streets.

That granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks, brick cesspools, ironstone pipe culverts and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed in the crossing of Richland avenue and Leese street.

Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Action Deferred.

The following matters laid over from last meeting were taken up and on the request of his Honor the Mayor again laid over one week:

Leave of Absence, Employees of Bureau of Weights and Measures.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That this Board recommends to his Honor the Mayor that all employees of the Bureau of Weights and Measures be given a leave of absence, without pay, pending the appeal to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court declaring the creation of said Bureau to have been invalid; that such leave of absence be without prejudice to said employees to re-enter the service should such decision of the Superior Court be reversed.

Repealing Ordinance Creating Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures".

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MOTIONS AND BILLS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Announcement of Special Meeting.

His Honor the Mayor announced a Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for Friday evening, March 8, 1912, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of considering the matter of the construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad, and requested that the members of the Board of Public Works, the City Engineer, the City Architect and the Bookkeeper or Secretary of said Board be invited to attend.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

San Mateo County Supervisors to Co-operate With Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations for the Advancement of San Francisco and San Mateo Counties.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 99.

Resolved, That the Supervisors of San Mateo county be and are hereby invited to co-operate with the Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations of this Board, to the end that a campaign for the advancement of the interests of San Francisco and San Mateo counties may be inaugurated and conducted to successful issue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran—3.

Concerning Dogs Running at Large.

The following bill was introduced by

Supervisor Hocks and referred to the Police Committee:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Concerning Dogs Running at Large."

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced, under suspension of the rules, by Supervisor Murdock, and adopted by rising vote:

In Memory of Mother of Byron Mauzy.

J. R. No. 100.

The members of the Board of Supervisors would express their sincere sympathy with their fellow-member, Byron Mauzy, in the death of his revered and venerable mother. They would assure him of their respect and esteem and their hope that he may recognize the event as a beneficent release from the burdens incident to the years beyond the rarely reached age of ninety, as natural and beautiful, like the falling of a leaf when autumn ends. He has enjoyed a mother's companionship far beyond the time usually allotted to human life and while condoling with him in his loss we congratulate him on all that he has enjoyed in the prolonged blessing of maternal love.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran—3.

Passed for Printing.

The following bill was introduced under suspension of the rules, by Supervisor George E. Gallagher, and passed for printing:

Declaring Necessity of Condemnation Proceedings for Sewer Right of Way Through Sutro Property.

Bill No. 2037, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Declaring the necessity for, and ordering the condemnation to

public use of the City and County of San Francisco for the purposes of a sewer right of way a sewerage screen house, and a sewerage incinerator house, of certain lands belonging to the estate of Adolph Sutro, deceased, and lying between the northerly termination of Forty-eighth avenue and the high tide line of the waters of the Pacific Ocean.

Relative to Visit of Mme. Tetrazzini.

His Honor the Mayor stated that he intended to meet Mme. Tetrazzini at the depot on Wednesday, when she was expected to arrive in San Francisco, and that he had been asked to have proper committees arrange for the placing of a memorial plaque in Lotta's Fountain to commemorate the occasion when she sang at said fountain on Christmas eve, 1910.

Thereupon, the Publicity Committee, the Public Welfare Committee and the Exposition Committee were appointed to make necessary arrangements.

Motion.

Supervisor Koshland moved that the Publicity Committee be authorized to suggest to the Exposition Company the idea of having Mme. Tetrazzini sing at the opening of the Exposition in 1915.

Motion carried.

Relative to Supervisors Meeting in Hall of Justice.

His Honor the Mayor called attention to the poor acoustic properties of the new chamber of the Board of Supervisors in the City Hall and requested that Building Committee consider the feasibility of holding the meetings of the Board hereafter in the evening at the Hall of Justice.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 6:45 p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors March 11, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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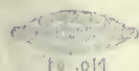
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, MARCH 11, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, March 11, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, Nolan, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

HEARING OF PROTEST AGAINST CLOSING NORTHERLY PORTION OF TURK STREET, BETWEEN MASONIC AND PARKER AVENUES.

The hearing of the protest of the West End Betterment Club in the matter of the closing of the northerly portion of Turk street, between Masonic and Parker avenues laid over from a previous meeting was proceeded with.

Motion.

Geo. E. Gallagher moved that matter again lay over one week.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9340 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Polytechnic High School Fund—Bond Issue, January 1, 1910.

McLeran & Peterson, eighth payment, general construction, Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912). \$11,994.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin Co., desks and chairs, Lincoln School (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912) \$1,737.71

Butte Engineering Elec. Co., final payment, electrical work, Lincoln School (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912) 537.00

Abrahamson & DeGear, third payment, heating and ventilating, John Swett School (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912). 2,163.00

Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin Co., blackboard, Spring Valley School (claim dated Nov. 16, 1911) 1,033.53

Brandon & Lawson, fourth payment, brickwork, Lowell High School (claim dated Feb. 14, 1911) 6,392.50

Elmer Carlson, eighth payment, general construction, Lowell High School (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912) 22,335.00

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Adams & Hollopeter, second payment, lighting fixtures (claim dated Feb. 26, 1912). \$7,046.25

Otis Elevator Co., third payment, elevators (claim dated Feb. 21, 1912) 1,458.75

Wm. Bateman Jr., third payment, interior finish (claim dated Feb. 19, 1912) 3,510.00

A. Knowles, final payment, plastering (claim dated Feb. 6, 1912) 3,500.00

Wm. Bateman, eighth payment, interior finish (claim dated Feb. 15, 1912) 750.00

Lening Rapple Eng. Co., third payment, heating and ventilating (claim dated Feb. 9, 1912) 2,250.00

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Frederick C. Roberts & Co., first payment, steam turbines (claim dated Feb. 26, 1912) \$2,250.00

Robert Dalziel Jr., second payment, boiler and boiler room auxiliaries (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912) 12,839.25

Central Electric Plumbing & Heating Co., Robt. Dalziel Jr., assignee, second payment, piping for tunnel work (claim dated Feb. 27,

1912)	7,327.50	Spring Valley Water Co.,	water furnished public
Roebling Construction Co.,		buildings, month Feb. 1912	
sixth payment, partitions		(claim dated Feb. 26, 1912)	1,666.66
and furring (claim dated		The Children's Agency of the	
Feb. 20, 1912)	5,068.50	Associated Charities of S.	
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public</i>		F., maintenance of minors	
<i>Building Fund, Series 1904.</i>		(claim dated Feb. 1, 1912)	3,630.28
C. J. Harney, final payment,		Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-	
Mission & Mt. Vernon sew-		eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.	
ers (claim dated Feb. 19,		Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,	
1912)	\$15,229.12	Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,	
Buena Vista Improvement		McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,	
Co., final payment, Glenn		Payot, Vogelsang—17.	
Park outlet sewer (claim			
dated Jan. 27, 1912)	5,811.28		
Buena Vista Improvement			
Co., extra work in addition			
to contract, Glenn Park			
outlet sewer (claim dated			
Feb. 5, 1912)	1,849.17		
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Build-</i>			
<i>ing Fund, Series 1908.</i>			
Michael Murphy, eighth pay-			
ment, 5th section, contract			
46 (claim dated Feb. 14,			
1912)	\$31,303.43		
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe & Found-			
ry Co., second payment,			
cast-iron pipe, contract 55			
(claim dated Feb. 14, 1912) .	4,318.91		
<i>Park Fund.</i>			
City Street Improvement Co.,			
bitumen patching, Golden			
Gate Park (claim dated			
Jan. 5, 1912)	588.70		
Rudolph Herold Jr., premium			
on insurance policies, pic-			
tures in museum, Golden			
Gate Park (claim dated			
Feb. 19, 1912)	825.00		
Spring Valley Water Com-			
pany, water furnished			
parks and squares, Decem-			
ber 20, 1911, January 22,			
1912 (claim dated Jan. 27,			
1912)	1,574.48		
<i>General Fund 1911-12.</i>			
D. A. White, as Chief of Po-			
lice, March police contingent			
allowance (claim dated			
March 1, 1912)	666.66		
John G. Sutton Co., second			
payment, plumbing, gas-fitting			
& heating, Bay View			
police station (claim dated			
Feb. 21, 1912)	1,006.50		
Pierce Arrow Sales Co., 1			
touring car for fire depart-			
ment (claim dated Feb. 28,			
1912)	5,692.80		
Bauer Lamp Co., material			
and labor furnished fire de-			
partment (claim dated Feb.			
29, 1912)	518.00		
Spring Valley Water Co.,			
water furnished hydrants,			
month Feb. 1912 (claim			
dated Feb. 28, 1912)	10,928.83		

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9341 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following sums be and they are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to-wit:

Board of Health.

For painting Tubercular Hospital, Twenty-second and Potrero avenue, under direction of Dr. R. G. Broderick, Health Officer, as per estimate by Board of Public Works; out of Budget item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." account.... \$1050.00

For furnishing and equipping extra Pound wagon, horses and crew, month of April, 1912, for impounding stray dogs; out of Budget item "For continuance of sanitary measures" 500.00

Board of Public Works.

For engineers' plans and specifications, Geary Street Municipal Railroad; item Geary Street Municipal Railroad Bond Issue 5000.00

To pay balances due draughtsmen and engineers on Patrick Henry, Douglass and Fairmount Schools; out of the surplus bond moneys, issue of 1904, for construction of Everett School 291.10

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Permits.

Resolution No. 9342 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

Edward Rolkin, northwest corner of Seventeenth and Folsom streets, 300

horsepower, for laundry purposes.

San Anselmo Dairy Co., south side of Greenwich street, 68 feet 3 inches west of Mason street, 2 horsepower, for steaming purposes.

California Street Laundry Company of San Francisco, 1421 California street, 12 horsepower, for laundry purposes.

Petri Italian-American Cigar Co., 409 Jackson street, 10 horsepower, for heating purposes.

Storage Tank.

Masonic Temple Association, northwest corner of Van Ness avenue and Oak street, capacity 2350 gallons.

Laundries.

California Street Laundry Company of San Francisco, 1421 California street.

Edward Rolkin, northwest corner of Seventeenth and Folsom streets.

Garages.

Milton Righetti, north side of Sacramento street, between Locust and Spruce streets.

W. H. Taylor Co., west side of Jones street, 60 feet north of Golden Gate avenue.

Carpenter Shop and Planing Mill.

G. Cavaglieri, east line of Potrero avenue, 75 feet north of Eighteenth street.

Privilege of the Floor.

A. Adelsdorfer, representing protesting property owners, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, opposing the granting of a permit for a garage to Milton Righetti at premises on Sacramento street, between Locust and Spruce streets. He stated that there are already five or six garages within a few blocks to afford accommodation for that neighborhood and that the granting of this permit would depreciate the property of every one in the block. He requested that the resolution be not adopted.

M. Samuels, attorney representing Mrs. Fabin, property owner adjoining proposed garage on the north, also opposed the granting of the permit to Milton Righetti. He declared that all the property owners in the neighborhood were opposed to the garage, except a laundry which is also maintaining a nuisance in the neighborhood. He stated that he wished to emphasize his statement that all the property owners in the neighborhood were opposed to the garage and he believed that their wishes in the matter should be respected.

R. Hathorn, attorney, representing Milton Righetti, stated that his client was ready to invest \$6000 to \$7000 in his garage, which was to be a concrete fireproof building, and he believed that his enterprise should be encouraged.

He favored the passage of the resolution.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the question being taken the foregoing resolution was finally passed by the following vote:

Privilege of the Floor.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS, 3 P. M.

The following matter, laid over from last meeting and made a Special Order of Business for 3 p. m. this day, was taken up:

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans and Surveys and Outline Assessment District for the Construction of the Fillmore Street Tunnel.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is requested, through the City Engineer to furnish as expeditiously as possible the necessary preliminary plans and surveys for establishing an assessment district in connection with the construction of a tunnel through and under Fillmore street from the north line of Sutter street to the south line of Filbert street.

Privilege of the Floor.

George Skaller was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that for the past two or three years he had been an earnest advocate of tunnel construction in San Francisco. He believed that Fillmore street was the only logical street for a tunnel connecting the Western Addition with Golden Gate Valley. He said that the same unwritten law that had made Fillmore street the traffic street of San Francisco after the fire indicated that it was the natural street for transportation. He declared that if the Board determines that Steiner street is the proper street for the tunnel the Fillmore street Improvement Association will get behind the Board and do all in its power to have the work quickly and properly completed. He contrasted this attitude with that of the proponents of the Steiner street tunnel, who, he said, declared that they will fight the matter to a finish if the Board does not recommend Steiner street.

Father Ryan, representing St. Vincent de Paul's Parish, objected to the tunnel in Steiner street as his church was located at one of the portals of the proposed tunnel and it would be impossible to conduct divine services on account of the noise incident to the operation of the tunnel.

Extensions of Time.

Father Skelly, representing the Dominican Fathers, also opposed the tunneling of Steiner street or Pierce street for the reason that he believed the operation of the tunnel would be so noisy as to interfere with the service and the cars would be a menace to the lives of the children attending St. Rose's Academy.

George A. Renner, representing the Draymen's Association, favored the Fillmore street tunnel on account of its convenience for transportation purposes to the United States government's transport docks at Harbor View. He declared in regard to the additional cost of the Fillmore street tunnel that if it was decided that Fillmore street was the logical street the best wasn't any too good and the difference in the cost shouldn't receive very serious consideration. He stated further that the construction of a tunnel in Fillmore street would mean the saving of from 15 to 25 per cent in the cost of transportation from the heart of the city to the Exposition grounds.

Action Deferred.

Whereupon, Supervisor Mauzy stated that C. C. Moore, president of the Exposition Company desired to be heard in the matter and that the Tunnel Committee intended to confer with him tomorrow at 4 in the matter. He therefore requested that the matter go over one week.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher suggested that the Exposition Committee be also instructed to attend conference.

So ordered.

Thereupon, the above matter was laid over one week.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Laundry Permit.

Resolution No. 9343 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That revocable permission is hereby granted to Jim Hi to erect and maintain a laundry to be operated by hand power in premises at south side of Jackson street 84 feet west of Stockton street.

This resolution is to correct error in description of premises set forth in original petition; and further, Resolution No. 8766 (New Series) is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Resolution No. 9344 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company is hereby granted the following extensions of time on its public contracts, to wit:

Sixty days from and after December 27, 1911, to complete construction of Section "B", Intake Tunnel, Townsend Street Pumping Station.

Sixty days from and after February 9, 1912, to complete construction of the Twin Peaks Reservoir.

Ninety days from and after December 5, 1911, to complete the division wall for the Twin Peaks Reservoir.

These extensions of time are recommended for the reasons that it is not desirable to construct asphalt expansion joints in the reservoir during stormy weather; also to enable the restoration of the sea wall and wharf, and to test the water tightness of the reservoir.

(Communications from Board of Public Works filed February 21, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9345 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

J. B. Ledoux, 14 Glard street, for one horse.

Chas. S. White, east side of Twenty-third avenue, 175 feet north of Lawton street, for four horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Conditional Acceptance. Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2035, Ordinance No. 1821 (New Series), Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Golden State avenue, between Holloway and Ocean avenues; Harrington street, between Mission and Alemany streets; crossing of San Bruno avenue and Wayland street; crossing of San Bruno avenue and Woolsey street; crossing of Chenery and Roanoke streets; intersection of Marsilly street and St. Mary's avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,

Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2036, Ordinance No. 1822 (New Series), Ordering the performance of the following street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit:

That granite curbs and an asphalt pavement be constructed in Balboa street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on Collingwood street, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets.

That 8 and 12-inch ironstone pipe sewers with appurtenances be constructed in Noe street, between Twenty-seventh and Army streets, and in the crossing of Army and Noe streets.

That 8, 15 and 21-inch ironstone pipe sewers with appurtenances be constructed in the crossing of Balboa street and Forty-fourth avenue.

That 12 and 21-inch ironstone pipe sewers with appurtenances be constructed in Balboa street, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth avenues, and in the crossing of Balboa street and Forty-fifth avenue.

That a 15-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Twenty-sixth avenue, between Lincoln way and Irving street.

That 18, 21 and 24-inch ironstone pipe sewers with appurtenances be constructed in Thirty-seventh avenue, from Ulloa street to Taraval street, and in the crossings of intersecting streets.

That granite curbs be constructed in Andover avenue, from the northerly line of Park street produced to the southerly line of Ellert street produced, including angular corners of intersecting streets.

That granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks, brick cesspools, ironstone pipe culverts and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed in the crossing of Richland avenue and Leese street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Declaring Necessity of Condemnation Proceedings for Sewer Right of Way Through Sutro Property.

Bill No. 2037, Ordinance No. 1823 (New Series), Declaring the necessity for, and ordering the condemnation to

public use of the City and County of San Francisco for the purposes of a sewer right of way a sewerage screen house, and a sewerage incinerator house, of certain lands belonging to the estate of Adolph Sutro, deceased, and lying between the northerly termination of Forty-eighth avenue and the high tide line of the waters of the Pacific Ocean.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was on motion again *laid over for one week*:

Spur Track Permit, Keystone Sand Company.

Also, Bill No. 2027, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Grant-

ing permission to the Keystone Sand Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company in Twelfth and Harrison streets, thence over and across Harrison street and into Mission Block No. 9.

Final Passage.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Spur Track Permit, Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company.

Bill No. 1947, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Granting permission to the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, its successors or assigns, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track, beginning at a point in the center line of the northwesterly track of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company in Quint street, 76.63 feet southerly from the southerly line of Galvez street; thence northerly on a curve of 764.5 feet radius concave to the west a distance of 100 feet; thence northerly on a curve of 28.79 feet radius concave to the west a distance of 112.6 feet to the northerly line of Quint street; thence running across private property.

Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Action Deferred.

The following matters laid over from last meeting were taken up and on the request of his Honor the Mayor again *laid over one week*:

Leave of Absence, Employees of Bureau of Weights and Measures.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That this Board recom-

mends to his Honor the Mayor that all employees of the Bureau of Weights and Measures be given a leave of absence, without pay, pending the appeal to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court declaring the creation of said Bureau to have been invalid; that such leave of absence be without prejudice to said employees to re-enter the service should such decision of the Superior Court be reversed.

Repealing Ordinance Creating Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures".

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$218,554.88 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 13,501 to 14,133, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

NEW BUSINESS (Out of Order.)

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were introduced out of order and passed for printing:

Muzzling of Dogs.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

Bill No. 2038, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Requiring the muzzling of dogs."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings.

Appointment of Stenographer for Tax Collector.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:

Bill No. 2039, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1345, Authorizing the Tax Collector to appoint a stenographer for his office and fixing

the compensation of said stenographer," approved October 25, 1910.

Appointment of Cashier For Tax Collector.

Also, Bill No. 2040, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1639 (New Series). 'Authorizing the Tax Collector to appoint an assistant cashier and six temporary cashiers and fixing their compensation,' approved August 8, 1911."

Appointment of Expert Accountant for Tax Collector.

Also, Bill No. 2041, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Sections 1 and 2 of Ordinance No. 1638 (New Series), entitled, 'Authorizing the appointment by the Tax Collector of an expert accountant from the Civil Service list of deputies for the Tax Collector's office, and fixing his compensation,' approved August 8, 1911."

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1904.</i>	
J. F. O'Brien Co., first payment, Brannan and Beale street sewers (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	\$528.94
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.</i>	
Spring Valley Water Co., for changing the position of its mains in the crossing at Nineteenth and Harrison streets, to avoid interference with the bond issue sewer (claim dated Feb. 28, 1912).....	\$2,992.54
John Daniel, seventh payment, section "G", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 5, 1912)....	8,233.75
Federal Construction Co., assignee of Metropolis Construction Co., final payment, section "F", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 1, 1912)....	24,160.05
F. Rolandi, fourth payment, section "E", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 6, 1912).....	3,660.66
F. Rolandi, sixth payment, section "D-3", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 6, 1912).....	10,560.19

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., sixth payment, section "D-2", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	13,417.88	Dyer Brothers, final payment, structural steel, pumping station No. 1 (claim dated Feb. 28, 1912)	1,013.28
Contra Costa Construction Co., sixth payment, section "D-1", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	8,829.06	Robt. Dalziel Jr., final payment, plumbing, pumping station No. 1 (claim dated March 6, 1912).....	1,197.00
Coast Improvement Co., fourth payment, Ingleside outlet sewer "B" (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	1,026.00	Fredk. C. Roberts & Co., first payment, Ashbury Heights reservoir (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	6,252.00
Westdahl-Hennessey Co., assignee of John W. Flynn, third payment, Beale street sewer from Folsom to Bryant streets (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	1,547.24	<i>San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund 1908.</i>	
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.</i>		McSheehy Bros., fifth payment, interior finish (claim dated Feb. 24, 1912)	\$3,195.00
O. C. Holt, seventh payment, general construction, John Swett School (claim dated March 4, 1912).....	\$6,990.00	Smith & Johnson, fifth payment, plastering (claim dated March 1, 1912)....	6,999.00
Robt. Trost, sixth payment, general construction, Lincoln School (claim dated Feb. 5, 1912).....	1,461.75	Bennett Bros., second payment, hardware (claim dated March 1, 1912)....	3,500.00
Henning & Burke, fourth payment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated March 5, 1912)	5,000.25	<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issued Jan. 1, 1910.</i>	
Ralston Iron Works, second payment, structural steel, Girls' High School (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	12,000.00	Dyer Bros., first payment, steel, academic building (claim dated March 5, 1912)	\$19,312.50
<i>Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, 1908.</i>		<i>Library Fund.</i>	
Wm. Bateman, final payment, interior finish (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912)	\$13,475.00	J. B. McIntyre Bindery Co., binding books (claim dated Feb. 20, 1912).....	\$594.32
Lennig, Rapple Eng. Co., final payment, heating and ventilating (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912).....	6,275.67	Emporium, library books (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	703.92
Rudgear-Merle Co., third payment, ornamental metal work (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912)	8,977.50	<i>General Fund.</i>	
Wittman-Lyman Co., fourth payment, plumbing (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	2,181.00	San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (claim dated March 1, 1912).....	\$1,181.00
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.</i>		The Rincon Publishing Company, printing Municipal Record (claim dated March 1, 1912).....	737.77
Coast Improvement Co., fourth payment, hauling and laying (sec. 43) cast-iron high pressure mains, etc. (claim dated March 5, 1912)	\$13,496.76	Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphalt for street repairs (claim dated Feb. 15, 1912)	1,937.83
Michael Murphy, fourth payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, etc., section "4" (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	8,119.56	Barber Asphalt Paving Co., street repair, California street, Sansome to Battery streets (claim dated Feb. 26, 1912).....	3,707.01
		Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., ninth payment, northerly section Mission viaduct (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	4,008.56
		Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., sureties on bond of Keystone Construction Co., ninth payment, southerly section Mission street viaduct (claim dated March 7, 1912)	2,140.64

Somers & Co., grain, Fire Dept. (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	1,503.98
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Fire Dept. (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	717.39
D. Demartini, hauling manure, Fire Dept. (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	570.00
M. Greenberg, hydrants and material, Fire Dept. (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	3,175.05
Thos. Morton & Son, coal, Fire Dept. (claim dated March 1, 1912)	1,447.50
City Street Improvement Co., repairs to streets, Twelfth avenue, between Kirkham and Lawton streets (claim dated Oct. 19, 1911)	970.50
Pacific Gas & Electric Company, gas and electricity, public streets and public buildings, month of February, 1912 (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	33,118.46
H. Lehrke Sons, grocers' sundries, Relief Home (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	2,630.54
Scarritt & Clark, copings, Dolores street, Twenty-first to Twenty-second (claim dated Jan. 23, 1912)	1,098.00
R. A. Crothers, advertising, Board of Supervisors (claim dated March 2, 1912)	526.62
G. H. Umben & Co., rent, Grant building (claim dated Feb. 15, 1912)	1,450.00

Providing \$55,000 for the Construction and Equipment of the Starr King School.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the sum of \$55,000 to be expended out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the construction and equipment of the Starr King School, situate at Twenty-fifth and Utah streets; to be expended as follows, to-wit:

For the construction, supervision and inspection, \$52,500. To be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

For equipment, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Education, \$2,500.

Providing \$55,000 for the Construction and Equipment of the Le Conte School.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the sum of \$55,000 to be expended out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the construction and equipment of the Le Conte School, situate at Norwich, Ala-

bama and Harrison streets; to be expended as follows, to-wit:

For the construction, supervision and inspection, \$52,500. To be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

For equipment, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Education, \$2,500.

Providing \$4500 for Plans and Specifications for Certain School Buildings.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the sum of \$4,500 to be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, in the preparation of plans and specifications for certain school buildings.

Said school buildings to be designated by the Building Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. —, Appropriating the following sums to be and they are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to-wit:

Board of Public Works.

Sewer Construction Account, Bond Issue, 1904.

For construction of sewer and appurtenances in Woolsey street, between Holyoke and Dartmouth streets \$8,000.00

For construction of sewer and appurtenances in Cabrillo street from Twelfth avenue to Thirteenth avenue, and in Thirteenth avenue from Cabrillo street to Geary street 20,000.00

For the purchase and inspection of cast-iron pipe to be laid in Commercial street for the purpose of disposing of flow from sewage pump on Commercial street east of Drumm street.... 3,500.00

For construction of sewers and appurtenances in Pierce street from Bay street to Lewis street.... 60,000.00

Sewer Construction Account, Bond Issue 1908.

For the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Golden Gate Park and Forty-eighth avenue from Lincoln way to Cabrillo street \$160,000.00

Fire Protection Account, Bond Issue, 1908.

For construction of high pressure mains, conduits, etc., in district bounded by Market street, Van Ness avenue, Duboce avenue and Pacific avenue, additional

appropriation	\$5,600.00
By Bureau of Engineering for preparation of plans and specifications for the telephone system, the Jones street reservoir and the hauling and laying of pipes, and for the inspection and construction of Ashbury Heights tank, Jones street tank, pumping station No. 2, the telephone system, hauling and laying pipe	15,000.00
For furnishing and delivering creosoted wood duct and cover plank for the telephone system of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for fire protection; additional appropriation...	4,500.00
Board of Education.	
For excavating and furnishing of loam for the Grattan School; out of School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.....	299.75

NEW BUSINESS.**Adopted.**

The following Resolution was adopted:

Board of Public Works to Transfer Certain Funds from Salary Account to Maintenance Account for the Purpose of Purchasing High Pressure Dressing Sterilizer and Operating Table for Emergency Hospital.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. 9346 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Health be and they are hereby authorized and directed to transfer from their Salary Account to their Maintenance Account for the purpose of supplying to the Central Emergency Hospital one high pressure dressing sterilizer and one operating table the sum of \$575.00.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed For Printing.

The following Resolution was passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$2200 to S. M. Bloomer for Certain Land at Alvarado Street and Hoffman Avenue, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty-two hundred (\$2200) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the item in the budget of 1911-12 "for construction and equipment of Fire De-

partment buildings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes," in payment to S. M. Bloomer as purchase price of lot of land situate at the intersection of the southerly line of Alvarado street with the westerly line of Hoffman avenue, of dimensions 30 feet 6 inches by 100 feet, being lot No. 159 of the Heyman Tract, required for Fire Department purposes.

The attention of the Auditor and Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Providing \$200, Litigation Expenses of City Attorney.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. 101 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the appropriation for litigation and expenses of the City Attorney for the fiscal year 1911-12, for the purpose of enabling the City Attorney to pay witness fees, stenographers' fees and costs and expenses generally in actions at law prosecuted or defended by the City and County of San Francisco or any of the officers or Commissions thereof and the Auditor is hereby authorized to pay said sum of two hundred (\$200) dollars to the City Attorney for these purposes upon his demand therefor.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was passed for printing:

Releasing \$1600 Placed in Escrow with Central Trust Company to Cover Deficits Arising in Operation of Plant of County Line Water Company.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That sixteen hundred dollars, constituting a portion of a fund deposited with the Central Trust Company of California in escrow, for the purpose of meeting any deficiency accruing in the operation of the Municipal Water System purchased from the County Line Water Company, be and the same is hereby released from escrow and the said Central Trust Company is hereby authorized to pay said sum to the County Line Water Company; that the balance remaining in the said deposit in escrow in the custody

of said Central Trust Company, amounting to three hundred and thirteen dollars and ninety-six cents (\$313.96), be paid by said Central Trust Company into the Treasury of the City and County to the credit of the water works fund; also that the Auditor be directed to transfer the sum of seven hundred and twenty-five (\$725.00) dollars from the appropriation for the payment of salaries in the Board of Public Works to the Water Works Fund.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Clerk to Advertise Sale of Geary Street Municipal Railway Bonds.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:

J. R. No. 102.

Resolved, That the Clerk is directed to advertise as required by the Charter that sealed proposals will be received by this Board on Monday, April 8th, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m. for the purchase of Geary Street Railway bonds of the City and County to the amount of \$400,000.00, comprising 20 bonds of each year's maturity from 1915 to 1934 inclusive.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Mayor Authorized to Sell Certain Old Junk Belonging to the Fire Department.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
J. R. No. 103.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be authorized and requested to sell at public auction in accordance with Charter provisions, a quantity of old junk comprising scrap iron, rubber tires, cotton hose, old barrels, rope, etc., the same being of no further use in the Fire Department.

(Communication from Fire Department, filed March 2, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

S. & H. Lachman Estate, southwest corner of Fremont and Market streets, capacity 1,500 gallons.

Charles J. Wernet, southwest corner of Vienna street and Persia avenue, capacity 500 gallons.

Garages.

Valencia Garage, northeast corner of Valencia and Seventeenth streets.

W. J. McGreevy, 1230 Valencia street.

Bert Saunders, Great Highway, 112 feet 6 inches south of Judah street.

John J. McElroy, south side of Natoma street 147 feet west of First street.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:
J. R. No. 104.

Resolved, That in the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission be and the same is hereby denied the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter mentioned location, to-wit:

J. Witt, 150 Valencia street, for forty additional horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was passed for printing:

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:
Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter described location, to-wit:

Anthony Piezza, 2907 23rd street, for one horse.

Repealing California Veterinary Hospital Permit.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Caglieri:

Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution No. 8038 (New Series), approved June 28, 1911, granting permission to the California Veterinary Hospital to maintain a veterinary hospital in premises No. 363 Fell street, is hereby repealed.

Privilege of the Floor.

Thos. E. Curran, attorney, representing the Central Mission and Hayes Valley Improvement Club and property owners, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, urging the adoption of the resolution

and declaring if the Board had the power to grant the permit it certainly has the co-relative power to revoke when the exercise of same becomes a nuisance and is a menace to public health or public peace. He also stated that the district was a residence district—a place of homes, flats and tenements, whereas, the California Veterinary Hospital had not yet established its business at said location.

William Kelly, attorney, representing the California Veterinary Hospital Company, also addressed the Board, and declared that all procedure was had in accordance with law in the matter of the granting of the permit and that no reason for revocation existed now that did not exist when the permit was granted in June of last year. He declared that there was only one property owner on one side of the street and three on the other who were opposed to the permit and that the business men in the district favored it. Further, he contended that the Board of Supervisors were without power to revoke the permit granted to the California Veterinary Hospital, inasmuch as it was not granted "revocable at the will" of the Board. He stated that his clients, upon the granting of the permit, had signed up for a five-year lease of the premises.

B. Lapachet, attorney, representing the California Veterinary Hospital, also addressed the Board in opposition to the resolution.

Recommended to the Health Committee.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Murphy, the above resolution was *recommended to the Health Committee.*

Recommended to the Police Committee.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Hocks and on motion of Supervisor Hayden *recommended to the Police Committee:*

Wild West Show Permit.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Miller Brothers and Arlington's "701" Ranch Real Wild West, is hereby granted permission to hold an exhibition at Twelfth and Market streets, April 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, 1912, upon payment of five dollars license fee for each day, and five dollars for each day that any side-show shall be exhibited.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Hocks and *adopted:*

Masquerade Ball Permit.

J. R. No. 105.

Resolved, That the White Rock Athletic Club is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at Garibaldi Hall, No. 441 Broadway,

March 16, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said ball are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following bill was *passed for printing:*

Concerning Dogs Running at Large.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

Bill No. 2042, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Concerning dogs running at large".

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher—1.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted:*

Mayor to Sell at Auction Shack Buildings Formerly Occupied by Spring Valley School.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 106.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and is authorized and requested to sell at public auction, in accordance with Charter provision, all those certain shack buildings located at south side of Broadway west of Larkin street, formerly occupied by the Spring Valley School on 50 Vara lot, distant 137 feet 6 inches west of Larkin street.

(Communication from Board of Education, filed March 1, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Offer of S. M. Bloomer to Sell for \$2200 Certain Land at Alvarado Street and Hoffman Avenue, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9347 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from S. M. Bloomer (communication from City Attorney, filed February 17, 1912) to convey to the City and County of San Francisco, certain land in the Heyman Tract, which land is required for fire house purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accord-

ance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of S. M. Bloomer to convey to the City and County of San Francisco, a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all incumbrances, for the sum of twenty-two hundred (\$2200) dollars, be and is hereby accepted the said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Alvarado street with the westerly line of Hoffman avenue; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Hoffman avenue 30 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle westerly 100 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 30 feet 6 inches to the said southerly line of Alvarado street; thence at a right angle easterly along said southerly line of Alvarado street 100 feet to the westerly line of Hoffman avenue and point of commencement.

Being Lot No. 159 of the Heyman Tract.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to the said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes up to and including the current fiscal year are paid, and the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the purpose of procuring the same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed for said land to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Amending the Building Law Relative to the Application for and Issuance of Permits and of Certificates of Occupancy.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Bill No. 2043, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Sections 6, 7 and 9 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), approved December 22, 1909, known as the 'Building Law', relating to the application for and issuance of permits and the certificate of occupancy".

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Clerk to Advertise for Bids for Official Advertising.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 107.

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to advertise that sealed proposals will be received by this Board on Monday, March 25, 1912, at 3 p. m., for doing the official advertising for the year commencing April, 1912, as required by the Charter.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Board of Public Works Authorized to Contract for Street Cars for Geary Street Municipal Street Railway.

On motion of Supervisor Vogel-sang:

Bill No. 2044, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

Authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the furnishing and delivery of street cars for the Geary Street Municipal Railway in accordance with plans and specifications therefor, prepared by said Board, and to expend for the same a sum not to exceed \$350,000 out of the Geary Street Railway Construction Account, Bond Issue of July 1, 1910, and permitting progressive payments to be made for said street cars, and repealing Ordinance No. 1660 (New Series), approved September 19, 1911.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Track Construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Also, Bill No. 2045, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into a contract for the track construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad, approving plans and specifications therefor, and to expend therefor the sum of seventy-three thousand (\$73,000) dollars in addition to the amount remaining unexpended of the appropriation made by Ordinance No. 1630 (New Series), and repealing conflicting ordinances."

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time, Blasting Permit, William Grant.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolved, That William Grant, President of the Homeland Company, be granted an extension of one hundred and eighty days time from and after March 13, 1912, on that certain permit to explode blasts on and at certain streets and adjoining lots in

"Sunnyside" in the City and County of San Francisco, which said permit was granted by Resolution No. 9030 (New Series), approved December 13, 1911, said blasting to be done for the sole purpose of grading the property.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9348 (New Series), declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Wayland street in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office March 2, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9349 (New Series), declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Forty-fourth avenue in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office March 2, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2046, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Tehama street between Fourth and Fifth streets."

Also Bill No. 2047, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the

Official Grades on Fulton street between a line parallel with and 146.25 feet easterly from the easterly line of Masonic avenue, and the westerly line of said Masonic avenue, between the southerly line of McAllister street produced, and the southerly line of Fulton street."

Also Bill No. 2048, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Twenty-fourth street, on Kansas street and on Rhode Island street."

Also Bill No. 2049, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Sunnyside avenue between Foerster and Genesee streets."

Also Bill No. 2050, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Myrtle street between Polk and Larkin streets."

Also Bill No. 2051, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Dolores street between the northerly line of Army street and Twenty-seventh street, and on Army street at the crossing of Dolores street."

Also Bill No. 2052, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Congress street."

Also Bill No. 2053, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Sixteenth avenue, crossing of Cabrillo street; on Sixteenth avenue crossing of Fulton street; on Sixteenth avenue between Cabrillo and Fulton streets."

Also Bill No. 2054, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Upper Terrace."

Establishing Grades, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2055, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Establishing grades at certain points on Judson avenue, on Marston avenue and on Edna street."

Also, Bill No. 2056, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Establishing grades at certain points on Rotteck street between Bosworth and Springdale streets."

Fixing Width of Sidewalks, eHenry and Castro Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2057, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Amending Ordinance No. 1061," entitled, "Regulating the width of sidewalks," approved December 18, 1903, by amending Section 446 thereof, and fixing the width of sidewalks on Henry street at Castro street.

Ordering Sewer Work, Woolsey Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2058, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Woolsey street, between Holyoke and Dartmouth streets, approving and adopting plans and specifications and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost of eight thousand (\$8000.00) dollars, out of the proceeds of sale of Sewer Bonds, issue of 1904, for doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made cations for said work." in the matter set forth in the speci-

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2059, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to wit:

That an 18-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Fourteenth avenue, between Geary and Anza streets; that redwood curbs and a broken rock pavement be constructed on the northerly one-half of Fulton street, from the easterly line of Forty-fourth avenue to the westerly line of Forty-fifth avenue; that granite curbs and an asphalt pavement be constructed in Twenty-fifth avenue, between Clement and California streets; that granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and an asphalt pavement, brick cesspools and ironstone pipe culverts be constructed in the crossing of Greenwich and Divisadero streets".

Ordering Sewer Work, Golden Gate Park and Lincoln Way.

Also, Bill No. 2060, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Golden Gate Park and Forty-eighth avenue from Lincoln Way to Cabrillo street; approving and adopting plans and specifications and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost of one hundred and sixty thousand (\$160,000) dollars, out of the proceeds of sale of Sewer Bonds, issue of 1908, for doing said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work".

Action Deferred.

The following bill was presented by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on his motion *laid over one week*:

Traffic Ordinance.

Bill No. 1984, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating moving travel and traffic upon the streets and other public places of the

City and County of San Francisco and providing a punishment for any violation thereof, and repealing orders, Numbers 70 and 175 (Second Series), and Ordinance Numbers 65, 256, 723, 803, 807, 808, 809, 814, 825, 851, 887, 888, 893, 899, 902, 1088, 1132, 1359, 1367, 1369, 1379, 1380, 1517, and Ordinances Numbers 339, 575, 649 and 1610."

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Ordering Sewer Work, Pierce Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2061, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Pierce street, from Bay street to Lewis street, approving and adopting plans and specifications, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost of sixty thousand (\$60,000) dollars, out of the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, for doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Ordering Sewer Work, Cabrillo Street.

Bill No. 2062, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Cabrillo street from Twelfth to Thirteenth avenues, and in Thirteenth avenue from Cabrillo to Geary streets, approving and adopting plans and specifications and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost of twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars, out of the proceeds of sale of Sewer Bonds, issue of 1904, for doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work".

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Mission Promotion Association Granted Permission to Celebrate the Completion of Work on the Mission Viaduct.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 108.

Resolved, That the request of the Mission Promotion Association for authorization to conduct appropriate exercises to celebrate the completion of the Mission Viaduct when work shall have been completed on this structure be granted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Relative to the Enforcement of the White Slave Traffic Act.

Also, J. R. No. 109.

Resolved, That the following resolution proposed by the Civic Department of the California Club, be adopted as per their request, to wit:

"Whereas, The enforcement of the 'White Slave Traffic Act', approved June 25, 1910, can be made more effective if ampler funds are provided; and

"Whereas, The purpose of that Act should not be thwarted for lack of means; be is therefore

"Resolved, That the Senators and Representatives of the State of California be and they are hereby earnestly requested to secure the specific appropriation of such sum as will insure the suppression of the traffic in women and girls prohibited by that Act, to be expended by the Attorney-General under the direction of the President".

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Departments Having Charge of Public Improvements Urged to aHtsen Work on Plans and Specifications in Order to Afford Employment to Unemployed.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works, City Engineer, City Architect, Board of Education and all other departments having in charge the preparation of the plans and specifications for the construction of the Geary Street Railroad and the School Buildings to be erected from the funds of the 1908 Bond Issue, be urged to hasten the completion of said plans to the end that actual work may be commenced immediately and thus furnish employment to a large number of our unemployed mechanics and laborers.

Amendment.

Supervisor Giannini moved to amend by inserting after the words "Geary Street Railroad" the words "Incinerators, Mission Viaduct."

Amendment *carried*.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution amended as follows was *adopted*

J. R. No. 110.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works, City Engineer, City Architect, Board of Education, and all other departments having in charge the preparation of the plans and specifications for the construction of the

Geary Street Railroad, Incinerators, Mission Viaduct and the School Buildings to be erected from the funds of the 1908 Bond Issue, be urged to hasten the completion of said plans to the end that actual work may be commenced immediately and thus furnish employment to a large number of our unemployed mechanics and laborers.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Action Deferred.

The following matters laid over from last meeting were taken up and on the request of his Honor the Mayor again *laid over one week*:

Leave of Absence, Employees of Bureau of Weights and Measures.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That this Board recommend to his Honor the Mayor that all employees of the Bureau of Weights and Measures be given a leave of absence, without pay, pending the appeal to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court declaring the creation of said Bureau to have been invalid; that such leave of absence be without prejudice to said employees to re-enter the service should such decision of the Superior Court be reversed.

Repealing Ordinance Creating Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures."

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MOTIONS AND BILLS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relative to Death of Judge Robert Ferral.

Supervisor Hayden announced the death of former judge, Hon. Robert Ferral, and suggested that a committee of three be appointed to draft suitable resolutions of condolence, and moved that when the Board adjourns that it do so in respect to his memory.

Supervisor Giannini moved to amend that Supervisor Murdock be made a committee of one to prepare suitable resolutions.

Amendment *carried*.

United Railroads to Increase Its Street Car Equipment by the Addition of 100 Cars.

Supervisor Koshland introduced the following resolution, which was *referred to the Public Utilities Committee*.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Whereas, it is evident that the street car service upon certain lines in San Francisco does not provide satisfactory facilities for the taking care of passengers in a decent and expeditious manner, inasmuch as the people are too often required to wait an undue length of time, and

Whereas, the number of cars now in use is inadequate and causes the crowding of passengers in a manner which cannot be tolerated, be it therefore,

Resolved, That the United Railroads be directed to immediately add and put into operation at least one hundred cars to their present equipment, the same to be used in the transportation of passengers on Fillmore and Sixteenth streets, Hayes street, Haight street, Mission street, and such other streets as conditions make advisable.

Amending Building Law Relative to Awnings, Shades and Balconies.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor McLeran and ordered *referred to the Building Committee*:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 227 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), known as the 'Building Law,'

in the matter of awnings, shades and balconies on buildings."

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Leave of Absence, President Board of Police Commissioners.

J. R. No. 111.

Whereas, His Honor the Mayor recommended in open Board a sixty days' leave of absence from April 2, 1912, be granted Jesse B. Cook, president of the Board of Police Commissioners to leave the State of California, therefore be it,

Resolved, That the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor be approved and such permission is hereby granted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 5:50 o'clock p. m. adjourned in respect to the memory of former judge Hon. Robert Ferral.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors March 18, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors, of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, MARCH 18, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, March 18, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, Nolan, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of March 11, 1912, was read and approved.

HEARING OF PROTEST AGAINST CLOSING NORTHERLY PORTION OF TURK STREET, BETWEEN MASONIC AND PARKER AVENUES.

The hearing of the protest of the West End Betterment Club in the matter of the closing of the northerly portion of Turk street, between Masonic and Parker avenues laid over from a previous meeting was proceeded with.

Withdrawal of Protest.

Supervisor George E. Gallagher stated that the protest heretofore filed by the West End Betterment Club had been withdrawn and he thereupon presented the following resolution:

Closing and Abandoning a Portion of Turk Street, Between Masonic Avenue and Parker Avenue.

Resolution No. — (New Series). closing and abandoning a portion of Turk street, between Masonic avenue and Parker avenue.

Whereas, this Board has by Resolution No. 8966 (New Series), declared its intention of closing and abandoning that portion of Turk street in the City and County of San Francisco, hereinafter more particularly described, which said resolution specified the exterior boundaries of the district of lands to be affected or benefited by said work or improvement and to be as-

sessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof; and

Whereas, notice of said resolution of said proposed closing and abandonment of said portion of Turk street was duly given by the Board of Public Works of this City and County by posting and publication in the manner and for the time specified in Section 3 of Chapter 3 of Article 6 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California; and

Whereas, certain protests against the closing of said portion of said street were filed in the office of the clerk on the 6th day of November, 1911, and the 11th day of December, 1911, respectively, and the protestants herein having been duly heard on Monday afternoon, March 11, 1912, pursuant to the provisions of Resolution No. 9112 (New Series), fixing the time for such hearing, and after continuances thereafter duly taken from said day and

Whereas, this Board after having heard said protestants and after having duly considered their several grounds of protest, do hereby overrule the objections of said protestants; and,

Whereas, the proposed work is for the closing up of a portion of said Turk street, and it appears to this Board that no assessment is necessary therefor; and

Whereas, it is the opinion of this Board that public interest and convenience require the closing and abandonment of that portion of Turk street between Masonic avenue and Parker avenue hereinafter described; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the closing and abandonment of that portion of Turk street between the points indicated hereinafter described, be and the same is hereby ordered, and said portion of Turk street between Masonic avenue and Parker avenue in the City and County of San Francisco and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point formed by the intersection of the present northerly line of Turk street with the westerly line of Masonic avenue; running thence westerly along said present northerly line of Turk street to the easterly line of Parker avenue; thence

at a right angle southerly thirty-one (31) feet and three (3) inches to a point in the present roadbed of Turk street sixty-eight (68) feet and nine (9) inches northerly from the southerly line of Turk street; thence at a right angle easterly to the westerly line of Masonic avenue; thence at a right angle northerly thirty-one (31) feet and three (3) inches to the present northerly line of Turk street and point of commencement, be and the same is hereby closed and abandoned as a public street.

Privilege of the Floor.

Casper Zweirlein was granted the privilege of the floor and stated that he was opposed to the closing of the northerly portion of Turk street for the reason that by doing so the city was giving away to the Archbishop land amounting to approximately three and one-half fifty vara blocks, worth between \$5500 and \$6500, and he believed the city should receive in return an equivalent amount of land for park or school purposes. He stated, moreover, that the block of Turk street between Parker avenue and First avenue was 100 feet wide and had been improved by property owners and he did not see why the Archbishop should not improve street of same width in front of his property.

Action Deferred.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Murdock, the above matter was laid over one week.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—By Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Exposition Committee—Wm. H. McCarthy, Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Gianinni, Chairman.

Public Lighting and Rates Committee—Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

Report of Public Utilities Committee.

The following report was presented and read by the clerk:

March 18, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: Your Public Utilities Committee held its regular meeting on March 13, 1912.

Present: Chairman Vogelsang, Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Murphy. Absent: Supervisor Mauzy.

The resolution, introduced on March 11th, directing the United Railroads to put into operation one hundred additional cars, was considered, and in order to get full information on the subject, the clerk was directed to prepare a resolution asking all street railway companies operating in San Francisco to file schedules of service, with number of cars, headway, etc.

The clerk was also directed to prepare a resolution requesting Bion J. Arnold to investigate all street railroad schedules, service and related problems and report at the earliest possible time what action should be taken to improve passenger transportation in San Francisco.

The resolution appropriating approximately \$5,000.00 in payment to Bion J. Arnold and staff for services heretofore rendered was recommended.

A special meeting of your committee was held on March 18th, all members being present, at which it was determined to request, by proper resolution, the opinion of the City and County Attorney as to the legal status and rights of the City in the matter of the sale of the properties of the Home Telephone Company to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company. Said resolution is submitted herewith. Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSONG.

PAUL BANCROFT,

BYRON MAUZY,

GEO. E. GALLAGHER,

D. C. MURPHY.

Public Utilities Committee.

City Attorney to Advise as to Steps to be Taken in Protecting Rights of City in Matter of Transfer of Plant of Home Telephone Company to Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Vogelsang and adopted by the following vote:

J. R. No. 114.

Whereas, in and by Ordinance No. 75 (New Series), the Home Telephone Company was granted a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a telephone system in the City and County of San Francisco, and by virtue of said grant has installed and has been main-

taining and operating such system up to and until March 16, 1912; and

Whereas, on said last named date said Home Telephone Company conveyed all of its properties so used in the operation and maintenance of said telephone system to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company by mesne conveyance through the Long Distance Home Telephone Company; and

Whereas, said Home Telephone Company has filed with the Supervisors, pursuant to a condition in said franchise requiring it so to do, a bond in the penal sum of \$250,000, running to the City and County of San Francisco, to secure the due performance of each and every term and condition of its said franchise; and

Whereas, one of the terms and conditions of said franchise (condition "fifth") is that the grantee thereof shall not, without the consent of the Supervisors, evidenced by ordinance, transfer its property to any person or company at the time of said grant engaged in the telephone business in the City and County; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, The City Attorney be, and he is hereby directed to advise this Board:

1. Whether the transfer hereinbefore set forth is in contravention of or a substantial violation of said condition fifth of said franchise;

2. Whether a recovery may be had by the City and County on said bond of said Home Telephone Company hereinbefore referred to;

3. Whether or not said transfer is against public policy, and may or may not be set aside and annulled by quo warranto or other proper proceedings.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Report of the Lands and Tunnels Committee.

The following report was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, Cal. March 18, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: Your Committee on Lands and Tunnels, to which various matters were referred, begs leave respectfully to report thereon as follows, to-wit:

The matter of the proposed tunnel under and through Fillmore street, connecting the Harbor View district with the Western Addition, was discussed at length with the proponents of the project.

The communication from the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company, setting

forth that the conditions of its leases for properties required for Exposition purposes in the Harbor View district contained clauses wherein the said company will be liable for the cost or assessment of such lands for the construction of the proposed tunnel, and requesting that it be relieved from the obligations, as its moneys are to be pledged for Exposition purposes.

Acting upon suggestions that the Fillmore Street Improvement Association and other interested citizens endeavor to have the respective lessors release the Exposition Company from the burden of assessment, when it will be shown them that the improvement is of a permanent value to the property and only a temporary benefit to the Exposition Company, the matter was laid over for three weeks' time to await further report.

Your committee would respectfully state that the Twin Peaks Tunnel Association, through its attorney, Mr. T. J. Savage, filed a map of the assessment district to be affected by the proposed construction of a tunnel through and under the Twin Peaks, and also a tentative plan of route and character of construction of said tunnel, and urged its recommendation.

Your committee, after careful consideration, presents two separate resolutions of intention, to-wit:

That the public interest and convenience require the construction for public uses of the tunnel, and describing its general route; and

Declaring the intention of the Board of Supervisors to order the acquisition of easement of right of way for the construction of a tunnel under the lands therein specifically described.

These proceedings being a tentative action for the commencement of this project, to-wit: the construction of a tunnel under and through the Twin Peaks.

Your committee respectfully recommends the passage of said resolutions by your honorable Board. Respectfully submitted,

BYRON MAUZY,
PAUL BANCROFT,
ANDREW J. GALLAGHER.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the following resolutions were introduced by Supervisor Mauzy under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Intention to Construct Twin Peaks Tunnel.

Resolution No. 9350 (New Series):
Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco deems that the public interest and convenience requires the construction for public uses of the tun-

nel within this City and County herein-after described.

That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to order the construction of a tunnel under the elevation known as the Twin Peaks Ridge, in the City and County of San Francisco, in the place and in the manner hereinafter specified, and that the following is a general description of the construction contemplated, to-wit:

The northeasterly portal of said tunnel shall be in McCoppin street to the east of and adjacent to or near the easterly line of Valencia street, at such grade as to give convenient and necessary head room so that said tunnel may pass beneath and under the surface of Valencia street. Access to said portal shall be obtained by means of an approach consisting of an open cut in said McCoppin street between Otis and Valencia streets, providing a grade from the street level at the easterly end of said cut to the tunnel level at said portal.

The southwesterly portal of said tunnel shall be located at a point in the San Miguel Rancho, in said City and County, described as follows:

On a strip of land one hundred and twenty (120) feet wide and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point which is distant south 47 deg. 47 min. west 11,535.17 feet from the intersection of the westerly line of Castro street with the northwesterly line of Market street if produced in a southwesterly direction; thence, south 47 deg. 40 min. west two hundred (200) feet; thence at a right angle south 42 deg. 20 min. east one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence at a right angle north 47 deg. 40 min. east two hundred (200) feet; thence at a right angle north 42 deg. 20 min. west one hundred and twenty (120) feet to the point of beginning.

Access to said portal shall be obtained by means of an approach consisting of an open cut so constructed as to continue the grade of said tunnel to the surface of the ground.

The route of said tunnel shall be from said northeasterly portal westerly under McCoppin street to its intersection with Market street, and thence southwesterly along and under Market street to the southwesterly terminus of said street and thence in a southwesterly direction under lands in which and where the City and County may then have an easement or right of way therefor to the southwesterly portal thereof as hereinbefore described; in such manner as to connect the said two termini of said proposed construction, by proper gradients between said two terminal points.

Other entrances to said tunnel shall be provided as follows:

A surface connection or entrance for traffic in Market street between Castro and Noe streets obtained by means of an entrance located at such point therein as to afford sufficient head room, to connect with the main tunnel by means of a short lateral tunnel with appropriate grades. Access to said entrance last aforesaid to be obtained by means of an approach consisting of an open cut in said Market street between Castro and Noe streets, providing a grade from the street level at the easterly end of said cut to the level of the floor of said tunnel last aforesaid.

Also other entrances leading into said main tunnel from the surface of the ground, for pedestrians, and leading into said tunnel by means of stairways, grade slopes or otherwise, at points where said tunnel will run under Church street, Noe street and Diamond street, respectively, or other convenient and necessary points.

Generally the main bore of said tunnel shall be constructed to be approximately twenty-four feet wide in the clear, and to be properly bored, lined with concrete where necessary, said concrete to be re-enforced where necessary, with convenient and suitable excavations for, and construction of stations at said tunnel entrances above mentioned, properly lined and faced, with suitable and convenient platforms, passage-ways and conveniences; the said approaches in public streets to be properly bulkheaded, with balustrades or railings, and portals properly constructed; said tunnel to be furnished with proper shafts for ventilation at proper points and to be provided with all appurtenances necessary to make said tunnel fit and convenient for public use.

The points to be connected thereby are as hereinbefore specified and the districts to be connected by said construction are the two districts hereinbefore described.

The following is a specification of the exterior boundaries of the two districts of lands to be benefited by such construction and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof.

Northeasterly District.

All that certain land situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows:

Commencing at the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Nineteenth street with the easterly line of Douglass street, and running thence northerly along said easterly line of Douglass street to the souther-

ly line of Seventeenth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Seventeenth street to the easterly line of Castro street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Castro street to the southerly line of Fifteenth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fifteenth street to the easterly line of Noe street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Noe street to the southerly line of Duboce avenue; thence easterly along said southerly line of Duboce avenue to the westerly line of Sanchez street; thence northerly to the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Duboce avenue with the easterly line of Steiner street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Steiner street to the northerly line of Haight street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Haight street to the westerly line of Gough street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Gough street to the northerly line of Page street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Page street to the westerly line of Franklin street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Franklin street to the northerly line of Oak street; thence easterly along the said northerly line of Oak street to the westerly line of Van Ness avenue; thence easterly to the point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Van Ness avenue with the northwesterly line of Market street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Van Ness avenue to the southerly line of Post street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Post street to the westerly line of Powell street; thence southerly along said westerly line of Powell street and said westerly line extended southerly, to the northwesterly line of Market street; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line of Market street to a point where said northwesterly line of Market street is intersected by the southwesterly line of Fifth street if projected northwesterly; thence southeasterly along said last named line and along the southwesterly line of Fifth street to the northwesterly line of Folsom street; thence southwesterly and southerly along the northwesterly and westerly line of Folsom street (following the curve thereof) to the point formed by the intersection of said westerly line of Folsom street with the northerly line of Seventeenth street; thence westerly along the said northerly line of Seventeenth street to the westerly line of Guerrero street; thence southerly along said westerly line of Guerrero street to the northerly line of Nineteenth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Nineteenth

street to the easterly line of Douglass street and the point of commencement.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

Southwesterly District.

All that certain land situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the City and County of San Francisco and the County of San Mateo at the point of intersection of said boundary line with the shore line of the Pacific Ocean; thence easterly and along said boundary line 9,200 feet, more or less, to the point of intersection of said boundary line with the easterly boundary line of the lands of the Spring Valley Water Company; thence northerly along the easterly boundary of the lands of the Spring Valley Water Company 2,500 feet, more or less, to the point of intersection of the northerly line of Randolph street if produced in a westerly direction with said easterly boundary line; thence easterly along the northerly line of Randolph street to the westerly line of Arch street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Arch street to the northerly line of Sargent street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Sargent street to the westerly line of Victoria street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Victoria street to the northerly line of Shields street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Shields street to the westerly line of Orizaba avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Orizaba avenue to the northerly line of Grafton avenue; thence easterly along the northerly line of Grafton avenue to the westerly line of Harold avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Harold avenue to the point of intersection of said westerly line of Harold avenue if produced in a northerly direction with the northerly line of Ocean avenue; thence southeasterly along said northerly line of Ocean avenue to the westerly boundary line of Balboa Park; thence northerly along the westerly line of Balboa Park and Phelan avenue to the southerly line of Flood avenue; thence westerly along the southerly line of Flood avenue S. 89 deg. 20 min. W. 252.15 feet to a corner of the San Miguel Rancho; thence northerly along the easterly boundary line of the San Miguel Rancho N. 0 deg. 21 min. 30 sec. W. 6,729.73 feet; thence S. 89 deg. 38 min. 30 sec. W. 332.16 feet to the easterly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract, formerly the

Almshouse Tract; thence along the boundary of said tract the following courses and distances: S. 0 deg. 24 min. 30 sec. E. 579.50 feet; S 89 deg. 31 min. W. 1,181.63 feet; N. 35 deg. 27 min. 30 sec. W. 277.93 feet; N. 17 deg. 24 min. W. 147.84 feet; N. 38 deg. 15 min. E. 192.72 feet; N. 39 deg. 34 min. W. 578.56 feet; S. 89 deg. 11 min. W. 1,573.22 feet to the intersection of said boundary line with the westerly line of San Miguel Rancho, said point of intersection being the most westerly corner of aforesaid Relief Home Tract; thence southwesterly along the westerly line of the San Miguel Rancho to the point of intersection of said westerly line of the San Miguel Rancho with the southerly line of Rivera street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Rivera street to the westerly line of Sixteenth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Sixteenth avenue to the southerly line of Ortega street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Ortega street to the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and the westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco; thence southerly along the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and the westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco 7,900 feet, more or less, to the northerly line of the United States Military Reservation; thence easterly N. 86 deg. 48 min. E. 1,317.15 feet along the northerly boundary thereof; thence southerly S. 3 deg. 12 min. E. 420 feet, and S. 4 deg. 48½ min. W. 1,033.8 feet along the easterly boundary thereof; thence westerly N. 89 deg. 51 min. W. 1,200 feet along the southerly boundary thereof to the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and the westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco; thence southerly along the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco 7,100 feet, more or less, to the boundary line between the City and County of San Francisco and the County of San Mateo and the point of beginning.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

Reference is hereby made to the provisions of Section 4 of Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series) of the City and County of San Francisco, entitled:

"Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series). Providing for the method by and under which tunnels and appurtenances thereto may be constructed within the City and County of San Francisco and for the assessments of the costs and damages thereof upon private

property benefited thereby." Approved September 6, 1911, as amended by Ordinance No. 1721 (New Series), of the City and County of San Francisco, approved November 6, 1911, which said section as amended reads as follows:

Section 4. Upon the completion of the posting of the notices provided for in Section 3, the Board of Public Works shall cause a notice to be published for five days in the official newspaper reciting the fact of such posting. Any owner of property or persons interested therein, claiming that such property would sustain damages if the proposed tunnel construction be completed, may file with the Board of Public Works, within thirty days after the expiration of the time of publication of the said notice in this section provided for, a petition showing the fact of such ownership, or interest therein, a description of the property which it is claimed would be damaged, its market value and the estimated amount of damages which the property would sustain by the proposed tunnel construction if completed. Such petition shall be verified by the oath of the petitioner or his agent.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George F. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings.

Intention to Acquire Land for Purpose of Twin Peaks Tunnel.

Also, Resolution No. 9351 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to order the acquisition of an easement or right of way for the construction of a tunnel or tunnels under the lands hereinafter described.

The lands deemed necessary and convenient to be taken therefor and for said purpose are described as follows:

Being an easement or right or way for a subterranean or subsurface tunnel or tunnels under, beneath and through that certain real property situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows, to wit:

A strip of land one hundred and twenty (120) feet wide and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of Castro street with the northwesterly line of Market street if produced in a southwesterly direction, the course of said northwesterly line of Market street being south 45 deg. 08 min. 09 sec.

west; thence deflecting 2 deg. 31 min. 51 sec. to the right from said northerly line of Market street, south 47 deg. 40 min west 11,555.17 feet; thence at a right angle south 42 deg. 20 min. east one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence at a right angle north 47 deg. 40 min. east 11,461.44 feet to the westerly line of Castro street; thence along said westerly line of Castro street north 4 deg. 20 min. 21 sec. west 152.27 feet to the point of beginning.

Saving, excepting and excluding therefrom all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

And that it is the intention of said Board of Supervisors to order the acquisition of the lands hereinafter described in fee simple, for the construction of said tunnel or tunnels, and for the construction of a portal or portals and an entrance or entrances thereto.

The lands deemed necessary and convenient to be taken therefor and for said purpose are described as follows:

All that real property situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows:

A strip of land one hundred and twenty (120) feet wide and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point which is distant south 47 deg. 40 min. west 11,555.17 feet from the intersection of the westerly line of Castro street with the northwesterly line of Market street if produced in a southwesterly direction; thence south 47 deg. 40 min. west two hundred (200) feet; thence at a right angle south 42 deg. 20 min. east one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence at a right angle north 47 deg. 40 min. east two hundred (200) feet; thence at a right angle north 42 deg. 20 min. west one hundred and twenty (120) feet to the point of beginning.

The following is a description and specification of the exterior boundaries of the two districts of lands to be affected or benefited by said acquisition and to be assessed to pay damages, costs and expenses thereof.

Northeasterly District.

All that certain land situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows:

Commencing at the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Nineteenth street with the easterly line of Douglass street and running thence northerly along said easterly line of Douglass street to the southerly line of Seventeenth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of

Seventeenth street to the easterly line of Castro street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Castro street to the southerly line of Fifteenth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fifteenth street to the easterly line of Noe street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Noe street to the southerly line of Duboce avenue; thence easterly along said southerly line of Duboce avenue to the westerly line of Sanchez street; thence northerly to the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Duboce avenue with the easterly line of Steiner street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Steiner street to the northerly line of Haight street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Haight street to the westerly line of Gough street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Gough street to the northerly line of Page street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Page street to the westerly line of Franklin street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Franklin street to the northerly line of Oak street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Oak street to the westerly line of Van Ness avenue; thence easterly to the point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Van Ness avenue with the northwesterly line of Market street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Van Ness avenue to the southerly line of Post street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Post street to the westerly line of Powell street; thence southerly along said westerly line of Powell street and said westerly line extended southerly to the northwesterly line of Market street; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line of Market street to a point where said northwesterly line of Market street is intersected by the southwesterly line of Fifth street if projected northwesterly; thence southeasterly along said last named line and along the southwesterly line of Fifth street to the northwesterly line of Folsom street; thence southwesterly and southerly along the northwesterly and westerly line of Folsom street (following the curve thereof) to the point formed by the intersection of said westerly line of Folsom street with the northerly line of Seventeenth street; thence westerly along the said northerly line of Seventeenth street to the westerly line of Guerrero street; thence southerly along said westerly line of Guerrero street to the northerly line of Nineteenth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Nineteenth street to the easterly line of Douglass street and the point of commencement.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

Southwesterly District.

All that land situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the City and County of San Francisco and the County of San Mateo at the point of intersection of said boundary line with the shore line of the Pacific Ocean, thence easterly and along said boundary line 9200 feet, more or less, to the point of intersection of said boundary line with the easterly boundary line of the lands of the Spring Valley Water Company; thence northerly along the easterly boundary of the lands of the Spring Valley Water Company 2500 feet, more or less, to the point of intersection of the northerly line of Randolph street if produced in a westerly direction with said easterly boundary line; thence easterly along the northerly line of Randolph street to the westerly line of Arch street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Arch street to the northerly line of Sargent street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Sargent street to the westerly line of Victoria street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Victoria street to the northerly line of Shields street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Shields street to the westerly line of Orizaba avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Orizaba avenue to the northerly line of Grafton avenue; thence easterly along the northerly line of Grafton avenue to the westerly line of Harold avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Harold avenue to the point of intersection of said westerly line of Harold avenue if produced in a northerly direction with the northerly line of Ocean avenue; thence southeasterly along said northerly line of Ocean avenue to the westerly boundary line of Balboa Park; thence northerly along the westerly line of Balboa Park and Phelan avenue to the southerly line of Flood avenue; thence westerly along the southerly line of Flood avenue south 89 deg. 20 min. west 252.15 feet to a corner of the San Miguel Rancho; thence northerly along the easterly boundary line of the San Miguel Rancho north 0 deg. 21 min. 30 sec. west 6729.73 feet; thence south 89 deg. 38 min. 30 sec. west 332.16 feet to the easterly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract, formerly the Almshouse Tract; thence along the boundary of said tract the following courses and distances: south

0 deg. 24 min. 30 sec. east 579.50 feet, south 89 deg. 31 min. west 1181.63 feet, north 35 deg. 27 min. 30 sec. west 277.93 feet, north 17 deg. 24 min. west 147.84 feet, north 38 deg. 15 min. east 192.72 feet, north 39 deg. 34 min. west 578.56 feet, south 89 deg. 11 min. west 1573.22 feet to the intersection of said boundary line with the westerly line of the San Miguel Rancho, said point of intersection being at the most westerly corner of aforesaid Relief Home Tract; thence southwesterly along the westerly line of the San Miguel Rancho to the point of intersection of said westerly line of the San Miguel Rancho with the southerly line of Rivera street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Rivera street to the westerly line of Sixth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Sixteenth avenue to the southerly line of Ortega street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Ortega street to the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and the westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco; thence southerly along the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco 7900 feet, more or less, to the northerly line of the United States Military Reservation; thence easterly N. 86 deg. 48 min. E. 1317.15 feet along the northerly boundary thereof; thence southerly S. 3 deg. 12 min. E. 420 feet, and S. 4 deg. 48 1-2 min. W. 1033.8 feet along the easterly boundary thereof; thence westerly N. 89 deg. 51 min. W. 1200 feet along the southerly boundary thereof to the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and the westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco; thence southerly along the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco 7100 feet, more or less, to the boundary line between the City and County of San Francisco and the County of San Mateo and the point of beginning.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

Any person interested objecting to said acquisition or to the extent of the districts of lands to be affected or benefited thereby, and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof or to the extent of either of said districts may make written objections to the same to the Board of Supervisors within ten days after the expiration of the time of the publication of the notice published by the Board of Public Works, as provided in Chapter III of Article VI of the Charter of said City and County.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-

Ileri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Koshland and adopted:

Departments Notified as to Manner of Repairing Typewriter Machines, Etc.

J. R. No. 115.

Resolved, That the heads of all City departments, boards, offices and commissioners, are hereby informed that all necessary repairs on typewriters, book typewriters, adding machines and numbering machines will be made by requisition to the Committee on Supplies; that said committee will transfer to or exchange between departments, any of said machines as public necessity may require.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George F. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Storage of City Automobiles.

Also, J. R. No. 116.

Resolved, That the departments that have custody of the following City automobiles be and are hereby directed to store same in the City Hall Garage, Stevenson street, to wit:

Peerless car, Board of Supervisors.
Peerless car, Department of Public Works.

Runabout car, Department of Electricity.

Pope-Hartford car, Board of Education.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George F. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Relating to Maintenance of Horseshoeing Shop on Steuart Street.

Supervisor Giannini called attention to the fact that notwithstanding the resolution adopted by the Supervisors a horseshoeing shop is still being maintained in Steuart street, and requested to know who was responsible.

Michael Casey, President of the Board of Public Works, being sent for by his Honor the Mayor, in regard to above matter, stated that the parties maintaining the horseshoeing shop on Steuart street had been notified to vacate said premises, and had

been given the customary thirty days' time to do so. He stated that the reason he had not been removed before this was because when an attempt was made to remove the shop the persons conducting same were always able to bring enough influence to bear to prevent any action.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS, 3 P. M.

The following matter, laid over from last meeting and made a Special Order of Business for 3 p. m. this day, was taken up and on motion made a Special Order of Business for 3 p. m. Monday, April 8, 1912:

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans and Surveys and Outline Assessment District for the Construction of the Fillmore Street Tunnel.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is requested, through the City Engineer to furnish as expeditiously as possible the necessary preliminary plans and surveys for establishing an assessment district in connection with the construction of a tunnel through and under Fillmore street from the north line of Sutter street to the south line of Filbert street.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9352 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1904.

J. F. O'Brien Co., first payment, Brannan and Beale street sewers (claim dated March 5, 1912)..... \$528.94

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Spring Valley Water Co., for changing the position of its mains in the crossing at Nineteenth and Harrison streets, to avoid interference with the bond issue sewer (claim dated Feb. 28, 1912)..... \$2,992.54

John Daniel, seventh payment, section "G", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 5, 1912).... 8,233.75

Federal Construction Co., assignee of Metropolis Construction Co., final payment, section "F", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 1, 1912).... 24,160.05

F. Rolandi, fourth payment, section "E", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 6, 1912).....	3,660.66	iron high pressure mains, etc. (claim dated March 5, 1912)	\$13,496.76
F. Rolandi, sixth payment, section "D-3", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 6, 1912).....	10,560.19	Michael Murphy, fourth payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, etc., section 4 (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	8,119.56
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., sixth payment, section "D-2", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	13,417.88	Dyer Brothers, final payment, structural steel, pumping station No. 1 (claim dated Feb. 28, 1912)	1,013.28
Contra Costa Construction Co., sixth payment, section "D-1", North Point main sewer (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	8,829.06	Robt. Dalziel Jr., final payment, plumbing, pumping station No. 1 (claim dated March 6, 1912).....	1,197.00
Coast Improvement Co., fourth payment, Ingleside outlet sewer "B" (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	1,026.00	Fredk. C. Roberts & Co., first payment, Ashbury Heights reservoir (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	6,252.00
Westdahl-Hennessey Co., assignee of John W. Flynn, third payment, Beale street sewer from Folsom to Bryant streets (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	1,547.24	<i>San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund 1908.</i>	
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.</i>		McSheehy Bros., fifth payment, interior finish (claim dated Feb. 24, 1912)	\$3,195.00
O. C. Holt, seventh payment, general construction, John Swett School (claim dated March 4, 1912).....	\$6,990.00	Smith & Johnson, fifth payment, plastering (claim dated March 1, 1912)....	6,999.00
Robt. Trost, sixth payment, general construction, Lincoln School (claim dated Feb. 5, 1912).....	1,461.75	Bennett Bros., second payment, hardware (claim dated March 1, 1912)....	3,500.00
Henning & Burke, fourth payment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated March 5, 1912)	5,000.25	<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue Jan. 1, 1910.</i>	
Ralston Iron Works, second payment, structural steel, Girls' High School (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	12,000.00	Dyer Bros., first payment, steel, academic building (claim dated March 5, 1912)	\$19,312.50
<i>Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, 1908.</i>		<i>Library Fund.</i>	
Wm. Bateman, final payment, interior finish (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912)	\$13,475.00	J. B. McIntyre Bindery Co., binding books (claim dated Feb. 20, 1912).....	\$594.32
Lennig, Rappale Eng. Co., final payment, heating and ventilating (claim dated Feb. 27, 1912).....	6,275.67	Emporium, library books (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	703.92
Rudgear-Merle Co., third payment, ornamental metal work (claim dated Feb. 13, 1912)	8,977.50	<i>General Fund.</i>	
Wittman-Lyman Co., fourth payment, plumbing (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	2,181.00	San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (claim dated March 1, 1912).....	\$1,181.00
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.</i>		The Rincon Publishing Company, printing Municipal Record (claim dated March 1, 1912).....	737.77
Coast Improvement Co., fourth payment, hauling and laying (sec. 3) cast-		Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphalt for street repairs (claim dated Feb. 15, 1912)	1,937.83
		Barber Asphalt Paving Co., street repair, California street, Sansome to Battery streets (claim dated Feb. 26, 1912).....	3,707.01
		Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., ninth payment, northernly section Mission viaduct (claim dated March 5, 1912).....	4,008.56

Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., sureties on bond of Keystone Construction Co., ninth payment, southerly section Mission street viaduct (claim dated March 7, 1912)	2,140.64
Somers & Co., grain, Fire Dept. (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	1,503.98
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Fire Dept. (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	717.39
D. Demartini, hauling manure, Fire Dept. (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	570.00
M. Greenberg, hydrants and material, Fire Dept. (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	3,175.05
Thos. Morton & Son, coal, Fire Dept. (claim dated March 1, 1912)	1,447.50
City Street Improvement Co., repairs to streets, Twelfth avenue, between Kirkham and Lawton streets (claim dated Oct. 19, 1911)	970.50
Pacific Gas & Electric Company, gas and electricity, public streets and public buildings, month of February, 1912 (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	33,118.46
H. Lehrke Sons, grocers' sundries, Relief Home (claim dated Feb. 29, 1912)	2,630.54
Searritt & Clark, copings, Dolores street, Twenty-first to Twenty-second (claim dated Jan. 23, 1912)	1,098.00
R. A. Crothers, advertising, Board of Supervisors (claim dated March 2, 1912)	526.62
G. H. Umbsen & Co., rent, Grant building (claim dated Feb. 15, 1912)	1,450.00
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.	

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9353, Appropriating the following sums to be and they are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to-wit:

Board of Public Works.

"Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc." Account, Budget 1911-12.

For surveys and establishing of grades in district bounded by Ulloa street, Sloat Boulevard, Nine-

teenth avenue and the Great Highway	\$1,000.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Bond Issue, 1904.</i>	
For construction of sewer and appurtenances in Woolsey street, between Holyoke and Dartmouth streets	\$8,000.00
For construction of sewer and appurtenances in Cabrillo street from Twelfth avenue to Thirteenth avenue, and in Thirteenth avenue from Cabrillo street to Geary street	20,000.00
For the purchase and inspection of cast-iron pipe to be laid in Commercial street for the purpose of disposing of flow from sewage pump on Commercial street east of Drumm street....	3,500.00
For construction of sewers and appurtenances in Pierce street from Bay street to Lewis street....	60,000.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
For the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Golden Gate Park and Forty-eighth avenue from Lincoln way to Cabrillo street	\$160,000.00
<i>Fire Protection Account, Bond Issue, 1908.</i>	
For construction of high pressure mains, conduits, etc., in district bounded by Market street, Van Ness avenue, Duboce avenue and Pacific avenue, additional appropriation	\$5,600.00
By Bureau of Engineering for preparation of plans and specifications for the telephone system, the Jones street reservoir and the hauling and laying of pipes, and for the inspection and construction of Ashbury Heights tank, Jones street tank, pumping station No. 2, the telephone system, hauling and laying pipe	15,000.00
For furnishing and delivering creosoted wood duct and cover plank for the telephone system of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for fire protection; additional appropriation...	4,500.00
<i>Board of Education.</i>	
For excavating and furnishing of loam for the Grattan School; out of School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.....	299.75
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri.	

Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up and on motion of Supervisor Bancroft *laid over one week:*

Providing \$55,000 for the Construction and Equipment of the Starr King School.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the sum of \$55,000 to be expended out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the construction and equipment of the Starr King School, situate at Twenty-fifth and Utah streets; to be expended as follows, to-wit:

For the construction, supervision and inspection, \$52,500. To be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

For equipment, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Education, \$2,500.

Providing \$55,000 for the Construction and Equipment of the Le Conte School.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the sum of \$55,000 to be expended out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the construction and equipment of the Le Conte School, situate at Norwich, Alabama and Harrison streets; to be expended as follows, to-wit:

For the construction, supervision and inspection, \$52,500. To be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

For equipment, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Education, \$2,500.

Providing \$4500 for Plans and Specifications for Certain School Buildings.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the sum of \$4,500 to be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, in the preparation of plans and specifications for certain school buildings.

Said school buildings to be designated by the Building Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment of \$2200 to S. M. Bloomer for Certain Land at Alvarado Street and Hoffman Avenue, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

Resolution No. 9354 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty-two hundred (\$2200) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the item in the budget of 1911-12 "for construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes," in payment to S. M. Bloomer as purchase price of lot of land situate at the intersection of the southerly line of Alvarado street with the westerly line of Hoffman avenue, of dimensions 30 feet 6 inches by 100 feet, being lot No. 159 of the Heyman Tract, required for Fire Department purposes.

The attention of the Auditor and Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Releasing \$1600 Placed in Escrow with Central Trust Company to Cover Deficits Arising in Operation of Plant of County Line Water Company.

Resolution No. 9355 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That sixteen hundred dollars, constituting a portion of a fund deposited with the Central Trust Company of California in escrow, for the purpose of meeting any deficiency accruing in the operation of the Municipal Water System purchased from the County Line Water Company, be and the same is hereby released from escrow and the said Central Trust Company is hereby authorized to pay said sum to the County Line Water Company; that the balance remaining in the said deposit in escrow in the custody of said Central Trust Company, amounting to three hundred and thirteen dollars and ninety-six cents (\$313.96), be paid by said Central Trust Company into the Treasury of the City and County to the credit of the water works fund; also that the Auditor be directed to transfer the sum of seven hundred and twenty-five (\$725.00) dollars from the appropriation for the payment of salaries in the Board of Public Works to the Water Works Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Appointment of Stenographer for Tax Collector.

Bill No. 2039, Ordinance No. 1825 (New Series), entitled, Amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1345, "Authorizing the Tax Collector to appoint a stenographer for his office and fixing the compensation of said

stenographer", approved October 25, 1910.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Appointment of Cashier For Tax Collector.

Bill No. 2040, Ordinance No. 1826 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1639 (New Series). 'Authorizing the Tax Collector to appoint an assistant cashier and six temporary cashiers and fixing their compensation,' approved August 8, 1911."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Appointment of Expert Accountant for Tax Collector.

Bill No. 2041, Ordinance No. 1827 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Sections 1 and 2 of Ordinance No. 1638 (New Series), entitled, 'Authorizing the appointment by the Tax Collector of an expert accountant from the Civil Service list of deputies for the Tax Collector's office, and fixing his compensation,' approved August 8, 1911."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Permits.

Resolution No. 9356 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

S. & H. Lachman Estate, southwest corner of Fremont and Market streets, capacity 1,500 gallons.

Charles J. Wernet, southwest corner of Vienna street and Persia avenue, capacity 500 gallons.

Garages.

Valencia Garage, northeast corner of Valencia and Seventeenth streets.

W. J. McGreevy, 1230 Valencia street.

Bert Saunders, Great Highway, 112 feet 6 inches south of Judah street.

John J. McElroy, south side of Natoma street 147 feet west of First street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. 9357 (New Series).

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter described location, to-wit:

Anthony Piezza, 2907 23rd street, for one horse.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Muzzling of Dogs.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up:

Bill No. 2038, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Requiring the muzzling of dogs."

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Every dog not kept within a sufficient enclosure or led and controlled by a line, rope or chain, or not being effectually muzzled so as to prevent such dog from biting persons or animals, is hereby declared to be a menace to public health and safety.

Section 2. Every person owning or having control of any dog shall effectually muzzle it so as to prevent it from biting persons or animals, provided, however, that no dog need be muzzled while kept within a sufficient enclosure or led and controlled by a line, rope or chain. All muzzles shall be properly adjusted and shall be of a design approved by the Department of Public Health.

Section 3. Every dog not kept within a sufficient enclosure, or led and controlled by a line, rope or chain, or not muzzled, as required by the provisions of Section 2 hereof, shall be immediately impounded in the public pound by any peace officer or the pound-keeper.

Section 4. Every person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than fifty (50) dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than fifty (50) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately and be and remain in full force and effect up to and including the first day of July, 1912.

Substitute Bill Refused Passage.

Supervisor Payot thereupon introduced the following Bill, which was refused passage by the following vote:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Until and including the first day of July, 1912, every dog not kept within a sufficient enclosure or led and controlled by a line, rope or chain, is hereby declared to be a menace to public health and safety.

Section 2. Until and including the first day of July, 1912, every dog not kept within a sufficient enclosure, or led and controlled by a line, rope or chain, shall be immediately impounded in the public pound by any peace officer or the poundkeeper.

Section 3. Whenever, after the first day of July, 1912, the Mayor shall deem it necessary, he shall issue an order providing that every dog not kept within a sufficient enclosure, or led and controlled by a line, rope or chain, or not effectually muzzled, so as to prevent it from biting persons or animals (said muzzling to become operative only if the owner of any dog prefers to effectually muzzle any licensed dog running at large, rather than leading or controlling said dog by a line, rope or chain), shall be immediately impounded in the public pound by any peace officer or the poundkeeper. Said order shall be published one time in the official newspaper. All muzzles shall be properly adjusted and shall be of a design approved by the Department of Public Health.

Section 4. Whenever the public pound or any peace officer, in the carrying out of this Ordinance, shall have impounded any licensed dog it shall be the duty of said public pound to and they are hereby directed, until and including the first day of July, 1912, to hold said dog until called for by the owner thereof and when called for by said owner thereof to deliver said dog to said owner, and if not called for until after the said the first day of July, 1912, when the license shall have expired, said dog shall become a public nuisance thereafter the same as all other unlicensed dogs. Until and including said first day of July, 1912, the public pound is hereby directed to feed and properly care for all licensed dogs impounded in the meantime and not called for by their respective owners.

Section 5. Every person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance, or of any order issued by the Mayor as provided by Section 3 of this Ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50.00 or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not

more than 50 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hilmer, Hocks, McLeran, Payot—6.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—11.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Privilege of the Floor.

E. R. Zion, representing California Gamemen's Protective Association, stated that efforts should first be made to pick up stray dogs before such drastic measure as muzzling is resorted to. He believed that appropriations should be made for additional pound wagons, and that the adoption of the muzzling ordinance gave a false impression abroad that there was an epidemic of rabies in San Francisco.

Finally Passed.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the foregoing Bill was finally passed as Ordinance No. 1828 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Concerning Dogs Running at Large.

Bill No. 2042, Ordinance No. 1829 (New Series), entitled, "Concerning dogs running at large".

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Amending the Building Law Relative to the Application for and Issuance of Permits and of Certificates of Occupancy.

Bill No. 2043, Ordinance No. 1830 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Sections 6, 7 and 9 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), approved December 22, 1909, known as the 'Building Law', relating to the application for and issuance of permits and the certificate of occupancy".

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works Authorized to Contract for Street Cars for Geary Street Municipal Street Railway.

Bill No. 2044, Ordinance No. 1831 (New Series), entitled,

Authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the furnishing and delivery of street cars for the Geary Street Municipal Railway in accordance with plans and specifications therefor, prepared by said Board, and to expend for the same a sum not to exceed \$350,000 out of the Geary Street Railway Construction Account, Bond Issue of July 1, 1910, and permitting progressive payments to be made for said street cars, and repealing Ordinance No. 1660 (New Series), approved September 19, 1911.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Track Construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Bill No. 2045, Ordinance No. 1832 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into a contract for the track construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad, approving plans and specifications therefor, and to expend therefor the sum of seventy-three thousand (\$73,000) dollars in addition to the amount remaining unexpended of the appropriation made by Ordinance No. 1630 (New Series), and repealing conflicting ordinances."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extension of Time, Blasting Permit, William Grant.

Resolution No. 9358 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That William Grant, President of the Homeland Company, be granted an extension of one hundred and eighty days time from and after March 13, 1912, on that certain permit to explode blasts on and at certain streets and adjoining lots in "Sunnyside" in the City and County of San Francisco, which said permit was granted by Resolution No. 9030 (New Series), approved December 13, 1911, said blasting to be done for the sole purpose of grading the property.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,

Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2046, Ordinance No. 1833 (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Tehama street between Fourth and Fifth streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2047, Ordinance No. 1834 (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Fulton street between a line parallel with and 146.25 feet easterly from the easterly line of Masonic avenue, and the westerly line of said Masonic avenue, between the southerly line of McAllister street produced, and the southerly line of Fulton street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2048, Ordinance No. 1835 (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Twenty-fourth street, on Kansas street and on Rhode Island street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2049, Ordinance No. 1836 (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Sunnyside avenue between Foerster and Genesee streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2050, Ordinance No. 1837 (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Myrtle street between Polk and Larkin streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2051, Ordinance No. 1838 (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the

Official Grades on Dolores street between the northerly line of Army street and Twenty-seventh street, and on Army street at the crossing of Dolores street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2052, Ordinance No. 1839 (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Congress street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2053, Ordinance No. 1840 (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Sixteenth avenue, crossing of Cabrillo street; on Sixteenth avenue crossing of Fulton street; on Sixteenth avenue between Cabrillo and Fulton streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2054, Ordinance No. 1841 (New Series), entitled,

"Changing and Re-establishing the Official Grades on Upper Terrace."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Establishing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2055, Ordinance No. 1842 (New Series), entitled,

"Establishing grades at certain points on Judson avenue, on Marston avenue and on Edna street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2056, Ordinance No. 1843 (New Series), entitled,

"Establishing grades at certain points on Rotteck street between Bosworth and Springdale streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Fixing Width of Sidewalks, Henry and Castro Streets.

Bill No. 2057, Ordinance No. 1844 (New Series), entitled,

"Amending Ordinance No. 1061," entitled, "Regulating the width of sidewalks," approved December 18, 1903, by amending Section 446 thereof, and fixing the width of sidewalks on Henry street at Castro street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ordering Sewer Work, Woolsey Streets.

Bill No. 2058, Ordinance No. 1845 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Woolsey street, between Holyoke and Dartmouth streets, approving and adopting plans and specifications and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost of eight thousand (\$8000.00) dollars, out of the proceeds of sale of Sewer Bonds, issue of 1904, for doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the matter set forth in the specifications for said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2059, Ordinance No. 1846 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to wit:

That an 18-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Fourteenth avenue, between Geary and Anza streets; that redwood curbs and a broken rock pavement be constructed on the northerly one-half of Fulton street, from the easterly line of Forty-fourth avenue to the westerly line of Forty-fifth avenue; that granite curbs and an asphalt pavement be constructed in Twenty-fifth avenue, between Clement and California streets; that granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and an asphalt pavement, brick cesspools and ironstone pipe culverts be constructed in the crossing of Greenwich and Divisadero streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ordering Sewer Work, Golden Gate Park and Lincoln Way.

Bill No. 2060, Ordinance No. 1847 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Golden Gate Park and Forty-

eighth avenue from Lincoln Way to Cabrillo street; approving and adopting plans and specifications and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost of one hundred and sixty thousand (\$160,000) dollars, out of the proceeds of sale of Sewer Bonds, issue of 1908, for doing said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work".

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ordering Sewer Work, Pierce Street.

Bill No. 2061, Ordinance No. 1848 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Pierce street, from Bay street to Lewis street, approving and adopting plans and specifications, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost of sixty thousand (\$60,000) dollars, out of the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, for doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ordering Sewer Work, Cabrillo Street.

Bill No. 2062, Ordinance No. 1849 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Cabrillo street from Twelfth to Thirteenth avenues, and in Thirteenth avenue from Cabrillo to Geary streets, approving and adopting plans and specifications and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost of twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars, out of the proceeds of sale of Sewer Bonds, issue of 1904, for doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work".

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Recommended.

The following Bill laid over from last meeting was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher recommended to the Streets Committee:

Spur Track Permit, Keystone Sand Company.

Bill No. 2027, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to the Keystone Sand Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company in Twelfth and Harrison streets, thence over and across Harrison street and into Mission Block No. 9.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$281,739.91 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 14,142 to 14,608, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. —, Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Chas. E. Thomas Co., final payment, heating and ventilating, Lincoln School (claim dated February 29, 1912)	\$2,125.00
McSheehy Bros., extra concrete and reinforcing, Peabody School (claim dated March 7, 1912)	1,183.75
C. F. Weber & Co., desks, tables, etc., Lincoln School (claim dated February 26, 1912)	640.25

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Lange & Bergstrom, first payment, general contract Ev-

erett School Annex (claim dated March 6, 1912).....	\$2,235.00
<i>San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Lange & Bergstrom, sixth payment, millwork, etc. (claim dated March 9, 1912)	\$5,875.00
Lange & Bergstrom, third payment, general masonry, power house and laundry (claim dated March 9, 1912)	3,762.75
<i>Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Wittman Lyman Co., fourth payment, plumbing, City and County Jail (claim dated November 29, 1911) .	\$4,050.00
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., tenth payment, Pumping Station No. 1 (claim dated March 13, 1912)	\$34,351.09
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., final payment, intake tunnel, section "B" (claim dated March 13, 1912)	9,735.55
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., fourth payment, division wall, Twin Peaks reservoir (claim dated March 13, 1912)	3,965.74
<i>General Fund 1911-12.</i>	
Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin County, California, maintenance of minors (claim dated March 1, 1912)	\$1,494.88
Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated January 31, 1912)	543.43
State of California (Preston School), maintenance of minors (claim dated March 11, 1912)	737.76
Western Lime and Cement Co., sand to Board of Public Works (claim dated March 4, 1912)	1,393.75
Standard Underground Cable Co., cable, Department of Electricity (claim dated February 13, 1912)	2,825.00
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated March 1, 1912)	1,744.71
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated March 1, 1912)	1,086.91
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated February 29, 1912)	2,239.54
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats,	

City and County Hospital (claim dated February 29, 1912) 1,111.97

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the following sums to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to wit:

Board of Public Works.

For construction of sewer in San Jose avenue, between Regent street and Liebig street; Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1904. . \$4,000.00
 For constructing a basalt block pavement along Howard street, from Second street westerly, out of Street Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1904. 19,000.00

Providing \$11,433.82 for the Construction of a Bridge on Harrison Street Across the Beale Street Cut.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the sum of eleven thousand four hundred and thirty-three dollars and eighty-two cents to be expended out of the item in the budget "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for construction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings", for the construction of the bridge on Harrison street across the Beale street cut; said amount to be reimbursed to the City by the State in the event of a favorable decision in suit instituted against the State Board of Harbor Commissioners by the City for this sum, it being the State's proportion of assessment levied for this improvement.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Providing \$250 to Enable Board of Health to Change Stable at Park Emergency Hospital into Garage.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. 9359 (New Series).

Resolved, That the Board of Health be and they are hereby authorized and directed to transfer from their salary account to their maintenance account for the purpose of transforming Park Emergency Hospital stable into a garage the sum of \$250.00.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Assessor to Correct Erroneous Assessment.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:

J. R. No. 117.

Whereas, The Assessor in written communication, filed March 14, 1912, requested that the hereinafter described corrections be made upon the Assessment Roll of 1911-12, as provided by Section 3381 of the Political Code of the State of California, and the written consent of the City Attorney having been given to the making of said corrections and filed March 14, 1912, in the office of the Board of Supervisors; now therefore

Resolved, That the Assessor be and he is hereby directed and authorized to make the following corrections upon the Assessment Roll of 1911-12, in accordance with said Section 3381 of the Political Code of the State of California, to wit:

Erroneous Assessment, 1911.

Personal Property Roll, Volume 17, page 81, sub. 43, assessed to Charles Bonbrow for bark "Charmer". (This vessel was sold to parties in New York and is now registered there. The custom house records show the cancellation of registration by bill of sale dated May 7, 1910.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Denying Permits.

Supervisor Giannini presented:

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, the following petitions are hereby denied:

William Winter, for a boiler at No. 141 Albion street.

John McAuliffe Dyëing and Cleaning Establishment at Bryant street, south of Twentieth street.

J. B. Schroyer, for garage at south line of Howard street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets.

Amendment.

Supervisor Giannini moved to amend by striking out "Wm. Winter, for a boiler at No. 141 Albion street."

Amendment *carried*.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above Resolution as amended was *adopted* as J. R. No. 118 by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolved, That C. C. Moore and Company be and is hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after March 4, 1912, within which to complete their contract for the construction of Section "II" of the Pumping Station under contract No. 27, for the reason that it is the intention of the Board of Public Works to delay the final testing of the mechanical equipment until the tile floor and wainscoting have been set by another contractor.

Permits.

Supervisor Giannini presented: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits be granted, to wit:

Storage Tanks—

James V. Campbell, south side of Page street, 181 feet west of Cole street, capacity 1500 gallons.

G. G. Burnett Estate, northwest side of Market street, 300 feet northeast of Marshall Square.

Garages—

H. W. Denhard, north side of Post street, 106 feet east of Broderick street (provided a class "A" building be erected for this garage).

George Ullrich, southeast corner of Golden Gate avenue and Divisadero street.

Cabinet Shop—

Butler & Bradshaw, 2056-58 Market street, electric power to be used.

Laundry—

Yee Jim, 3 Meacham place (this resolution to validate the transfer of ownership).

Amendment.

Supervisor Giannini moved to amend by striking out "George Ullrich, southeast corner of Golden Gate avenue and Divisadero street."

Amendment *carried*.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the above resolution as amended was *passed for printing*:

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Relative to Construction of Garages.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Bill No. 2063, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Amending Ordinance No. 746 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the construction of buildings used as public automobile garages; regulating and providing for the storage and use of gasoline in public and private automobile garages; repealing Ordinance No. 33 (New Series), approved July 16, 1906," by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 13 1-2.

Stable Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-

ries). Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), to the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter described locations, to wit:

R. H. Farmer, 1709 Mission street, for forty-four horses. Granted on condition that a galvanized iron partition be constructed at least twenty feet from the westerly line of the property abutting on the east of that to be built upon.

G. B. Magini, west line of Eighthteenth avenue, 175 feet south of Anza street, for four horses.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 119.

Resolved, That Golden Gate Council No. 4, Daughters of America, be and is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at California Hall, Twentieth and Capp streets, March 16, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee; the proceeds from said ball being devoted to charity.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Licensing Circus and Open Air Exhibitions.

Supervisor Hocks presented:

Bill No. 2064, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

Imposing a License on Every Owner or Lessee of a Circus or Open Air Exhibition.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. Every owner or lessee of a circus shall pay a license for each and every day any exhibition or performance is given therein the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) and for each side show in connection with or belonging to a circus, for which an admission fee is charged, a license of five dollars shall be paid for each and every day on which an exhibition or performance is given.

Section 2. The term "circus" (except as provided in Section 3 of this ordinance) shall be held to include any public exhibition or show for which an admission price is charged, held in a space tent, area or building where feats of horsemanship or acrobatic sports are exhibited or historic events portrayed, but shall not be held to

include pictorial representations or theatrical performances.

Section 3. Every owner or lessee of a company or troupe giving open air exhibitions, at which no wild animals or menagerie are exhibited, shall pay a license for the first day of such exhibition the sum of fifty (\$50.00) dollars, and for each subsequent day the sum of thirty-five (\$35.00) dollars; and for each side show in connection with said exhibition for which an admission fee is charged, a license of five (\$5.00) dollars shall be paid for each and every day on which an exhibition or performance is given.

Section 4. All licenses issued under the provisions of this ordinance shall be known as "Circus License."

Section 5. Every person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred (500) dollars, or by imprisonment of not more than six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Amendment.

Supervisor Hayden moved to amend Section 3 by striking out the words "at which no wild animals or menagerie are exhibited," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "including wild animal or menagerie shows with a seating capacity of 3500 persons or less."

Amendment carried.

Passed For Printing.

Whereupon, the above entitled Bill, in words and figures following, was passed for printing:

Bill No. 2064, Ordinance No. — (New Series), "Imposing a license on every owner or lessee of a circus or open air exhibition."

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Every owner or lessee of a circus shall pay a license for each and every day any exhibition or performance is given therein the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) and for each side show in connection with or belonging to a circus, for which an admission fee is charged, a license of five dollars shall be paid for each and every day on which an exhibition or performance is given.

Section 2. The term "Circus" (except as provided in Section 3 of this Ordinance), shall be held to include any public exhibition or show for which an admission price is charged, held in a space, tent, arena or building where feats of horsemanship or acrobatic sports are exhibited or historic events portrayed, but shall not be held to include pictorial representations or theatrical performances.

Section 3. Every owner or lessee of a company or troupe giving open air exhibitions, including wild animals or menagerie shows with a seating capacity of 3500 persons or less, shall pay a license for the first day of such exhibition the sum of fifty (\$50.00) dollars, and for each subsequent day the sum of thirty-five (35.00) dollars, and for each side show in connection with said exhibition for which an admission fee is charged, a license of five (\$5.00) dollars shall be paid for each and every day on which an exhibition or performance is given.

Section 4. All licenses issued under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be known as "Circus License."

Section 5. Every person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred (500) dollars, or by imprisonment of not more than six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 6. Ordinances Nos. 949 and 1349 (New Series), and all orders or parts of orders, and all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances, in so far as they conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and they are hereby repealed.

Section 7. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Licensing Wrestling Exhibitions.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Hocks, and on motion of Supervisor McLeran, *recommitted to Police Committee*:

Bill No. 2065, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a license on wrestling exhibitions."

(Supervisor McLeran requested that athletic clubs and other interested parties be notified of meeting of Police Committee when above matter will be considered.)

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Clerk to Advertise for Proposals for Printing Delinquent Tax List.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 120.

Resolved. That the Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise that sealed proposals will be received by this Board on Monday, April 8, 1912, at 3 p. m., for the printing of the delinquent tax list for the year 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 121.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby requested to install arc lights at the following locations:

Southwest corner of Second and Gale streets.

Corner of Moscow street and Italy avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Extensions of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolved. That the following extensions of time on public contracts be and the same are hereby granted, to wit:

To the Ralston Iron Works, thirty days from and after March 26, 1912, on its contract for completion of structural steel for Girls' High School, delays having been caused in the shipment of materials from eastern mills.

To McSheehy Bros., ninety days from and after February 25, 1912, on their contract for completion of interior carpenter work in the Nurses' Home and ward buildings at San Francisco Hospital, delays caused by not being able to perform certain carpenter work until other contractors have finished; also remitting the advertising charges for printing this resolution.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Street Railways to File Schedules Showing Number of Cars and Headway on Each Line.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

J. R. No. 122.

Resolved, That all street railway companies operating cars in San Francisco be requested to file by next Monday with the Board of Supervisors their operating schedules of car service, showing the number of cars in operation and headway on each line, and the approximate number of passengers carried daily on the different lines.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bion J. Arnold to Investigate Street Car Schedules and Suggest Improvements.

Also, J. R. No. 123.

Resolved, That Bion J. Arnold be and is hereby requested to investigate the present car service schedules of the street railway companies operating in San Francisco, and make recommendations for the improvement of said street car service at as early a date as possible.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Intention to Change Grades

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9360 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Polk street and on Chestnut street, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed March 13, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Repealing Resolution Declaring Intention to Change Grades on Buena Vista Avenue and on Congress Street.

Also, Resolution No. 9361 (New Series), That Resolution No. 8420 (New Series), approved September 6, 1911, declaring intention to change grades on Buena Vista avenue and on Congress street, be repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Intention to Close Malloy Street.

Also, Resolution No. 9362 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to close Malloy street, between the westerly line of Dolores street and the easterly boundary line of the lands of the right of way of the Southern Pacific Railroad in Block No. 30 of the Fairmount Tract.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Recommend to Supervisors Reconstruction of Sidewalks in "Burned District."

Also, J. R. No. 124.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby requested to recommend to the Board of Supervisors the construction of sidewalks in each and every block of the district known as the "burned district," where not already in good condition.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2066, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Army and Bryant streets: crossing of Anza street and Twenty-second avenue."

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2067, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Arlington street and on Charles street."

Also, Bill No. 2068, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Buena Vista avenue, between the second angle southeasterly from Congress street and the fourth angle northwesterly from said Congress street, and on Congress street, between Masonic and Buena Vista avenues."

Fixing Sidewalk Widths on Montcalm Street, Between Alabama Street and Peralta Avenue.

Also, Bill No. 2069, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and forty-four, the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Montcalm street, between Alabama street and Peralta avenue, at ten feet."

Ordering Sewer Work.

Also, Bill No. 2070, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in San Jose avenue, between Regent and Liebig streets, approving and adopting plans and specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the doing of said work at the estimated cost of four thousand

(\$4000) dollars, out of the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, for the doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2071. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the repaving with basalt blocks of the roadway of Howard street, from Second street westerly, in accordance with the specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works, authorizing an expenditure of nineteen thousand (\$19,000) dollars out of the proceeds of the sale of street bonds, issue of 1904, for the doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Traffic Ordinance.

The following Bill laid over from last meeting was taken up:

Bill No. 1984, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating moving travel and traffic upon the streets and other public places of the City and County of San Francisco and providing a punishment for any violation thereof, and repealing orders Numbers 70 and 175 (Second Series) and Ordinance Numbers 65, 253, 723, 803, 807, 808, 809, 814, 825, 851, 887, 888, 898, 899, 902, 1088, 1132, 1359, 1367, 1369, 1380, 1517, and Ordinances Numbers 339, 575 and 649 (New Series)."

Amendment.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved to amend by striking out last paragraph in Section 72.

Amendment carried.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the above Bill as amended was passed for printing.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Pay of Women Employed by City.

On motion of Supervisor Murdock:

J. R. No. 125.

Whereas, The Charter of the City and County of San Francisco makes no distinction between men and women in the matter of salaries; and,

Whereas, Under its provisions the general practice has been to give equal pay for equal service regardless of sex; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we re-affirm the settled policy of the City Government to pay salaries that are just and fair, dependent in amount solely upon value of services rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran.

Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bureau of Weights and Measures. Action Deferred.

The following matters laid over from last meeting were taken up and on the request of his Honor the Mayor again laid over one week:

Leave of Absence, Employees of Bureau of Weights and Measures.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That this Board recommends to his Honor the Mayor that all employees of the Bureau of Weights and Measures be given a leave of absence, without pay, pending the appeal to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court declaring the creation of said Bureau to have been invalid; that such leave of absence be without prejudice to said employees to re-enter the service should such decision of the Superior Court be reversed.

Repealing Ordinance Creating Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures".

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Clerk to Mail Copies of Proposed Ordinance to Members.

On motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 126.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Board is instructed to mail to each member copies of all proposed ordinances as soon as recommended by Committee; provided that in the matter of voluminous formal ordinances, the Clerk shall furnish copies on request only.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher and on motion ordered referred to Judiciary Committee:

Weights and Measures Police Ordinance.

Bill No. 2072, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordinance creating a Bureau of Weights and Measures under Police regulation, establishing the Standard of Weights

and Measures, providing for the appointment of Sealer of Weights and Measures, his Deputy and Assistant Deputy Sealers, and fixing their compensation."

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Giannini and on his motion ordered *referred to the Health Committee*:

Regulating Garbage Wagons.

Bill No. 2073, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the character of vehicles to be used for the transportation of garbage."

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Giannini and ordered *referred to Welfare Committee*:

Care of Mission Bells.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to have the Mission Bells, which are located at various points in the City, kept in proper condition; the dirt removed so that the signs may be legible.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Hayden under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:
Publicity Committee to Arrange for Unveiling of Tablet to Tetrizzini.

J. R. No. 127.

Whereas, A bronze tablet properly inscribed as a memorial to commemorate the open air concert given by Madame Luiza Tetrizzini to the people of San Francisco at Lotta's Fountain Christmas Eve, 1910, has been presented to the City and County of San Francisco with the request that it be placed on said fountain, corner of Market, Geary and Kearny streets (permission having already been secured from Lotta Crabtree, donor of fountain); therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Publicity Committee, to which the matter has been referred, be empowered to take up the matter with the Park Commissioners so as to provide arrangements in the near future for the proper ceremonies attending the unveiling of said tablet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Mauzy and *adopted*:

City Engineer to Advise as to Location of Tunnel at Ft. Mason.

J. R. No. 128.

Resolved, That the City Engineer be requested to furnish to this Board

without delay information as to the proper location for a tunnel through the United States Military Reservation at Fort Mason, for the purpose of applying to the Congress of the United States for permission to construct such tunnel.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Murdock and *adopted*:

In Memory of Hon. Robert Ferral.

J. R. No. 129.

In the death of Robert Ferral, San Francisco loses a citizen of high character who for forty years rendered valuable service as Assistant District Attorney, as Judge of the City Criminal Court, and as Superior Judge.

As a magistrate dealing with criminals his official record is clean and creditable. He was just but he was merciful—never seeking popularity through severity or through unmerited leniency. He inspired confidence in his motives, and won the respect of the entire community.

After retiring from the bench he devoted himself to his profession, mainly to criminal practice, upholding high traditions and maintaining the enviable position he had won for fairness and integrity. A man of attractive personality, genial and witty, he spread sunshine and gained a large circle of affectionate friends. He was a man of true feeling and espoused the cause that he believed to be conducive to the highest welfare of his fellows. He had a large human sympathy and was unselfish, and ready to help others to the utmost of his power. He found it hard to harbor anything but kindly feeling toward his fellow men, and had no room in his heart for severity and rancor.

Born in Philadelphia in 1841, he came to California with his father when a boy of 11. He became a printer, and at 18 edited a country newspaper. At 22 he was admitted to the bar, soon after forsaking journalism and serving his chosen profession faithfully to the end. Faithfulness was probably his most marked characteristic. He could always be relied upon to do his part in every cause that seemed to him deserving of support. He was spared beyond the three score and ten of pleasurable activity. He enjoyed much, he accomplished much, and he leaves behind the memory of a true, brave man who met each day's duty with a cheerful

heart and a simple purpose to do the right.

Resolved, That this memorial, expressive of our respect, be entered in the journal, and that a copy be transmitted to his bereft widow.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Nolan and *adopted*:

Urging Commencement of Work on Armory Building.
J. R. No. 130.

Whereas, The State of California has appropriated \$420,000 to construct an Armory building for the National Guard of California in San Francisco, and

Whereas, A site for this building has been acquired by the State authorities at the southwest corner of Fourteenth and Mission streets, and

Whereas, The construction of the Armory building, and the removal of the ruins from the site acquired have been delayed for over a year since the acquirement of the property, and

Whereas, The commencement of this work would be of immense advantage to the unemployed of this City, and would also provide a permanent home for the officers and men of the National Guard; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Super-

visors of the City and County of San Francisco hereby urge the State Engineer, the Adjutant General of the State of California and the Militia officers interested to commence the preparation of the site and the erection of the Armory at Mission and Fourteenth streets without further delay.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Relative to the Improvement of San Bruno Avenue.

At the request of his Honor the Mayor, George Roundy, representing the San Bruno avenue district, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, calling attention to the almost impassable condition of San Bruno avenue. He stated that for the past 40 years Boards of Supervisors had deplored the condition of San Bruno avenue and that now it was about time something was done. He declared that San Bruno avenue was one of the leading arteries leading out of San Francisco and was entitled to more consideration than it had heretofore received.

Referred to the Streets Committee.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 6:15 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors March 25, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

of the first and second series of experiments, the results of which are given in Table I. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants.

The results of the third series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table II. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants.

The results of the fourth series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table III. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants.

The results of the fifth series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table IV. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants. The results of the sixth series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table V. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants. The results of the seventh series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table VI. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants.

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The results of the eighth series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table VII. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants. The results of the ninth series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table VIII. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants.

TABLE I. Results of the first series of experiments.

The results of the tenth series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table IX. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants. The results of the eleventh series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table X. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants. The results of the twelfth series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table XI. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants.

1.2. DISCUSSION

The results of the thirteenth series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table XII. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants. The results of the fourteenth series of experiments, in which the concentration of the reactants was varied, are given in Table XIII. It is seen that the rate of reaction is very low, and that the reaction is of the first order with respect to the concentration of the reactants.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 20,
1912, 7:30 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Wednesday evening, March 20, 1912, 7:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of continuing the investigation held preliminarily to the fixing and establishing heat, light and power rates for the year commencing July 1, 1912.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—10.

Quorum present.

His Honor the Mayor being absent Supervisor Koshland was called to the Chair.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

On motion of Supervisor McLeran the Board resolved itself into Committee of the Whole for the purposes of the investigation with Supervisor Koshland, member of the Lighting and Rates Committee, in the Chair.

The Committee of the Whole arose at 10:20 p. m., all members before noted being present, and reported as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Your Committee of the Whole having under consideration the investigation held preliminary to the fixing and establishing heat, light and power rates for the year commencing July 1, 1912, begs leave to report that it has heard the testimony of E. C. Jones, Engineer of the Gas Department of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company as to the physical use of the pipes and mains of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company; also, of W. R. Morgan, Superintendent of distribution of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, as to the mains of his company that have been connected with the mains of the Metropolitan Company; that the following matters have been received, filed in the Clerk's office of the Board of Super-

visors and designed exhibits in the pending investigation, to-wit:

Exhibit No. 19—Statement of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, showing per cent of unaccounted-for gas in San Francisco from 1876 to and including 1911.

Exhibit No. 20—Statement from Pacific Gas and Electric Company as to gas sold in 1911 and percentage of increase over 1910; also itemized statement of cost of manufacture, distribution and administration.

Furthermore, your Committee begs leave to meet again Friday, March 29, 1912, at 7:45 p. m.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 10:25 p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, March 25, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, Nolan, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.
READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of March 18, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Invitation from Rotary Club Accepted.

A communication from the Rotary Club inviting members of Board to attend luncheon at Techau Tavern and discuss proposed Civic Center and City Hall bond issue, was received and on motion of Supervisor Bancroft accepted.

Legalizing Positions in Coroner's Office.

The following matter was presented by Mayor and read by Clerk:

Communication—From Mayor, transmitting letter from Coroner and draft of ordinance legalizing positions in his department.

Referred to Judiciary and Finance Committees.

Amended Specifications for Track Construction of Geary Street Municipal Railway.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Board of Public Works, submitting for approval amended specification for track construction of Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Whereupon, the following Bill was introduced under suspension of the rules and passed for printing by the following vote:

Bill No. 2974, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Approving certain specifications (as amended) for the track construction of the Geary Street Railway and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into a contract for such construction according to such specifications as amended.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Public Works having submitted Specifications No. 7289 for the track construction of the Geary Street Railway, which specifications contain amendments to the specifications for said work heretofore adopted by this Board, it is hereby ordered that the specifications as amended be and they are hereby approved and adopted, and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for doing said work according to such amended specifications.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings.

Also, Resolution No. 9363 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Board of Public Works has submitted specifications No. 7289 for the track construction of the Geary Street Railway, which specifications contain amendments to the specifications for said work heretofore adopted by this Board; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the specifications as amended be and they are hereby approved and adopted, and the Board of

Public Works is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for doing said work according to such amended specifications.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Official Printing.

Proposals for doing official advertising for the City and County for year commencing April 1, 1912, were received and referred as follows:

	5 point per sq.	6 point per sq.	6 point Cert. Checks
1. Call .....	.60	.50	None
2. Evening Post .....	.35	.35	\$1000
3. Bulletin ....	.31	.30	\$1000
4. Daily Journal of Commerce. ....	.16	.15	\$1000

Ordered referred to Publicity Committee.

HEARING OF PROTEST AGAINST CLOSING NORTHERLY PORTION OF TURK STREET, BETWEEN MASONIC AND PARKER AVENUES.

The following matter laid over from last meeting was taken up:

Closing and Abandoning a Portion of Turk Street, Between Masonic Avenue and Parker Avenue.

Resolution No. — (New Series), closing and abandoning a portion of Turk street, between Masonic avenue and Parker avenue.

Whereas, this Board has by Resolution No. 8966 (New Series), declared its intention of closing and abandoning that portion of Turk street in the City and County of San Francisco, herein-after more particularly described, which said resolution specified the exterior boundaries of the district of lands to be affected or benefited by said work or improvement and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof; and

Whereas, notice of said resolution of said proposed closing and abandonment of said portion of Turk street was duly given by the Board of Public Works of this City and County by posting and publication in the manner and for the time specified in Section 3 of Chapter 3 of Article 6 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California; and

Whereas, certain protests against the closing of said portion of said street were filed in the office of the clerk on the 6th day of November, 1911, and the 11th day of December, 1911, respectively, and the protestants herein having been duly heard on Monday afternoon, March 11, 1912, pursuant to the pro-

visions of Resolution No. 9112 (New Series), fixing the time for such hearing, and after continuances thereafter duly taken from said day and

Whereas, this Board after having heard said protestants and after having duly considered, their several grounds of protest, do hereby overrule the objections of said protestants; and,

Whereas, the proposed work is for the closing up of a portion of said Turk street, and it appears to this Board that no assessment is necessary therefor; and

Whereas, it is the opinion of this Board that public interest and convenience require the closing and abandonment of that portion of Turk street between Masonic avenue and Parker avenue hereinafter described; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the closing and abandonment of that portion of Turk street between the points indicated hereinafter described, be and the same is hereby ordered, and said portion of Turk street between Masonic avenue and Parker avenue in the City and County of San Francisco and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point formed by the intersection of the present northerly line of Turk street with the westerly line of Masonic avenue; running thence westerly along said present northerly line of Turk street to the easterly line of Parker avenue; thence at a right angle southerly thirty-one (31) feet and three (3) inches to a point in the present roadbed of Turk street sixty-eight (68) feet and nine (9) inches northerly from the southerly line of Turk street; thence at a right angle easterly to the westerly line of Masonic avenue; thence at a right angle northerly thirty-one (31) feet and three (3) inches to the present northerly line of Turk street and point of commencement, be and the same is hereby closed and abandoned as a public street.

Communications.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Park-Richmond Improvement Club, favoring the closing of the northerly portion of Turk street, from Masonic to Parker avenues.

Communication—From Civic League of Improvement Clubs, endorsing proposition to grade Turk street from Masonic to Parker avenues, and to place same in condition for traffic.

Privilege of the Floor.

L. Burke, attorney, representing the Roman Catholic Archbishop, was granted the privilege of the floor, and stated that the portion of Turk street

sought to be closed was never an open public street and that the official record of the Board of Supervisors showed that Turk street throughout its entire length was of uniform width. He declared that the Archbishop would grade Turk street from Masonic avenue to Parker avenue, providing his petition for the closing of the northerly portion of said street was granted. This would make the district west of Calvary and Masonic Cemeteries accessible to traffic and materially improve property values. He maintained that in closing the street the Board of Supervisors did not give any title to the Archbishop that he did not already possess.

Caspar Zweirlein, property owner, was also granted the privilege of the floor, and stated that inasmuch as the property owners on Turk street from Parker avenue to First avenue had improved Turk street for a width of 100 feet he did not see why the Archbishop should object to improving his portion of Turk street for the same width from Masonic avenue to Parker avenue. He believed that San Francisco should have as many wide streets as possible, and that any action of the Board reducing the width of Turk street was retrogressive. He opposed the giving away of two-thirds of a city block without some adequate return, and said that the land or its equivalent could be used for playground purposes.

S. W. Molkenbuhr, attorney, representing Park-Richmond Improvement Club, was also granted the privilege of the floor, and addressed the Board, stating that his organization favored the closing of the northerly portion of Turk street from Masonic avenue to Parker avenue in order that the street might be graded and traffic conditions into the Richmond District improved. He stated further that his organization had conferred with the Roman Catholic Archbishop, and that the Archbishop had agreed to grade Turk street between the streets named providing the necessary resolution was adopted providing for a uniform width throughout the entire length of Turk street.

Motion Lost.

Supervisor Koshland moved that the question as to what right the City has to relinquish the strip of land constituting the northerly portion of Turk street from Masonic to Parker avenue be referred to the City Attorney.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—7.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-

Ileri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Nolan, Vogelsang—10.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Action Deferred.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the foregoing Resolution was laid over one week.

NEW BUSINESS (Out of Order).

Repealing California Veterinary Hospital Permit.

The following matter was taken up out of order:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution No. 8038 (New Series), approved June 28, 1911, granting permission to California Veterinary Hospital, to maintain a veterinary hospital in premises Number 363 Fell street, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Privilege of the Floor.

Thomas Curran, attorney, representing Central Mission and Hayes Valley Improvement Club, was granted the privilege of the floor, and addressed the Board, stating that the notice required by law had not been posted in a conspicuous place where adjacent property owners might be notified of the class of business that it was intended to establish in the neighborhood. He thought that the revocation of the permit would work for the best interests of the greatest number in that vicinity. He declared further that, if the California Veterinary Hospital, had any legal rights in the premises, same could be determined by the courts.

William Kelly, attorney, representing California Veterinary Hospital, also addressed the Board, stating that his client had entered into a lease for the premises now occupied by the Coroner's Office the day after the resolution granting him permission to conduct a veterinary hospital at said premises was adopted by the Board of Supervisors. As evidence of this fact he presented the original lease for inspection. He declared that it was unjust to compel his clients to go to the expense of establishing their rights in the courts, the district, he declared, was a business district, and already six or seven places of business were in operation in the neighborhood. These firms were in favor of the establishment of the proposed veterinary hospital.

Rev. Charles Lathrop, representing the Church of the Advent, also addressed the Board, declaring that the notice had not been conspicuously posted as required by law, and that as the congregation of the Church of the Advent intended to build another structure immediately in the neigh-

borhood the veterinary hospital was opposed.

Motion Lost.

Supervisor Hayden moved reference of the above matter to the City Attorney for his opinion as to rights of the California Veterinary Hospital in the premises.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, McCarthy, Nolan, Vogelsang—8.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—9.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the foregoing Resolution was, on motion of Supervisor Caglieri, adopted as Resolution No. 9364 (New Series) by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Denial of Permits.

The following Resolution was, on motion of Supervisor Giannini, taken up out of order:

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following petitioners:

William Winter, to erect a boiler at premises No. 141 Albion street.

Geō. Uhrich, to erect and maintain a garage at premises situate at southeast corner of Golden Gate avenue and Divisadero street.

Privilege of the Floor.

S. J. Lazarus, attorney, representing George Uhrich, the petitioner, and J. L. Ayers, owner of the land on which former protests to construct garage at Golden Gate avenue and Divisadero street, was granted the privilege of the floor, and addressed the Board, declaring that the protest of property owners was a piece of spite-work exercised against the petitioner by some unfriendly neighbors. He declared that the establishment of a garage at the above location was an urgent necessity in the way of convenience for the district. He stated further that the building was to be one story brick, fire-proof and architecturally beautiful structure, and would in no way detract from the character of the neighborhood.

Charles Sweigert, attorney, representing protesting property owners, was also granted the privilege of the

floor, and stated that it was not within the discretion of the Board of Supervisors to change the character of the neighborhood in which it was proposed to establish the garage. He declared that the district was a strictly residential district, and that any business of the character proposed would have a depreciating effect on property values in the neighborhood, and would tend to increase fire hazard.

George Uhlrich, petitioner, denied that the notice of the application for the garage had been placed on a post so hidden by the tool-boxes of the United Railroads as to be inconspicuous, and so as not to afford the public notice required by law.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the foregoing Resolution was adopted as Journal Resolution No. 131 by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9365, Authorizing the following expenditures to be made out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Chas. E. Thomas Co., final payment, heating and ven-

tilating, Lincoln School (claim dated February 29, 1912)

\$2,125.00

McSheehy Bros., extra concrete and reinforcing, Peabody School (claim dated March 7, 1912).....

1,183.75

C. F. Weber & Co., desks, tables, etc., Lincoln School (claim dated February 26, 1912)

640.25

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Lange & Bergstrom, first payment, general contract Everett School Annex (claim dated March 6, 1912).....

\$2,235.00

San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Lange & Bergstrom, sixth payment, millwork, etc. (claim dated March 9, 1912)

\$5,875.00

Lange & Bergstrom, third payment, general masonry, power house and laundry (claim dated March 9, 1912)

3,762.75

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Wittman Lyman Co., fourth payment, plumbing, City and County Jail (claim dated November 29, 1911). \$4,050.00

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., tenth payment, Pumping Station No. 1 (claim dated March 13, 1912)....

\$34,351.09

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., final payment, intake tunnel, section "B" (claim dated March 13, 1912)....

9,735.55

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., fourth payment, division wall, Twin Peaks reservoir (claim dated March 13, 1912).....

3,965.74

General Fund 1911-12.

Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin County, California, maintenance of minors (claim dated March 1, 1912)

\$1,494.88

Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated January 31, 1912)

543.43

State of California (Preston School), maintenance of minors (claim dated March 11, 1912):.....

737.76

Western Lime and Cement Co., sand to Board of Public Works (claim dated March 4, 1912).....

1,393.75

Standard Underground Cable Co., cable, Department of Electricity (claim dated February 13, 1912).....	2,825.00
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated March 1, 1912).....	1,744.71
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated March 1, 1912).....	1,086.91
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated February 29, 1912).....	2,239.54
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, City and County Hospital (claim dated February 29, 1912)	1,111.97
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.	

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9366 (New Series), Providing the following sums to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to-wit:

Board of Public Works.

For construction of sewer in San Jose avenue, between Regent street and Liebig street; Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1904. . \$4,000.00

For constructing a basalt block pavement along Howard street, from Second street westerly, out of Street Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1904. 19,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following matters, laid over from last meeting, were taken up and again laid over one week:

Providing \$55,000 for the Construction and Equipment of the Starr King School.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the sum of \$55,000 to be expended out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the construction and equipment of the Starr King School, situate at Twenty-fifth and Utah streets; to be expended as follows, to-wit:

For the construction, supervision and inspection, \$52,500. To be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

For equipment, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Education, \$2,500.

Providing \$55,000 for the Construction and Equipment of the Le Conte School.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the sum of \$55,000 to be expended out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the construction and equipment of the Le Conte School, situate at Norwich, Alabama and Harrison streets; to be expended as follows, to-wit:

For the construction, supervision and inspection, \$52,500. To be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

For equipment, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Education, \$2,500.

Providing \$4500 for Plans and Specifications for Certain School Buildings.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Providing the sum of \$4,500 to be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, in the preparation of plans and specifications for certain school buildings.

Said school buildings to be designated by the Building Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Providing \$11,433.82 for the Construction of a Bridge on Harrison Street Across the Beale Street Cut.

Resolution No. 9367 (New Series), Providing the sum of eleven thousand four hundred and thirty-three dollars and eighty-two cents to be expended out of the item in the budget "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for construction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings", for the construction of the bridge on Harrison street across the Beale street cut; said amount to be reimbursed to the City by the State in the event of a favorable decision in suit instituted against the State Board of Harbor Commissioners by the City for this sum, it being the State's proportion of assessment levied for this improvement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Permits.

Resolution No. 9368 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits be granted, to wit:

Storage Tanks—

James V. Campbell, south side of Page street, 181 feet west of Cole street, capacity 1500 gallons.

G. G. Burnett Estate, northwest side of Market street, 300 feet northeast of Marshall Square.

Garages—

H. W. Denhard, north side of Post street, 106 feet east of Broderick street (provided a class "A" building be erected for this garage).

Cabinet Shop—

Butler & Bradshaw, 2056-58 Market street, electric power to be used.

Laundry—

Yee Jim, 3 Meacham place (this resolution to validate the transfer of ownership).

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9369 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That C. C. Moore and Company be and is hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after March 4, 1912, within which to complete their contract for the construction of Section "H" of the Pumping Station under contract No. 27, for the reason that it is the intention of the Board of Public Works to delay the final testing of the mechanical equipment until the tile floor and wainscoting have been set by another contractor.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Recommitted.

The following bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion *recommitted to Fire Committee*:

Construction of Garages.

Bill No. 2063, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Amending Ordinance No. 746 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the construction of buildings used as public automobile garages; regulating and providing for the storage and use of gasoline in public and private automobile garages; repealing Ordinance No. 33 (New Series), approved July 16, 1906," by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 13 1-2.

Stable Permits.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of the Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), to the following named to maintain a stable at the herein-after described locations, to wit:

R. H. Farmer, 1709 Mission street, for forty-four horses. Granted on condition that a galvanized iron partition be constructed at least twenty feet from the westerly line of the property abutting on the east of that to be built upon.

G. B. Magini, west line of Eighteenth avenue, 175 feet south of Anza street, for four horses.

Recommittal.

Supervisor Caglieri moved that permit of G. B. Magini be *recommitted to Health Committee*.

Motion carried.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the remainder of the above was *finally passed* as Resolution No. 9370 (New Series) by the following vote.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Licensing Circus and Open Air Exhibitions.

Bill No. 2064, Ordinance No. 1850 (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a license on every owner or lessee of a circus or open air exhibition."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up and *laid over one week*:

Extensions of Time.

Resolved. That the following extensions of time on public contracts be and the same are hereby granted, to wit:

To the Ralston Iron Works, thirty days from and after March 26, 1912, on its contract for completion of structural steel for Girls' High School, delays having been caused in the

shipment of materials from eastern mills.

To McSheehy Bros., ninety days from and after February 25, 1912, on their contract for completion of interior carpenter work in the Nurses' Home and ward buildings at San Francisco Hospital, delays caused by not being able to perform certain carpenter work until other contractors have finished; also remitting the advertising charges for printing this resolution.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2066, Ordinance No. 1851 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Army and Bryant streets; crossing of Anza street and Twenty-second avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2067, Ordinance No. 1852 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Arlington street and on Charles street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Bill No. 2068, Ordinance No. 1853 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Buena Vista avenue, between the second angle southeasterly from Congress street and the fourth angle northwesterly from said Congress street, and on Congress street, between Masonic and Buena Vista avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths on Montcalm Street, Between Alabama Street and Peralta Avenue.

Bill No. 2069, Ordinance No. 1854 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and forty-four, the provisions of which fix the width of side-

walks on Montcalm street, between Alabama street and Peralta avenue, at ten feet."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Ordering Sewer Work.

Bill No. 2070, Ordinance No. 1855 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in San José avenue, between Regent and Liebig streets, approving and adopting plans and specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the doing of said work at the estimated cost of four thousand (\$4000) dollars, out of the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, for the doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2071, Ordinance No. 1856 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the repaving with basalt blocks of the roadway of Howard street, from Second street westerly, in accordance with the specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works, authorizing an expenditure of nineteen thousand (\$19,000) dollars out of the proceeds of the sale of street bonds, issue of 1904, for the doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Traffic Ordinance.

Bill No. 1984, Ordinance No. 1857 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating moving travel and traffic upon the streets and other public places of the City and County of San Francisco and providing a punishment for any violation thereof, and, repealing orders Numbers 70 and 175 (Second Series) and Ordinance Numbers 65, 256, 723, 803, 807, 808, 809, 814, 825, 851, 887, 888, 898, 899, 902, 1088, 1132, 1359, 1367, 1369, 1380, 1517, and Ordinances Numbers 339, 575 and 649 (New Series)."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallag-

ner, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND AC-COUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$105,722.92 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 14,616 to 15,051, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee.*

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Stanley J. Fay, sewer construction, front of city property, Sanitary Reduction Works (claim dated March 1, 1912) \$ 690.20

San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Troy Laundry Machinery Co., first payment, laundry plant, (claim dated March 16, 1912) \$8,250.00

Columbia Marble Co., first payment, marble contract (claim dated March 18, 1912) 3,262.50

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Mechanical Dust Suction Co., vacuum cleaning, Adams School (claim dated March 18, 1912) \$ 973.75

Mechanical Dust Suction Co., vacuum cleaning, Peabody

School (claim dated March 18, 1912) 985.00

Mechanical Dust Suction Co., vacuum cleaning, Franklin School (claim dated March 18, 1912) 957.00

General Fund 1911-12.

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated March 1, 1912) \$1,265.34

The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated March 1, 1912) 626.63

St. Vincent de Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated February 29, 1912) 3,909.80

Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated February 29, 1912) 1,584.87

The De Lisle Realty Co., agents, rent of Municipal departments, Hewes Building, month of March (claim dated March 15, 1912) 1,703.00

City Street Improvement Co., full payment, paving, curbing, sewerage, etc., Kearny street from southerly line of California street to northerly line of Sacramento street except railroad company's right of way (claim dated March 6, 1912) 3,293.80

H. O. Harrison Co., overhauling and installing new material, Mayor's car (claim dated March 20, 1912) 600.00

Bion J. Arnold, services investigating and reporting on Street Railway System (claim dated March 14, 1912) 3,974.21

Pacific Gas & Electric Co., furnishing Tungsten lamps, Hall of Justice (claim dated March 8, 1912) 547.65

Whitcomb Estate by James Otis, trustee, rent for month of February, departments of Tax Collector, County Clerk and Assessor (claim dated March 13, 1912) 1,200.00

Herbert F. Dugan, drug sundries, City and County Hospital (claim dated March 4, 1912) 787.31

Peter Caubu, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated March 4, 1912) 999.05

Herbert F. Dugan, drug sundries, City and County Hospital (claim dated January 24, 1912) 902.69

The General Fire Proofing Company, metal filing cabin-

ets, Hall of Justice (claim dated March 6, 1912).....	675.00
R. A. Crothers, Bulletin, advertising (claim dated March 16, 1912)	591.48
Zellerbach Paper Co., clasp envelopes and printing (claim dated March 9, 1912).....	957.90
Neal Publishing Co., printing affidavits (claim dated March 15, 1912)	715.00
<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
W. W. Wymore, basalt blocks (claim dated March 4, 1912)	\$630.00
Bion J. Arnold, report on cars and other expert services (claim dated March 14, 1912)	1,177.50

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series, as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to-wit:

For repaving California street, from easterly line of Sansome street to easterly line of Battery street, in addition to \$4,000, appropriated by Resolution S299, new series; out of Budget item, "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."

\$500.00

For services rendered and to be rendered by Bion J. Arnold, traffic expert, in accordance with Resolution No. S725, new series; out of Budget item, "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."

3,000.00

For payment, period of one month, assistant in bacteriological division, Board of Public Health; out of appropriation for sanitary measures

100.00

For purchase of Pasteur serum, bacteriological division, Board of Public Health; out of appropriation for sanitary measures

300.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher—1.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Cancellation of Assessment on First Norwegian-Danish Methodist Church.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:

J. R. No. 132.

Whereas, The Assessor, in a written communication dated March 16, 1912, recommends that Tax Sale No. 210, for taxes for the year 1908, be cancelled for reasons set forth in said communication and the City Attorney has given his consent in writing to such cancellation; now, therefore,

Resolved, That Tax Sale No. 210 for taxes for the year 1908 on property assessed to Peter N. Melby and described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Seventeenth street, distant thereon one hundred and forty-five (145) feet westerly from the westerly line of Mission street; running thence westerly and along the said southerly line of Seventeenth street twenty-six (26) feet and six (6) inches; thence at right angles southerly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles easterly twenty-six (26) feet and six (6) inches; thence at right angles northerly one hundred (100) feet to the said southerly line of Seventeenth street and the point of commencement. Being a portion of Mission block number sixty-nine (69).

Be and the same is hereby ordered cancelled, and the Tax Collector, Auditor and Recorder is hereby directed to make such cancellation as provided by Sections 3805, 3805a and 3805b of the Political Code. Said cancellation is ordered for the reason that the property described was at the date of the assessment thereof owned by the First Norwegian-Danish Methodist Church and was used for religious purposes solely, and was therefore exempt from taxation.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Auditor to Correct Erroneous Assessment.

Also, J. R. No. 133.

Whereas, The Assessor, in written communication, filed March 14, 1912, requested that the hereinafter described corrections be made upon the Assessment Roll of 1911-12, as provided by Section 3804a of the Political Code of the State of California, and the written consent of the City Attorney having been given to the making of said corrections and filed March 14, 1912, in the office of the Board of Supervisors; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Auditor be and he is hereby directed and authorized to make the following corrections upon the Assessment Roll of 1911-12, in accordance with said Section 3804a of the

Political Code of the State of California, to-wit:

Erroneous Assessment, 1911.

Personal Property Roll, Volume 17, page 81, sub. 43, assessed to Charles Bonbrow for bark "Charmer". (This vessel was sold to parties in New York and is now registered there. The custom house records show the cancellation of registration by bill of sale dated May 7, 1910.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Oil, Garage, Engine, Boiler, Garage and Laundry Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

F. A. Hihl, northeast side of Steuart street, eighty-one feet nine inches south-east of Mission street; capacity 1500 gallons.

Scott & Van Arsdale, south corner of Mission and Mary streets; capacity 1500 gallons.

Selby Smelting & Lead Company, Tenny Place (formerly Tehama Place); capacity 1500 gallons.

The Kanzee Company, northeast corner of Turk and Franklin streets; capacity 1500 gallons.

Garage.

C. H. Brewster, 560 Fulton street.

Engine and Boiler.

D. Estacaille, 727 Irving street.

Laundry.

B. J. Peter, 1917 Bryant street.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. — Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

F. P. Lauterwasser, south side of Army street, 125 feet west of Guerrero street, for one horse.

J. Olden, southwest corner of Twenty-fifth avenue and Irving street, for two horses.

Garbage and Swill Wagons.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the character of vehicles to be used for the transportation of garbage, ashes or refuse or any description, and swill."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 134.

Resolved, That Portola Circle No. 78, U. A. O. D., is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at No. 2438 San Bruno avenue, April 20, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said ball are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Repealing Resolution No. 8362 (New Series), Providing \$40,000 for Sewers in Front of City Property.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 135.

Resolved, That Resolution No. 8362 (New Series), approved August 29, 1911, wherein and whereby the sum of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00) was set aside and appropriated out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to construct sewers in certain portions of Twenty-fifth, Vermont and Dolores streets, and in front of other city property, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Removal of Lumber and Curbs on Roadway and Sidewalk, Berry and Second Streets.

Also, J. R. No. 136.

Whereas, The roadway of Berry street between Second and Third streets, and the roadway and sidewalk of Second street from Townsend street to the water front are being used for the storage of lumber; and

Whereas, The said obstructions have existed for years, despite efforts to secure their removal; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to cause the removal of the lumber from said streets

and sidewalk forthwith, and also requested to grant no extensions of time; and be it

Further resolved, That the Board of Public Works is also requested to cause the removal of the curbs that were laid on the westerly side of Second street in front of the entrance to Berry street when said Second street was recently paved.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Board of Public Works to Estimate Cost of Grading San Bruno Avenue.

Also, J. R. No. 137.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to furnish an estimate of cost of grading the roadway of San Bruno avenue from Dwight street to the county line.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Board of Public Works to Recommend to Board of Supervisors the Paving of Certain Streets.

Also, J. R. No. 138.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby requested to recommend to the Board of Supervisors the ordering of the following street work, to-wit:

1. The paving of the roadway of Arguello boulevard (formerly First avenue) from Geary street to Balboa street (formerly B street).

2. The roadway of Greenwich street between Polk street and Van Ness avenue.

3. Crossing of the roadways of Church and Dorland streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Willett and Burr, assignees of Foster and Vogt, be and are hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after March 12, 1912, within which to complete the contract for street and other improvements in Beale street from Folsom to Bryant streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the work was delayed on account of protests and contemplated changes in the bridge.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9371 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Day street, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office March 15, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9372 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Santa Marina and Mission streets, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office March 15, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grades is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Board of Public Works to Remove Old Iron and Material from Main Street Between Folsom and Harrison Streets.

Also, J. R. No. 139.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to remove the old iron and material from the roadway and sidewalks of Main street between Folsom and Harrison streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Establishing Grades, Folsom Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2075, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Folsom street between the northerly line of Ripley street and the northerly line of Esmeralda avenue, and on Ripley street between a point 200 feet easterly from Folsom street and the easterly line of Shotwell street."

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2076, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Army street between Bryant and York streets, and Precita avenue between the westerly line of Florida street and the easterly line of York street."

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2077, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of San Bruno avenue between Silver avenue and Silliman street; Sadowa street between San Jose avenue and Plymouth avenue; intersection of Ashbury street and Clifford street; intersection of Fairmount and Academy streets; crossing of Seventeenth avenue and Clement street."

Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Action Deferred.

The following matters laid over from last meeting were taken up and on the request of his Honor the Mayor again *laid over one week*:

Leave of Absence, Employees of Bureau of Weights and Measures.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That this Board recommends to his Honor the Mayor that all employees of the Bureau of Weights and Measures be given a leave of absence, without pay, pending the appeal to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court declaring the creation of said Bureau to have been invalid; that such leave of absence be without prejudice to said employees to re-enter the service should such decision of the Superior Court be reversed.

Repealing Ordinance Creating Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures".

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY COMMITTEE.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gall-

agher, who moved the suspension of the rules and the adoption of the resolution:

City Attorney to Take Legal Proceedings to Prevent Transfer or Sale of Home Telephone Properties.

Whereas, the franchise or contract under which the telephone system commonly known as the Home Telephone system was installed and has been operated in the City and County of San Francisco contains certain provisions reading as follows:

Section 3, Paragraph 4. "That said grantee, his or its successors or assigns, shall not, without the consent of the City and County of San Francisco, evidenced by ordinance duly passed by the Board of Supervisors thereof, sell or transfer its property or any of the rights or privileges authorized or granted by said franchise to any person, company, combination, trust or corporation now engaged in the telephone business in the City and County of San Francisco."

And, Whereas, the corporation to which said franchise was granted is alleged to have made a transfer of all its physical properties and all its property except its corporate franchise and the franchise so granted to it by said City and County, without the consent of the Board of Supervisors of said City and County, and has thus disabled itself absolutely to render further public service of the character for which it was incorporated and for which said franchise was so granted, to the great and irreparable detriment and injury of the City and County of San Francisco and the residents thereof, and in entire violation and disregard of its said contract with the City and County of San Francisco; and

Whereas, said franchise was granted upon the express plea that it would provide, and for the express purpose of providing for the people of San Francisco a modern, up-to-date, automatic, secret and competitive telephone service, and at reduced rates; and

Whereas, said attempted transfer without the consent of this Board, and while its application for permission to make said transfer was actually pending and undetermined before this Board, is deemed by this Board to be in flagrant violation of said franchise and of the undoubted legal duty of said public service corporation to the public of San Francisco, and it is the official duty of this Board to protect the people of San Francisco against the further consummation of said unlawful transfer and to compel said corporation to continue to discharge its undoubted duty as such public service corporation under its solemn contract; therefore,

Resolved, By the Board of Super-

visors of the City and County of San Francisco that the City Attorney of said City and County be and he is hereby directed to take immediate legal proceedings to prevent all the parties to said attempted transfer from taking any further proceedings under color or by virtue thereof, and to procure a decree cancelling such proceedings as have already been taken in said matter and compelling said corporation to immediately resume, and thereafter regularly continue to provide for the people of the City and County of San Francisco an adequate telephone service of the character for which said franchise was granted, and as contemplated by the terms of said franchise, said legal proceedings to include such injunctions as may be necessary to prevent the dismantling or otherwise disabling of said Home Telephone system or the discontinuance of service thereby, and such other writs, processes and remedies as may be necessary to make these resolutions effectual according to the intent and purpose thereof.

Motion.

Supervisor Giannini moved *reference to Public Utilities Committee.*

Motion carried by following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher—1.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and on motion of Supervisor Murdock *referred to the Judiciary Committee:*

Supplies Committee to Have Charge of Repairs, etc., to City Vehicles.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Board of Supervisors that the Committee on Supplies has control and direction of all vehicles owned or rented by the City; and be it further

Resolved, That all repairs to vehicles and all other personal property belonging to the City be under the direction and control of the Committee on Supplies, and that the Superintendent of Supplies should be promptly notified of any repairs that may be required.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules, and *adopted:*

Relative to Construction of State Armory.

On motion of Supervisor McLeran:

J. R. No. 140.

Whereas, the State of California is

about to construct in San Francisco an armory, monumental in character; and

Whereas, the City of San Francisco has appointed John Galen Howard, Frederick H. Meyer and John Reed Jr., an architectural advisory committee to advise as to the design and general architectural features of the contemplated City Hall and Civic Center buildings; and

Whereas, it is most desirable to follow out, in the construction of all public buildings in San Francisco some general harmonic plan in their architectural features; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor suggest to the State Engineer the desirability of his consulting with the said architectural advisory committee to the end that the State armory be constructed along lines in general architectural harmony with the public buildings contemplated by the City of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Mayor to Sign Agreement for Disposal of Old Iron in Roadbed of Geary Street Municipal Railway.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

J. R. No. 141

Resolved, That the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to sign and execute in the name of the City and County of San Francisco and for its benefit an agreement with the Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railway Company, a corporation, whereby the City and County and its officers, contractors, employees or assigns may use, occupy and remove the roadbed, car rails, turntables and appurtenances of the said company on Geary street, and the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors is directed to affix to the aforesaid contract the seal of the City and County and to attest the same by his signature.

Said agreement as to its form and substance shall be approved by the Public Utilities Committee of this Board before its execution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Floral Decoration of Public Buildings.

Also, J. R. No. 142.

Whereas, in the campaign now in-

augurated for a San Francisco Beautiful, it is fitting that the public buildings of this municipality should be foremost in floral decoration; wherefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor and the Public Welfare Committee of this Board confer with the various commissions of the city government, to the end that the present City Hall and all other public buildings be decorated with flowering and evergreen plants wherever conditions permit of such adornment.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Relative to Exercises at Lotta's Fountain Commemorating Tetrizzini's Singing.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

Approved by the Board of Supervisors April 1, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisor of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

J. R. No. 143.

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors show its grateful and affectionate appreciation of the courtesy shown by Lotta Crabtree in permitting a bronze tablet to be placed on her fountain, which tablet commemorates Christmas eve, 1910, when Luisa Tetrizzini sang to 200,000 people gathered about Lotta's Fountain; be it further

Resolved, That this appreciation of Lotta's continued devotion to this City be expressed by forwarding to her this Resolution and the published accounts of the unveiling of the tablet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 6:15 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, APRIL 1, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, April 1, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journals of the meetings of March 20 and March 25, 1912, were read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Supervisor Bancroft moved the suspension of the rules for the consideration of the following matters:

Result of City Hall Civic Center Bond Election.

Communication—From the Registrar of Voters, submitting official statement of votes polled at Special Election held in the City and County of San Francisco on Thursday, the 28th day of March, A. D. 1912, for proposition to incur a bonded debt of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, for City Hall and Civic Center.

Presented and ordered filed.

Declaring Result of Bond Election for City Hall and Civic Center.

Whereupon, the following resolutions were introduced by Supervisor Bancroft under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Resolution No. 9373 (New Series):

Declaring the Result of the Bond Election Held On the 28th Day of March, 1912, for the Purpose of Authorizing the incurring of a Bonded Indebtedness to the Amount of Eight Million

Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars By the City and County of San Francisco, for the Acquisition, Construction, Completion and Equipment By the City and County of San Francisco of a Permanent Building or Buildings and Improvements to be Used By the City and County of San Francisco for a City Hall, and the Acquisition of the Necessary Lands Therefor and for Grounds and Lands Adjacent Thereto for the Purpose of Creating a Civic Center.

Whereas, Pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 1797 (New Series), calling a special election, and Ordinance No. 1820 (New Series), giving notice of the same, a special election was held in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, on the 28th day of March, 1912, whereat was submitted to and determined by the qualified electors of said City and County a proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness of said City and County to the amount of eight million eight hundred thousand dollars for the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building or buildings and improvements to be used by the City and County of San Francisco as a city hall, and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a civic center; and

Whereas, said election was held and conducted in form and manner and in every respect as required by law and the returns thereof canvassed and the result thereof determined and declared as required by law; and

Whereas, the Board of Election Commissioners of said City and County has filed in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors its certificate showing the facts above recited and setting forth in detail the total number of votes cast as such election and the number of votes cast and counted for and against the aforesaid proposition thereat submitted; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors as follows:

1. It is hereby declared, that the special election held on the 28th day of March, 1912, for the purpose of authorizing the incurring of a bonded indebtedness by the City and County of San Francisco to the amount of eight million eight hundred thousand dollars for the purposes set forth in the hereinbefore stated proposition, was held and conducted and the votes cast and counted thereat and the returns thereof made and the result thereof determined and declared in all respects and in time, form and manner as required by the laws of the State of California, and the charter and ordinances of the City and County of San Francisco;

2. It is hereby declared that the total number of votes cast at said special election was 49,498.

3. It is hereby declared that of the votes so cast 45,129 votes were cast and counted in favor of, and 4,035 votes were cast and counted as not in favor of the hereinbefore stated proposition.

4. It is hereby declared and determined that more than two-thirds of the votes cast at said special election were cast and counted as in favor of the proposition thereat submitted and to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness by the City and County to the amount of and for the purpose set forth in the proposition herein enumerated.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

City Attorney to Commence Proceeding to Condemn Land Required for City Hall and Civic Center.

Resolution No. 9374 (New Series). as follows:

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, that the immediate acquisition of the lands hereinafter described, is an imperative necessity for the purpose of erecting thereon permanent municipal buildings and improvements, and for grounds adjacent thereto for public purposes, and that the public interest demands such acquisition by the City and County.

That the lands so required for public use are described as follows:

1. All that certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land bounded on the north by Grove street, on the east by Larkin street, on the south by Hayes street and on the west by Polk street, the same being all of Western Addition Block No. 2.

2. All that certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land bounded on the north

by Birch street, on the east by Larkin street, on the south by Grove street and on the west by Polk street, the same being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3; also, that certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land bounded on the north by Fulton street, on the east by Larkin street, on the south by Birch street and on the west by Polk street, the same being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3.

3. All that certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land bounded on the north by Ash street, on the west by Larkin street, on the south by Fulton street and on the east by Polk street, the same being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4; also, that certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land bounded on the north by McAllister street, on the east by Larkin street, on the south by Ash street, and on the west by Polk street, the same being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4.

4. That certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land bounded on the north by Redwood street, on the east by Larkin street, on the south by McAllister street, and on the west by Polk street, the same being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5; also, that certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land bounded on the north by Golden Gate avenue, on the east by Larkin street, on the south by Redwood street, and on the west by Polk street, the same being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5.

5. All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land commencing at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Larkin street with the northerly line of McAllister, and running thence easterly along said northerly line of McAllister street 87 feet 6 inches, thence at a right angle northerly 87 feet 6 inches, thence at a right angle westerly 87 feet 6 inches to the said easterly line of Larkin street, thence at a right angle southerly along said easterly line of Larkin street 87 feet 6 inches to the said northerly line of McAllister street and the point of commencement, the same being a portion of 50 Vara Lot No. 1433 in 50 Vara Block No. 316.

6. All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of McAllister street with the westerly line of Polk street and running thence northerly along said westerly line of Polk street 120 feet to the southerly line of Redwood street, thence at a right angle westerly, along said southerly line of Redwood street 137 feet 6 inches, thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line

of McAllister street, and thence at a right angle easterly along said northerly line of McAllister street 137 feet 6 inches to the said westerly line of Polk street and the point of beginning, the same being Lot No. 1 in Western Addition Block No. 65.

7. All that certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land bounded on the north by McAllister street, on the east by Polk street, on the south by Ash street, and on the west by Van Ness avenue, the same being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66; also, all that certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land, bounded on the north by Ash street, on the east by Polk street, on the south by Fulton street and on the west by Van Ness avenue, the same being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

8. All that certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land bounded on the north by Fulton street, on the west by Polk street, on the south by Grove street, and on the west by Van Ness avenue, the same being Western Addition Block No. 67.

9. All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Grove street with the westerly line of Polk street, running thence westerly along said southerly line of Grove street 110 feet 9½ inches, thence at a right angle southerly 137 feet 6 inches to the northerly line of Ivy street, thence at a right angle easterly along said northerly line of Ivy street 110 feet 9½ inches to the said westerly line of Polk street, thence at a right angle northerly along said westerly line of Polk street 137 feet 6 inches to the said southerly line of Grove street and the point of commencement, the same being a portion of Lot No. 6, Western Addition Block No. 68.

Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Larkin street, distant thereon 90 feet 6½ inches northerly from the northerly line of Hayes street (which said point is also distant thereon 123 feet 3 inches southerly from the southeasterly line of City Hall avenue, and which said point is also perpendicularly distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Market street) and running thence northeasterly and parallel with the northwesterly line of Market street 280 feet 1¾ inches to a point which is also distant perpendicularly 115 feet southwestwardly from the southwestwardly line of Marshall square, thence easterly and parallel to the southerly line of Grove street, if extended easterly to a point perpendicularly distant 50 feet from the southwestwardly line of Marshall square,

thence at an angle southeasterly and running parallel to the said southwestwardly line of Marshall square to a point on the northwesterly line of Market street, distant thereon 50 feet southwestwardly from the southwestwardly line of Marshall square, thence northeasterly 50 feet to the said southwestwardly line of Marshall square, thence at a right angle northwesterly along said southwestwardly line of Marshall square 200 feet to the southeasterly line of City Hall avenue, thence at a right angle southwestwardly along said southeasterly line of City Hall avenue 323 feet, 1½ inches to the said easterly line of Larkin street, thence at an angle southerly along said easterly line of Larkin street 123 feet 3 inches to the point of beginning, the same being City Hall lots Nos. 69, 70, 71, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92 and 96, and portions of City Hall lots Nos. 73, 75 and 77.

10. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of City Hall avenue with the northeasterly line of Marshall square and running thence northeasterly along said southeasterly line of City Hall avenue to a point where the easterly line of Leavenworth street, if extended southerly would intersect said southeasterly line of City Hall avenue, thence southerly along the extended easterly line of Leavenworth street to a point on said extended line 85 feet northerly from the point of intersection of said line with the northwesterly line of Market street, thence at a right angle easterly and parallel with the southerly line of McAllister street to the northwesterly line of Market street, thence southwestwardly along said northwesterly line of Market street 300 feet, thence westerly and parallel with the southerly line of McAllister street to a point perpendicularly distant 100 feet from said northwesterly line of Market street, thence southwestwardly and parallel with the southeasterly line of City Hall avenue 161 feet, thence southerly and parallel with the easterly line of Hyde street, if extended southerly to a point perpendicularly distant 50 feet from the northeasterly line of Marshall square, thence southeasterly and parallel with said northeasterly line of Marshall square to the northwesterly line of Market street, thence southwestwardly along said northwesterly line of Market street 50 feet to the said northeasterly line of Marshall square; thence northwesterly and along said northeasterly line of Marshall square 200 feet to the said southeasterly line of commencement, the same being all of City Hall Lots Nos. 24, 25, 26, 27, of said City Hall avenue and the point

28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 65, 66, 67 and 68, and portions of City Hall Lots Nos. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51 and 63.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to forthwith institute in the Superior Court of the State of California condemnation proceedings against the owners of, and all persons having an interest in, the lands herein described, for the purpose of acquiring a title in fee of such described lands for the City and County of San Francisco for the public uses herein set forth.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

HEARING OF PROTEST AGAINST CLOSING NORTHERLY PORTION OF TURK STREET, BETWEEN MASONIC AND PARKER AVENUES.

The following matter laid over from last meeting was taken up:

Closing and Abandoning a Portion of Turk Street, Between Masonic Avenue and Parker Avenue.

Resolution No. — (New Series), closing and abandoning a portion of Turk street, between Masonic avenue and Parker avenue.

Whereas, this Board has by Resolution No. 8966 (New Series), declared its intention of closing and abandoning that portion of Turk street in the City and County of San Francisco, herein-after more particularly described, which said resolution specified the exterior boundaries of the district of lands to be affected or benefited by said work or improvement and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof; and

Whereas, notice of said resolution of said proposed closing and abandonment of said portion of Turk street was duly given by the Board of Public Works of this City and County by posting and publication in the manner and for the time specified in Section 3 of Chapter 3 of Article 6 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California; and

Whereas, certain protests against the closing of said portion of said street were filed in the office of the clerk on the 6th day of November, 1911, and the 11th day of December, 1911, respectively, and the protestants herein having been duly heard on Monday afternoon, March 11, 1912, pursuant to the provisions of Resolution No. 9112 (New Series), fixing the time for such hearing, and after continuances thereafter duly taken from said day and

Whereas, this Board after having heard said protestants and after having duly considered their several grounds of protest, do hereby overrule the objections of said protestants; and,

Whereas, the proposed work is for the closing up of a portion of said Turk street, and it appears to this Board that no assessment is necessary therefor; and

Whereas, it is the opinion of this Board that public interest and convenience require the closing and abandonment of that portion of Turk street between Masonic avenue and Parker avenue hereinafter described; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the closing and abandonment of that portion of Turk street between the points indicated herein-after described, be and the same is hereby ordered, and said portion of Turk street between Masonic avenue and Parker avenue in the City and County of San Francisco and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point formed by the intersection of the present northerly line of Turk street with the westerly line of Masonic avenue; running thence westerly along said present northerly line of Turk street to the easterly line of Parker avenue; thence at a right angle southerly thirty-one (31) feet and three (3) inches to a point in the present roadbed of Turk street sixty-eight (68) feet and nine (9) inches northerly from the southerly line of Turk street; thence at a right angle easterly to the westerly line of Masonic avenue; thence at a right angle northerly thirty-one (31) feet and three (3) inches to the present northerly line of Turk street and point of commencement, be and the same is hereby closed and abandoned as a public street.

Privilege of the Floor.

Garret McEnerney, attorney representing the Roman Catholic Archbishop, was granted the privilege of the floor and stated that he rested his claim on the validity of the action of the Board of Supervisors in closing the northerly portion of Turk street on the ground that the fee to the land was in the Roman Catholic Archbishop who held it in trust as a corporation sole for his people; he added also that if the street was closed as requested that the Roman Catholic Archbishop would unite with other property owners in grading and paving Turk street from Masonic to Parker avenue.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken the above Resolution was on motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher adopted as Resolution No. 9375

(New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Koshland—1.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Department of Elections Permitted to Use Supervisors' Chambers.

The following matters were presented under suspension of the rules and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From the Department of Elections, requesting use of Supervisors' chambers for purpose of counting votes.

Also, J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the use of the Assembly Chambers of the Board of Supervisors and the galleries thereof in the temporary City Hall, may be used by the Board of Election Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of making the official canvass of elections held in said City and County subject to the suspension of such official canvass during the afternoon of any day upon which the Board of Supervisors shall hold a regular meeting or a special meeting in said Assembly Chambers. And that said Board of Election Commissioners be notified of the adoption of this Resolution, and the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors is directed to furnish the use of said Assembly Chambers in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution at the time or times when it may be required for such an official canvass of an election.

Adopted, as Journal Resolution No. 159, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Leave of Absence, Civil Service Commissioner B. B. Rosenthal.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From B. B. Rosenthal, Civil Service Commissioner, requesting a ten-day leave of absence from the State from and after April 3, 1912, together with recommendation of his Honor the Mayor recommending that request be granted.

Whereupon, the following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

J. R. No. 144.

Resolved, That B. B. Rosenthal, Civil Service Commissioner, be and is hereby granted leave of absence from the State for a period of ten days from April 3, 1912, in accordance with

recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed in this office April 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Publicity and Interurban Relations Committee—J. Emmett Hayden, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Report of Public Utilities Committee.

The following report was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, Cal., April 1, 1912.
To the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco:

Your Public Utilities Committee, having had under consideration the opinion of the City Attorney, filed with the Clerk of this Board on the 29th day of March last, concerning the alleged transfer of the physical properties of the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, recommends the adoption, by the Board, of a Resolution directing the City Attorney to commence (1) an action against the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company by proceedings *quo warranto*; (2) and to commence an action jointly against the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company and the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, to set aside the alleged transfer; and (3) to commence an action against the said Bay Cities Home Telephone Company to recover the amount of its bond given to secure the performance of all the terms of its contract;

Your Committee also recommends the adoption of a Resolution, submitted herewith, denying the petition of said Bay Cities Home Telephone Company to sell its physical properties to said Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company;

Your Committee further recommends that the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco by official communication demand the immediate performance by the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company of all the terms and conditions of its franchise.

Respectfully submitted.

PAUL BANCROFT,
GEO. E. GALLAGHER,
ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG,
D. CAGLIERI,
BYRON MAUZY,

Public Utilities Committee.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted by the following vote:

City Attorney to Commence Action Against Home Telephone and Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Companies.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:
J. R. No. 145.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be, and he is hereby instructed to immediately commence:

(1) An action against the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company by proceedings *quo warranto*, to oust said company from its enjoyment, in any respect, of the properties installed in the public streets of the City and County of San Francisco, or otherwise, by the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company;

(2) An action jointly against the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company, and the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company to set aside the pretended transfer of physical properties of the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company to said Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, under date of March 16th, 1912;

(3) An action against the said Bay Cities Home Telephone Company, and its bondsmen, to recover, for the use and benefit of the City and County of San Francisco, the sum of \$250,000.00, the amount of said bond given by said Bay Cities Home Telephone Company, or its predecessors, to secure the due performance of each and every term and condition of its franchise. Be it further

Resolved, That said City Attorney be, and he is hereby instructed to use all proper and lawful methods to restrain and prevent a consummation of the said pretended transfer.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Denying Permission for Home Telephone Merger.

Also, J. R. No. 146.

Whereas, on the 15th day of January, 1912, the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company filed with this Board its petition for leave to sell its physical properties to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, said petition being based upon the terms of the franchise granted to said company by this Board on October 3rd, 1906; and

Whereas, on or about the 16th day of March, 1912, and while the said petition was still under consideration by your Committee, said Bay Cities Home Telephone Company, without notice, and in the face of the plain terms of its franchise, made and recorded a transfer of all its physical properties to said Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, without the consent or approval of this Board; and

Whereas, this Board is advised by the City Attorney that said transfer by said Bay Cities Home Telephone Company is contrary to law and in violation of the terms of its franchise; be it

Resolved, That the petition of said Bay Cities Home Telephone Company for leave to sell its physical properties to said Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company be and the same is hereby denied.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Mayor to Demand that the Home Telephone Company Carry Out the Conditions of its Franchise.

Also, J. R. No. 147

Whereas, On or about the 3rd day of October, 1906, the People of the City and County of San Francisco granted to the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, a corporation, a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a telephone system, in said City and County, and to construct, maintain and operate, through and along, under and in the public streets, alleys and highways, of said City and County, poles, wires, cables, underground conduits and other appliances for the purpose of transmitting sounds, signals and conversations by means of electricity, or otherwise; and

Whereas, Said Home Telephone Com-

pany filed with the Board a bond in the sum of \$250,000.00 to secure the due performance of each and every term and condition of said franchise, running to said City and County of San Francisco; and

Whereas, On or about the 16th day of March, 1912, without the consent or approval of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, said Home Telephone Company, in violation of the terms of its franchise aforesaid, conveyed all of its physical property, in the City and County of San Francisco, to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, and ever since that date has declined and failed to perform the conditions imposed in said contract, and has declined and failed to give service in said City and County of San Francisco; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, by official communication, drafted by the City Attorney, attested by the Clerk of this Board, demand of said Home Telephone Company that it immediately perform the terms of its franchise, and proceed forthwith to give service to the people of the City and County of San Francisco and to its subscribers in said City and County.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLernan, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Relative to the Unemployed.

The Public Welfare Committee reported at length on hearings held in the matter of the unemployed and detailed meetings in the Mayor's office and Board of Supervisors' rooms with committees of the unemployed. It was found no appropriation could be made from city funds as requested by the Committee and the following addenda to the report of the Public Welfare Committee was adopted:

The Board of Supervisors, charged with the public welfare, is making every effort within its power to secure employment for those who need it. It endorses the work of the Co-operative Bureau of Employment at 335 Main street, which seeks permanent or temporary work for those registering and furnishes meals and lodgings in return for an equivalent amount of work to those who are homeless and in need. To men with families groceries and supplies are given for work performed. This enables the unemployed to maintain their self-respect through earning the little that provides for temporary wants while remunerative employment is being found.

All citizens are urged to join in this

effort to help the worthy unemployed by using and by sustaining this employment bureau. Men can be secured for any kind of work either in the business house or around the home. It is especially urged that all owners of lots at once remove all debris, that all evidence of the fire be obliterated, and flowers may make beautiful all unsightly spots.

This plan of relief is submitted to the public as an opportunity of genuine helpfulness, capable of wide extension that apparently may be made adequate to any demand.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9376 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Stanley J. Fay, sewer construction, front of city property. Sanitary Reduction Works (claim dated March 1, 1912) .. \$ 690.20

San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Troy Laundry Machinery Co., first payment, laundry plant, (claim dated March 16, 1912) .. \$8,250.00

Columbia Marble Co., first payment, marble contract (claim dated March 18, 1912) .. 3,262.50

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Mechanical Dust Suction Co., vacuum cleaning, Adams School (claim dated March 18, 1912) .. \$ 973.75

Mechanical Dust Suction Co., vacuum cleaning, Peabody School (claim dated March 18, 1912) .. 985.00

Mechanical Dust Suction Co., vacuum cleaning, Franklin School (claim dated March 18, 1912) .. 957.00

General Fund 1911-12.
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated March 1, 1912) \$1,265.34

The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated March 1, 1912) .. 626.63

St. Vincent de Paul Society,

maintenance of minors (claim dated February 29, 1912)	3,909.80	and other expert services (claim dated March 14, 1912)	1,177.50
Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated February 29, 1912)	1,584.87	Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.	
The De Lisle Realty Co., agents, rent of Municipal departments, Hewes Building, month of March (claim dated March 15, 1912)	1,703.00	Appropriations.	
City Street Improvement Co., full payment, paving, curbing, sewerage, etc., Kearny street from southerly line of California street to northerly line of Sacramento street except railroad company's right of way (claim dated March 6, 1912)	3,293.80	Resolution No. 9377 (New Series), as follows:	
H. O. Harrison Co., overhauling and installing new material, Mayor's car (claim dated March 20, 1912)	600.00	Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to-wit:	
Bion J. Arnold, services investigating and reporting on Street Railway System (claim dated March 14, 1912)	3,974.21	For repaving California street, from easterly line of Sansome street to easterly line of Battery street, in addition to \$4,000, appropriated by Resolution 8299, new series; out of Budget item, "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."	\$500.00
Pacific Gas & Electric Co., furnishing Tungsten lamps, Hall of Justice (claim dated March 8, 1912)	547.65	For services rendered and to be rendered by Bion J. Arnold, traffic expert, in accordance with Resolution No. 8725, new series; out of Budget item, "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."	3,000.00
Whitcomb Estate by James Otis, trustee, rent for month of February, departments of Tax Collector, County Clerk and Assessor (claim dated March 13, 1912)	1,200.00	For payment, period of one month, assistant in bacteriological division, Board of Public Health; out of appropriation for sanitary measures	100.00
Herbert F. Dugan, drug sundries, City and County Hospital (claim dated March 4, 1912)	787.31	For purchase of Pasteur serum, bacteriological division, Board of Public Health; out of appropriation for sanitary measures	300.00
Peter Caubu, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated March 4, 1912)	999.05	Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.	
Herbert F. Dugan, drug sundries, City and County Hospital (claim dated January 24, 1912)	902.69	(Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher voted No on the last item and Aye on the remainder of the Resolution.)	
The General Fire Proofing Company, metal filing cabinets, Hall of Justice (claim dated March 6, 1912)	675.00	Providing \$55,000 for the Construction and Equipment of the Starr King School.	
R. A. Crothers, Bulletin, advertising (claim dated March 16, 1912)	591.48	Resolution No. 9378 (New Series), Providing the sum of \$55,000 to be expended out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the construction and equipment of the Starr King School, situate at Twenty-fifth and Utah streets; to be expended as follows, to-wit:	
Zellerbach Paper Co., clasp envelopes and printing (claim dated March 9, 1912)	957.90	For the construction, supervision and inspection, \$52,500. To be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.	
Neal Publishing Co., printing affidavits (claim dated March 15, 1912)	715.00		
Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.			
W. W. Wymore, basalt blocks (claim dated March 4, 1912)	\$630.00		
Bion J. Arnold, report on cars			

For equipment, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Education, \$2,500.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$55,000 for the Construction and Equipment of the Le Conte School.

Resolution No. 9379 (New Series), Providing the sum of \$55,000 to be expended out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the construction and equipment of the Le Conte School, situate at Norwich, Alabama and Harrison streets; to be expended as follows, to-wit:

For the construction, supervision and inspection, \$52,500. To be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

For equipment, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Education, \$2,500.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$4500 for Plans and Specifications for Certain School Buildings.

Resolution No. 9380 (New Series), Providing the sum of \$4,500 to be expended under the supervision of the Board of Public Works out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, in the preparation of plans and specifications for certain school buildings.

Said school buildings to be designated by the Building Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Oil, Garage, Engine, Boiler, Garage and Laundry Permits.

Resolution No. 9381 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

F. A. Hihl, northeast side of Steuart street, eighty-one feet nine inches southeast of Mission street; capacity 1500 gallons.

Scott & Van Arsdale, south corner of Mission and Mary streets; capacity 1500 gallons.

Selby Smelting & Lead Company, Tenny Place (formerly Tehama Place); capacity 1500 gallons.

The Kanzee Company, northeast corner of Turk and Franklin streets; capacity 1500 gallons.

Garage.

C. H. Brewster, 560 Fulton street.

Engine and Boiler.

D. Estacalle, 727 Irving street.

Laundry.

B. J. Peter, 1917 Bryant street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9382, Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

F. P. Lauterwasser, south side of Army street, 125 feet west of Guerrero street, for one horse.

J. Olden, southwest corner of Twenty-fifth avenue and Irving street, for two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

(The last item was subsequently reconsidered and recommitted to the Health Committee on motion of Supervisor Caglieri.)

Garbage and Swill Wagons.

Bill No. 2073, Ordinance No. 1858 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the character of vehicles to be used for the transportation of garbage, ashes or refuse or any description, and swill."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9383 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following extensions of time on public contracts be and the same are hereby granted, to wit:

To McSheehy Bros., ninety days from and after February 25, 1912, on their contract for completion of interior carpenter work in the Nurses' Home and ward buildings at San Francisco Hospital, delays caused by not being able to perform certain carpenter work until other contractors have finished; also remitting the advertising charges for printing this resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9384 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Willett and Burr, assignees of Foster and Vogt, be and are hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after March 12, 1912, within which to complete the contract for street and other improvements in Beale street from Folsom to Bryant streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the work was delayed on account of protests and contemplated changes in the bridge.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Establishing Grades, Folsom Street.

Bill No. 2075, Ordinance No. 1859 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Folsom street between the northerly line of Ripley street and the northerly line of Esmeralda avenue, and on Ripley street between a point 200 feet easterly from Folsom street and the easterly line of Shotwell street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2076, Ordinance No. 1860 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Army street between Bryant and York streets, and Precita avenue between the westerly line of Florida street and the easterly line of York street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2077, Ordinance No. 1861 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of San Bruno avenue between Silver avenue and Silliman street; Sadowa street between San Jose avenue and Plymouth avenue; intersection of Ashbury street and Clifford street; in-

tersection of Fairmount and Academy streets; crossing of Seventeenth avenue and Clement street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Amended Specifications for Track Construction of Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Bill No. 2974, Ordinance No. 1862 (New Series), Approving certain specifications (as amended) for the track construction of the Geary Street Railway and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into a contract for such construction according to such specifications as amended.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Public Works having submitted Specifications No. 7289 for the track construction of the Geary Street Railway, which specifications contain amendments to the specifications for said work heretofore adopted by this Board, it is hereby ordered that the specifications as amended be and they are hereby approved and adopted, and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for doing said work according to such amended specifications.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$55,600.31 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 15,060 to 15,312, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,

Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.
Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

General Fund 1911-12.

Phillips & Van Orden Co., printing supplement to Great Register (claim dated March 20, 1912)....	\$1,602.89
R. A. Crothers, advertising, Bulletin, (claim dated March 23, 1912)	1,095.60
R. A. Crothers, advertising, Bulletin (claim dated March 23, 1912)	1,088.40
Neal Publishing Co., publishing Municipal Reports 1910-11 (claim dated March 22, 1912)	1,017.45
Neal Publishing Co., publishing Municipal Reports 1910-11 (claim dated March 22, 1912)	1,923.55
Spring Valley Water Co., water supplied public buildings, month of March, 1912. (claim dated March 26, 1912)	1,666.66
L. Scatena & Co., vegetables, Relief Home, (claim dated February 29, 1912)	521.70
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, City and County Hospital, claim dated February 29, 1912)	852.57
R. A. Crothers, advertising, Bulletin, (claim dated March 23, 1912)	1,072.02
<i>San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Roebbing Con. Co., 7th payment, partitions and furring, San Francisco Hospital, (claim dated March 25, 1912)	\$5,308.50
Robert Dalziel, Jr., 3rd payment, boiler and boiler room, San Francisco Hospital, (claim dated March 26, 1912)	7,333.50
<i>Street Work Front of City Property, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.</i>	
City Street Improvement Co., Dolores street, Dorland to Twentieth streets, full payment, (claim dated March	

21, 1912) \$9,520.24

Garbage Incinerator Plants, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

The Destructor Company, 1st payment, Contract No. 1, Garbage Disposal. (claim dated March 26, 1912)....

\$5,242.50

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1908.

J. H. Dockweiler, for preparation of data on investigation of water supply sources for submission to Board of U. S. Army Engineers (claim dated March 29, 1912)

\$600.00

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908:

Westdahl-Hennessey Co., Assignee of John W. Flinn, final payment on estimated contract, Beale street sewer, (claim dated March 23, 1912)

\$1,387.22

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Mangrum & Otter, full payment, section "C," Pumping Station No. 1, (claim dated March 22nd, 1912)...

\$6,106.13

Selby Smelting & Lead Co., full payment, Lead to Municipal Pipe Yard. (claim dated March 22, 1912)....

12,636.23

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Wm. Bateman, 4th payment, interior finish, City and County Jail, (claim dated March 19, 1912)

\$6,501.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

J. P. Doherty, final payment, plumbing, Adams School, (claim dated August 24, 1911)

\$ 818.75

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland & Co., repaving over side sewer trenches, February, 1912, (claim dated March 8, 1912)

\$1,259.70

Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, 1904.

Flinn & Treacy, in full of estimated cost, paving, etc., in front of McKinley School, (claim dated March 12, 1912).....

\$ 1,646.00

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following sums be and they are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter funds

for the following purposes, to-wit:

For resurveys, Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, computations, compilations and mapping of Market Street Homestead, for month of April, 1912; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." account \$1,000.00

For continuing investigation of water supply required by the Secretary of the Interior, under direction of the City Attorney; out of Water Construction Fund, bond issue July 1st, 1910..... 4,000.00

For furnishing and equipping auto pound wagon and manning same for the month of April, 1912, for impounding stray dogs; out of item "for continuance of sanitary measures" 600.00

To cover deficit in appropriation heretofore made for the construction of Burnett Primary School; out of Public Building Fund, School Construction Account, bond issue 1908 100.00

Action Deferred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor McCarthy and on motion *laid over one week*:

Providing \$60,000 to Enable Board of Public Works to Repave and Repair Streets During April, 1912.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of sixty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the item in the budget "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for construction of and repairs to sewers and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings", to enable the Board of Public Works to pave and repair streets during the month of April, 1912, at such places and in such manner as may be agreed upon by the Committee on Streets and Sewers of this Board, and the Board of Public Works.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Providing \$1,000 to Enable Board of Public Works to Construct Sewer in Harlan Place.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$1,000.00 be and the same is hereby set aside,

appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to construct sewer in Harlan place, running westerly from Grant avenue, between Sutter and Bush streets, as per communication from the Board of Public Works filed in this office March 23, 1912.

Authorizing Appointment of Employees in Coroner's Office.

Also, Bill No. 2078, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the appointment of six additional deputies and employees by the Coroner, fixing and providing for their compensation and repealing all other ordinances authorizing the appointment of additional deputies and employees by the Coroner."

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Denying Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: J. R. No. 148.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following petitioners, to wit:

A. Merrifield, to erect and maintain a rock crusher in premises at Fourteenth avenue, between Noriega and Ortega streets.

J. P. Mirassou, to erect and maintain a laundry and install a boiler in premises No. 3031 Twenty-second street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Boilers and Laundry Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are granted:

Boilers.

Sarthou & Betheder, No. 1558 Bush street, fifteen horse power, for laundry purposes.

Gragnano Macaroni Factory, No. 823 Valencia street, four horse power, for heating purposes.

Laundry.

Woo Sing, southeast side of Minna street, 355 feet northeast of Fourth street.

Construction of Garages.

Also, Bill No. 2063, Ordinance No. —. (New Series), entitled, "Amend-

ing Ordinance No. 746 (New Series), entitled 'Regulating the construction of buildings used as public automobile garages; regulating and providing for the storage and use of gasoline in public and private automobile garages; repealing Ordinance No. 33 (New Series), approved July 16, 1906,' by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 13½."

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 149.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, the following petition is hereby denied:

Foley and Hartman, for a stable permit for six horses at 686 Valencia street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Mayor Authorized to Lease Playground Lands at Seventh and Bryant Streets.

J. R. No. 150.

Whereas, a petition was filed by Hugo D. Newhouse, representing the Western Transfer Company, C. B. Rode & Company and W. P. Fuller & Company, lessees of city property located on and being part of the Children's Playgrounds at Bryant and Seventh streets, for the renewal of leases for a period of one year from July 1, 1912, in accordance with the rentals and terms now existing; and

Whereas, the Playground Commission, by communication has recommended that said extension of leases be granted; therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and requested to enter into leases with said Western Transfer Company, C. B. Rode & Company and W. P. Fuller & Company for an extension of their respective leases upon the above mentioned properties for a period of one year from July 1, 1912, and under the same terms of rentals and conditions appearing in existing leases held by them and expiring July 1, 1912; it being specifically understood that options for renewals of these leases shall not be granted nor made a part of said leases.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 151.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas & Electric Company be and is hereby directed to install a triple top gas lamp in front of the St. John's German Methodist Episcopal Church, on Army street between Dolores and Guerrero streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Wild West and Circus Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 152.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to give an exhibition at Twelfth and Market streets, at the times hereinafter set forth, upon payment of the license fee required by Section 3 of Ordinance No. 1850 (New Series):

Miller Brothers and Arlington "701" Ranch Real Wild West, April 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, 1912, with two side shows.

Sells Floto Shows, May 2, 3, 4 and 5, 1912, with one side show.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Masquerade Ball Permits.

Also, J. R. No. 153.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the time and locations hereinafter set forth without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to wit:

Washington Circle, A. O. F., at K. of P. Hall, 115 Valencia street, April 13, 1912.

Companion Court, Yerba Buena No. 345, I. O. F., at Mission Hall, Twenty-first and Mission streets, April 16, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Clerk to Advertise for Printing City Hall and Civic Center Bonds.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. 154.

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to advertise that sealed proposals will be received by this Board on Monday.

April 22, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the printing of the City Hall bonds according to specifications to be prepared by the Committee on Supplies.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Award of Contract, Official Advertising, Daily Journal of Commerce.

Resolution No. 9385 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contract for doing official advertising for the City and County of San Francisco for one year from April 1, 1912, to and including April 1, 1913, in a daily newspaper in the City and County of San Francisco which has a *bona fide* daily circulation of at least 8000 copies and has been in existence at the time of letting such contract for at least two years, and to deliver daily to the office of the Board of Supervisors and to any other office or department of the City and County authorized to advertise, as many copies of the "official newspaper", not to exceed one hundred and fifty, as may be directed by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, and must also deliver as directed by said Clerk at least ten and not to exceed one hundred and twenty-five copies or slips of all orders, ordinances, resolutions or notices, published by order of the Board of Supervisors, or by any other department or officer of the municipal government authorized or permitted to advertise in said "Official Newspaper"; also deliver at least one hundred copies of all resolutions, orders, ordinances or notices published by order of any of the offices or departments of the City and County (other than the Board of Supervisors) to such office or department causing said publication in strict accordance with the specifications and the advertisement inviting proposals thereon, is hereby awarded to the Daily Journal of Commerce to be published in the Daily Journal of Commerce, provided the sureties on its bond, which is hereby fixed at ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, are satisfactory to his Honor the Mayor, who is hereby authorized to enter into said contract, the said Daily Journal of Commerce being the lowest responsible bidder therefor, at the following prices, viz.:

For each insertion in 5 point type, per square, 16 cents.

For each insertion in 6 point type, per square, 15 cents.

All other bids received for the above are hereby rejected.

The Daily Journal of Commerce Newspaper is hereby declared and

designated to be the Official Newspaper of this City and County for one year from April 1, 1912, to and including April 1, 1913.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Recommend Ordering of Certain Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9386 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to recommend to the Board of Supervisors the ordering of the following street work, to wit:

The paving of the roadway of Stevenson street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, where not already paved.

The roadway of Nineteenth avenue, between Lincoln way and Kirkham streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Intention to Change Grades.

Also, Resolution No. 9387 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Polk and on Chestnut streets, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office March 28, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9388 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Ashton avenue, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office March 28, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Accepting and Approving Deed of Southern Pacific Co. to Land for Sewer Right of Way in Bosworth Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2079. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting deed of easement from the Southern Pacific Company to the City and County of San Francisco of a sewer right of way under the roadway of Bosworth street and the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company, for the purpose of enabling the construction of a city sewer."

Approving and Adopting Report and Plan for Improvement of Greenwich Street, Between Hyde and Leavenworth Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2080. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting report and plan for the improvement of Greenwich street between Hyde and Leavenworth streets."

Spur Track Permit.

Also, Bill No. 2081. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to George L. Center and Joseph B. Coryell, their successors or assigns, revocable at will of Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track commencing at a point on the joint tracks of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company and Southern Pacific Company on Eighth street, San Francisco, at a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet, more or less, southerly from the southerly line of Hooper street; thence running southerly along Wisconsin street and curving to the right crossing Sixteenth street; thence reversing to the left, entering private property and continuing southerly and parallel to the westerly line of Wisconsin street, and five feet five inches (5' 5") westerly therefrom to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet southerly from the southerly line of Sixteenth street."

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also Bill No. 2082. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of San Bruno avenue between Woolsey street and Paul avenue; crossing of Silver and San Bruno avenues."

Full Acceptance, Dolores Street.

Also, Bill No. 2083. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Dolores street between Army and Twenty-seventh streets, except that portion reserved for parking; Geary street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues."

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2084. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Elsie street, on Esmeralda avenue, on Coso avenue and on Aztec street."

Also, Bill No. 2085. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Coso avenue, between the southeasterly line of Prospect avenue and the northwesterly line of Winfield street."

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2086. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following street work, to-wit:

That a 24-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with 14 Y branches, be constructed along the center line of Anza street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth avenues.

That the southerly one-half of the crossing of Hampshire and Sixteenth streets, except on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by the railroad company having tracks thereon, be improved by constructing granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and brick cesspools (catchbasins) with castiron frames, gratings and traps on the angular corners thereof and by paving the roadway thereof with a bituminous rock pavement, consisting of a 6-inch concrete foundation and a 2½-inch bituminous rock wearing surface.

That the intersection of Lincoln way and Twenty-first avenue be improved by constructing granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and brick cesspools (catchbasins) with castiron frames, gratings and traps and ten (10) inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe culverts on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof, except on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by the railroad company having tracks thereon, with a bituminous rock pavement, consisting of a six (6) inch concrete foundation

and a two (2) inch bituminous rock wearing surface.

That the crossing of Forty-first avenue and Irving street be improved by constructing redwood curbs and broken rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof with a broken rock pavement.

That artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width be constructed on Golden Gate avenue, between Willard street and Arguello boulevard, where artificial stone sidewalks at least six (6) feet in width are not already constructed.

That artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width be constructed on Clement street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth avenues, where artificial stone sidewalks at least nine (9) feet in width are not already constructed.

That artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width be constructed on Twenty-second street, between Hampshire street and Potrero avenue, where artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width are not already constructed.

That artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width be constructed on Church street, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets, where artificial stone sidewalks at least twelve (12) feet in width are not already constructed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Bion J. Arnold to Report on Route of Geary Street Municipal Railroad West of Thirty-third Avenue.

J. R. No. 155.

Resolved, That Bion J. Arnold, traffic expert, be requested to make complete and immediate investigation of the proposed Geary Street Municipal Railroad route west of Thirty-third avenue, and report thereon to the Board of Supervisors through the Public Utilities Committee at the earliest possible moment. The aforesaid report to contain full expert advice as to routing, grades, terminals and general information to the Board of Supervisors and the people regarding this Municipal Street Railroad.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Action Deferred.

The following matters laid over from last meeting were taken up and on the request of his Honor the Mayor again *laid over one week*:

Leave of Absence, Employees of Bureau of Weights and Measures.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That this Board recommends to his Honor the Mayor that all employees of the Bureau of Weights and Measures be given a leave of absence, without pay, pending the appeal to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court declaring the creation of said Bureau to have been invalid; that such leave of absence be without prejudice to said employees to re-enter the service should such decision of the Superior Court be reversed.

Repealing Ordinance Creating Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures."

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF BILLS, RESOLUTIONS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

The following communication was presented and read by the Clerk:

Probation Officer to Furnish Auditor With Information Regarding Orphans, Half Orphans and Abandoned Children. To the Honorable The Board of Supervisors:

Gentlemen:—Enclosed herewith find copy of a Resolution as agreed upon by Mr. Astredo, Probation Officer, and myself, which was explained to the Honorable Board of Supervisors last Friday afternoon.

Truly yours,

THOS. F. BOYLE,

Auditor.

Whereupon, the following Resolution was introduced and adopted by the following vote:

J. R. No. 156.

Resolved, That the Probation Officer of the Juvenile Court of the City and County of San Francisco, be requested to furnish to the Auditor of the said City and County such complete information regarding dependent orphan, half-orphan and abandoned children as will permit him to properly present the claims of the said City and County of San Francisco for the care of said children to the Board of Control of the State of California.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Observance of Good Friday.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 157.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor, be and he is hereby requested to issue a proclamation declaring Good Friday, April 5, 1912, between the hours of 12 noon and 3 o'clock p. m., a municipal holiday, and to permit all those employed by the city who desire to participate in the religious exercises of that day to do so between the hours above mentioned.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

No Extensions on Leases of City Property.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

J. R. No. 158.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Board, that in the future leasing of city property, no options shall be given providing for extensions of leases after expirations.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and on motion ordered referred to the *Public Welfare and Judiciary Committees*:

Cleaning and Removal of Debris in Vacant Lots.

Bill No. 2087, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Requesting the cleaning of, vacant lots by the removal of rubbish and debris."

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murphy and ordered referred to the *Public Utilities Committee*:

President Requested to Direct Secretary of the Interior to Dismiss Order to Show Cause Why Hetch Hetchy Valley Should Not Be Stricken From Garfield Permit.

Whereas, in and by an order made by Hon. James R. Garfield, Secretary of the United States Interior Department, on the 11th day of May, 1908, the City and County of San Francisco was granted a permit, pursuant to the provisions of the Act of Congress approved February 15, 1901, to use the

Hetch Hetchy Valley as a reservoir site; and

Whereas, acting upon such permit, and in compliance with the provisions thereto annexed, the City and County has acquired the larger portion of the lands in said valley and has expended in such acquisition and other works upwards of one million dollars; and

Whereas, on two separate occasions when the question was submitted to them, the people of the City and County have authorized the issuance of bonds to further develop and utilize said reservoir site, first on November 12, 1908, by vote of 35,950 to 5,708, and secondly on January 14, 1910, by a vote of 32,886 to 1,609; and

Whereas, notwithstanding the granting of the aforesaid permit by Secretary Garfield, and the aforesaid expenditure of public moneys by the City and County in reliance thereon, and in total disregard of the popular wish of the citizens of San Francisco as expressed in the two elections hereinbefore referred to, the successor of Secretary Garfield, Hon. Richard A. Ballinger, did, on an ex parte showing, on the 25th day of February, 1910, direct the City and County of San Francisco to show cause why the Hetch Hetchy Valley and reservoir site should not be eliminated from said permit; and

Whereas, said order is still pending and the City and County is being obliged to expend large sums of money in preparing an answer thereto, and by reason of a deficiency in the seasonal rainfall the matter of the acquisition of a permanent source of water supply has become a vital and pressing necessity to this city and other cities surrounding the Bay of San Francisco. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Excellency, William Howard Taft, President of the United States, be and he is hereby requested to direct the Secretary of the Interior to dissolve and dismiss the order to show cause, so, to-wit, on the 25th day of February, 1910, made by Richard A. Ballinger, then Secretary of the Interior, and to confirm and ratify the order theretofore, to-wit, on the 11th day of May, 1908, made by Secretary James R. Garfield, granting the aforesaid rights to the City and County of San Francisco; and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to forthwith forward by telegraph a copy of this Resolution to his Excellency, William Howard Taft, President of the United States.

Referred.

The following Resolution was intro-

duced by Supervisor Nolan and ordered referred to the Streets Committee:

Board of Public Works to Furnish Specifications Providing for Use of Vitrified Brick for Street Pavements in Certain Districts.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to furnish this Board with specifications for the street pavements, so that vitrified brick of standard quality may be used in certain districts in the City and County of San Francisco.

Water Rates Investigation.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher

moved that the Water Rates Investigation scheduled to commence April 13, 1912, be postponed until Wednesday, April 24, 1912, at 8 p. m.

So ordered.

Telephone Investigation.

Supervisor Hilmer moved that Telephone Rates investigation scheduled to commence April 5, 1912, be postponed until April 11, 1912, 8 p. m.

So ordered.

Adjournment.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5:10 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors April 8, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisor of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, APRIL 8, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, April 8, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of April 1, 1912, was read and approved.

Presentation of Harry E. Freund of Musical Age, New York.

Harry E. Freund, representing the Musical Age, New York, was introduced by his Honor the Mayor, at the request of Supervisor Mauzy, and stated that he was in San Francisco for the purpose of bringing two big piano conventions to San Francisco during the Exposition. He congratulated his Honor the Mayor and the members of the Board on their success in having passed the \$8,900,000 bond issue for Civic Center and City Hall, and said that it showed the confidence the people had in this administration. He stated that he also had in mind the future of music, and favored the proposed municipal opera house. He urged the Board to bring it to realization and to give the best opera in the world to the people for 25 cents and declared that if this was done it would redound greatly to the credit of the city.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Extension of Leave of Absence of Washington Dodge.

The following communication was presented and read by Clerk:

Communication—From Mayor, recommending extension of leave of absence for Assessor Washington Dodge.

Whereupon, the following resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules, on motion of Supervisor Giannini:

J. R. No. 160.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, dated April 6, 1912, the leave of absence heretofore granted Assessor Washington Dodge, be and is hereby extended thirty days from and after April 12, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS, 3 P. M.

The following matter, laid over from March 18, 1912, and made a Special Order of Business for 3 p. m. this day, was taken up and on motion made a Special Order of Business for 3 p. m. Monday, April 22, 1912:

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans and Surveys and Outline Assessment District for the Construction of the Fillmore Street Tunnel.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is requested, through the City

Engineer, to furnish as expeditiously as possible the necessary preliminary plans and surveys for establishing an assessment district in connection with the construction of a tunnel through and under Fillmore street from the north line of Sutter street to the south line of Filbert street.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Geary Street Railway Bonds.

Proposals for the purchase of Geary Street Railway Bonds to the amount of \$400,000, comprising twenty bonds of each year's maturity from 1915 to 1934 inclusive, were received, opened and read, being as follows:

Vincent McDevitt, \$1000 (for one), certified check, \$50.00.

Adams & Co., Boston, \$402,064 (for all), certified check, \$10,000.

Referred to Finance Committee.

(See subsequent proceedings for award of contract.)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9389 (New Series), as follows

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

General Fund 1911-12.

Phillips & Van Orden Co., printing supplement to Great Register (claim dated March 20, 1912)....	\$1,602.89
R. A. Crothers, advertising, Bulletin, (claim dated March 23, 1912)	1,095.60
R. A. Crothers, advertising, Bulletin (claim dated March 23, 1912)	1,088.40
Neal Publishing Co., publishing Municipal Reports 1910-11 (claim dated March 22, 1912)	1,017.45
Neal Publishing Co., publishing Municipal Reports 1910-11 (claim dated March 22, 1912)	1,923.55
Spring Valley Water Co., water supplied public buildings, month of March, 1912, (claim dated March 26, 1912)	1,666.66
L. Scatena & Co., vegetables, Relief Home, (claim dated February 29, 1912)	521.70
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, City and County Hospital, claim dated February 29,	

1912)	852.57
R. A. Crothers, advertising, Bulletin, (claim dated March 23, 1912)	1,072.02
<i>San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Roebbling Con. Co., 7th payment, partitions and furring, San Francisco Hospital, (claim dated March 25, 1912)	\$5,308.50
Robert Dalziel, Jr., 3rd payment, boiler and boiler room, San Francisco Hospital, (claim dated March 26, 1912)	7,333.50
<i>Street Work Front of City Property, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.</i>	
City Street Improvement Co., Dolores street, Dorland to Twentieth streets, full payment, (claim dated March 21, 1912)	\$9,520.24
<i>Garbage Incinerator Plants, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
The Destructor Company, 1st payment, Contract No. 1, Garbage Disposal, (claim dated March 26, 1912)....	\$5,242.50
<i>Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1908.</i>	
J. H. Dockweiler, for preparation of data on investigation of water supply sources for submission to Board of U. S. Army Engineers (claim dated March 29, 1912)	\$600.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Westdahl-Hennessey Co., Assignee of John W. Flinn, final payment on estimated contract, Beale street sewer, (claim dated March 23, 1912)	\$1,387.22
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Mangrum & Otter, full payment, section "C," Pumping Station No. 1, (claim dated March 22nd, 1912)...	\$6,106.13
Selby Smelting & Lead Co., full payment, Lead to Municipal Pipe Yard, (claim dated March 22, 1912)....	12,636.23
<i>Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Wm. Bateman, 4th payment, interior finish, City and County Jail, (claim dated March 19, 1912)	\$6,501.00
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
J. P. Doherty, final payment, plumbing, Adams School, (claim dated August 24,	

1911)\$ 818.75

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland & Co., repaving over side sewer trenches, February, 1912, (claim dated March 8, 1912) \$1,259.70

Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, 1904.

Flinn & Treacy, in full of estimated cost, paving, etc., in front of McKinley School, (claim dated March 12, 1912)\$ 1,646.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9390 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following sums be and they are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For resurveys, Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, computations, compilations and mapping of Market Street Homestead, for month of April, 1912; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." account\$4,000.00

For continuing investigation of water supply required by the Secretary of the Interior, under direction of the City Attorney; out of Water Construction Fund, bond issue July 1st, 1910..... 4,000.00

For furnishing and equipping auto pound wagon and manning same for the month of April, 1912, for impounding stray dogs; out of item "for continuance of sanitary measures" 600.00

To cover deficit in appropriation heretofore made for the construction of Burnett Primary School; out of Public Building Fund, School Construction Account, bond issue 1908 100.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Providing \$1,000 to Enable Board of Public Works to Construct Sewer in Harlan Place.

Resolution No. 9391 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$1,000.00

be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1904, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to construct sewer in Harlan place, running westerly from Grant avenue, between Sutter and Bush streets, as per communication from the Board of Public Works filed in this office March 23, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Authorizing Appointment of Employees in Coroner's Office.

Bill No. 2078, Ordinance No. 1863 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the appointment of six additional deputies and employees by the Coroner, fixing and providing for their compensation and repealing all other ordinances authorizing the appointment of additional deputies and employees by the Coroner."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Boilers and Laundry Permits.

Resolution No. 9392, (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are granted:

Boilers.

Sarthou & Betheder, No. 1558 Bush street, fifteen horse power, for laundry purposes.

Gagnano Macaroni Factory, No. 823 Valencia street, four horse power, for heating purposes.

Laundry.

Woo Sing, southeast side of Minna street, 355 feet northeast of Fourth street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

(*Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher voted No on the Chinese Laundry, and Aye on the remainder of the Resolution.*)

Construction of Garages.

Bill No. 2063, Ordinance No. 1864 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 746 (New Series), entitled 'Regulating the construction of buildings used as public automobile garages; regulating and providing for the storage and use of gasoline in public and private automobile garages; repealing Ordinance No. 33 (New Series), approved July 16, 1906,'

by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 13½."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. 9293 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter described location, to-wit:

J. Olden, southwest corner of Twenty-fifth avenue and Irving street, for two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting and Approving Deed of Southern Pacific Co. to Land for Sewer Right of Way in Bosworth Street.

Bill No. 2079, Ordinance No. 1865 (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting deed of easement from the Southern Pacific Company to the City and County of San Francisco of a sewer right of way under the roadway of Bosworth street and the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company, for the purpose of enabling the construction of a city sewer."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Approving and Adopting Report and Plan for Improvement of Greenwich Street, Between Hyde and Leavenworth Streets.

Bill No. 2080, Ordinance No. 1866 (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting report and plan for the improvement of Greenwich street between Hyde and Leavenworth streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2081, Ordinance No. 1867 (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to George L. Center and Joseph B. Coryell, their successors or assigns, revocable at will of Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track commencing at a point on the joint tracks of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company and Southern Pacific Company on Eighth street, San Francisco,

at a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet, more or less, southerly from the southerly line of Hooper street; thence running southerly along Wisconsin street and curving to the right crossing Sixteenth street; thence reversing to the left, entering private property and continuing southerly and parallel to the westerly line of Wisconsin street, and five feet five inches (5' 5") westerly therefrom to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet southerly from the southerly line of Sixteenth street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2082, Ordinance No. 1868 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of San Bruno avenue between Woolsey street and Paul avenue; crossing of Silver and San Bruno avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Full Acceptance, Dolores Street.

Bill No. 2083, Ordinance No. 1869 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Dolores street between Army and Twenty-seventh streets, except that portion reserved for parking; Geary street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2084, Ordinance No. 1870 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Elsie street, on Esmeralda avenue, on Coso avenue and on Aztec street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 2085, Ordinance No. 1871 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Coso avenue, between the southeasterly line of Prospect avenue and the northwesterly line of Winfield street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2086, Ordinance No. 1872 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following street work, to-wit:

That a 24-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with 14 Y branches, be constructed along the center line of Anza street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth avenues.

That the southerly one-half of the crossing of Hampshire and Sixteenth streets, except on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by the railroad company having tracks thereon, be improved by constructing granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and brick cesspools (catchbasins) with castiron frames, gratings and traps on the angular corners thereof and by paving the roadway thereof with a bituminous rock pavement, consisting of a 6-inch concrete foundation and a 2½-inch bituminous rock wearing surface.

That the intersection of Lincoln way and Twenty-first avenue be improved by constructing granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and brick cesspools (catchbasins) with castiron frames, gratings and traps and ten (10) inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe culverts on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof, except on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by the railroad company having tracks thereon, with a bituminous rock pavement, consisting of a six (6) inch concrete foundation and a two (2) inch bituminous rock wearing surface.

That the crossing of Forty-first avenue and Irving street be improved by constructing redwood curbs and broken rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof with a broken rock pavement.

That artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width be constructed on Golden Gate avenue, between Willard street and Arguello boulevard, where artificial stone sidewalks at least six (6) feet in width are not already constructed.

That artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width be constructed on Clement street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth avenues, where artificial stone sidewalks at least nine (9) feet in width are not already constructed.

That artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width be constructed on Twenty-second street, between Hampshire street and Potrero avenue, where artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width are not already constructed.

That artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width be constructed on Church street, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets, where artificial stone sidewalks at least twelve (12) feet in width are not already constructed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$92,445.61 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 15,321 to 15,861, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted* and referred to Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations: Clerk to Establish Municipal Reference Library.

J. R. No. 161.

On motion of Supervisor Murdock:

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to establish a Municipal Reference Library for the convenience of the officers of the City and County, and that the Finance Committee be requested to appropriate \$100.00 for the purchase of books, magazines and documents relating to municipal affairs.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Library Fund.

The Emporium, books, San Francisco Public Library, (claim dated March 31, 1912) \$798.76

General Fund, 1911-12.

Consolidated Motor Car Co., Pope-Hartford Public Service Ambulance No. 12,012, for Emergency Hospital, (claim dated March 15, 1912) \$5,000.00

D. A. White, Chief of Police, April claim Police Contingent Allowance, (claim dated April 1, 1912) 666.66

Sunset Monarch Oil Co., Asphalt, repairs to streets, etc., (claim dated March 15, 1912) 3,551.84

Western Rock Products Co., powdered lime rock, repairs to streets, etc., (claim dated March 26, 1912) 2,415.35

Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., Assignee Keystone Const. Co., 10th payment, Mission street viaduct, southerly section, (claim dated April 2, 1912) 5,599.90

Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished hydrants, (claim dated March 28, 1912) 10,943.59

San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty Animals, impounding, feeding redeeming, sale and destruction of animals, (claim dated April 1, 1912) 1,554.80

Phillips & Van Orden Co., printing, Department of Elections, (claim dated March 20, 1912) 722.18

Associated Oil Co., fuel oil for Relief Home, (claim dated March 16, 1912) 637.02

The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors, (claim dated March 1, 1912) 3,603.91

Pacific Gas and Electric Company, gas and electricity supplied public streets and public buildings, month of March, 1912, (claim dated March 30, 1912) 35,359.44

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Mechanical Dust Suction Co.,

final payment, vacuum cleaning, Burnett School, (claim dated March 18, 1912) \$957.65

Robt. Trost, final payment, general construction, Lincoln School, (claim dated March 18, 1912) 10,987.25

Ralston Iron Works, 3rd payment; structural steel Girls' High School, (claim dated April 2, 1912) 15,975.00

Henning & Burke, 5th payment, general construction, Girls' High School, (claim dated March 26, 1912) 36,000.00

Wm. Le Baron, 1st payment, painting, Lowell High School, (claim dated March 29, 1912) 646.50

Park Fund.

Spring Valley Water Company, water furnished Parks, January 22 to February 20, 1912, (claim dated February 24, 1912) \$1,576.05

Hauling and Laying Pipe, Fire Protection Account, Bond Issue 1908.

Cost Investment Co., 5th payment, Section 3, (claim dated April 2, 1912) \$10,090.58

Robert C. Storrie & Co., 1st payment, Section 1, (claim dated April 3, 1912) 10,488.41

Purchase Cast Iron Pipe, Fire Protection Account, Bond Issue 1908.

Enterprise Foundry Co., 20th payment, cast iron specials, Contract No. 39, (claim dated April 3, 1912) \$3,877.14

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Lange & Bergstrom, 2nd payment, general construction, Everett School Annex, (claim dated April 2, 1912) \$2,565.00

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

F. L. Cassaretto, supplies Hetch Hetchy Stations, (claim dated March 21, 1912) \$513.59

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Contra Costa Construction Co., 1st payment, Ingleside Outlet Sewer "C," (claim dated April 2, 1912) \$2,842.13

Contra Costa Construction Co., 7th payment, North Point Main Sewer Section D-1, (claim dated April 2, 1912) 4,801.49

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 7th payment, North Point Main Sewer Section D-2, (claim dated April 2, 1912) 7,760.81

F. Rolandi, 7th payment North Point Main Sewer Section D-3, (claim dated April 1, 1912).....	9,259.35
<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
City Street Improvement Co., final payment, paving right of way Geary St. Railway (claim dated March 25, 1912)	\$6,434.84
Pennsylvania Steel Co., rail to Municipal Pipe Yard, (claim dated December 30, 1911)	6,517.00
Pennsylvania Steel Co., rail to Municipal Pipe Yard, (claim dated November 28, 1911)	27,321.00
Pennsylvania Steel Co., rail to Municipal Pipe Yard, (claim dated March 8, 1912)	5,953.00
Pennsylvania Steel Co., rail to Municipal Pipe Yard, (claim dated January 11, 1912)	5,922.00
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue, January 1, 1910.</i>	
McLeran & Peterson, 9th pay- ment, general construction, Polytechnic Shop Building, (claim dated April 3, 1912)	\$7,827.00
Dyer Bros., 2nd payment, steel construction, Academic building, Polytechnic High School, (claim dated April 1, 1912)	35,000.00
<i>Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Wittman-Lyman Co., final payment, plumbing, Hall of Justice, (claim dated March 12, 1912)	\$7,562.00
Otis Elevator Co., final pay- ment, elevators, Hall of Justice, (claim dated March 26, 1912)	3,486.25
<i>San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Vulcan Iron Works, 1st pay- ment, ice making and re- frigerator plant, S. F. Hos- pital, (claim dated April 2, 1912)	\$3,187.50
Lange & Bergstrom, 1st pay- ment, terra cotta clothes chutes, S. F. Hospital, (claim dated April 2, 1912)	2,250.00
Speck Mfg. Co., 1st payment, sterilizers, S. F. Hospital, (claim dated March 28, 1912)	2,250.00
Lowry & Daly, 1st payment, tiling, S. F. Hospital, (claim dated April 2, 1912)	7,005.00

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For moving and fitting up Departments in temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice, additional appropriation; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." Account.....\$10,000.00

For purchase of cows for Relief Home; out of item "Continuance of Sanitary Measures" 750.00

For repairs and maintenance of various departments of the Bureau of Public Buildings, during month of April, 1912; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." Account..... 6,000.00

For reconstruction of, repairs to and equipment of School Department Buildings, during month of April, 1912; out of item "For the reconstruction of repairs to, and equipment of School Department Buildings" 6,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Providing \$60,000 for Cleaning and Repairing Sewers and Repaving and Repairing Streets During April, 1912.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of sixty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the item in the budget for "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc.," account, for cleaning and repairing sewers, and reconstruction and repair of the following streets during the month of April, 1912, to wit:

Reconstruction of

Post street, Powell to Taylor.

Harrison street, Eleventh to Fourteenth.

Howard street, Second to Third.

Repair of

Powell street, Union to Bay.

Mason street, Columbus avenue to Bay.

Annie street, Jessie to Mission.

Twelfth street, Market to Mission.

Larkin street, McAllister to Post.

Larkin street, Pine to California.

Post street, Hyde to Larkin.

Clay street, Battery to Front.
Fifteenth street, Mission to How-
ard.

Folsom street, Fifth to Sixth.
Ninth street, Market to Howard.
Townsend street, Japan to Third.
Ellis street, Mason to Larkin.
Fifteenth street, Mission to Guer-
rero.

Cobble streets

Folsom street, Steuart to First.
Pacific street, Stockton to Jones.
Main street, Folsom to Harrison.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was
adopted:

Payment of Taxes on Land Purchased
From Mee Estate for Car Barn Site,
Geary Street Municipal Railway.

J. R. No. 162.

Be it Resolved, That the Auditor
be requested to audit the demand of
the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
in the sum of \$297.50 for the
payment of taxes for the year 1911-
12 on lot in Western Addition Block
No. 636, purchased August 28th,
1911, by the City from the Mee Es-
tate; under the terms of purchase
the City was to have paid the taxes
on said lot.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland,
Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed*
for printing:

Providing for the Issuance and Redemp-
tion of City Hall and Civic Center
Bonds.

On motion of Supervisor Mc-
Carthy:

Bill No. 2087, Ordinance No. —
(New Series), providing for the is-
suance and redemption of bonds of
the City and County of San Fran-
cisco, to the amount of eight million,
eight hundred thousand dollars, for
the acquisition, construction, com-
pletion and equipment by the City
and County of San Francisco of a
permanent building or buildings and
improvements to be used by the City
and County of San Francisco as a
City Hall and the acquisition of the
necessary lands therefor, and for
grounds and lands adjacent thereto,
for the purpose of creating a Civic
Center in accordance with and as au-
thorized at a special election held in
said City and County on the 28th day
of March, 1912, this Ordinance be-
ing the fourth of a series of Ordi-
nances to be adopted by the Board of
Supervisors of the City and County
of San Francisco under and by virtue
of which it is proposed to incur a

bonded indebtedness of said City and
County for the purposes herein
stated.

Whereas, a special election was
held in the City and County of San
Francisco on the 28th day of March,
1912, in accordance with the provi-
sions and requirements of Ordinance
No. 1797 (New Series), calling and
providing for such election, and Or-
dinance No. 1820 (New Series), giv-
ing notice thereof, reference to said
ordinances for further particulars
being here made, and,

Whereas, it has been determined, by
Resolution No. 9373 (New Series), re-
ference thereto for further particulars
being here made, that at such special
election more than two-thirds of the
votes cast thereat were cast and
counted as being in favor of and to
authorize the incurring of a bonded
indebtedness for the purposes and in
the amount stated in the proposition
submitted thereat.

Now, therefore, be it ordained by
the people of the City and County of
San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. That bonds of the City
and County of San Francisco will be
issued in accordance with the result
of the special election held in said City
and County on the 28th day of March,
1912, and the provisions of the charter
of said City and County and with Or-
dinances Nos. 1797 (New Series) and
1820 (New Series), as follows, to-wit:

That bonds will be issued, as afore-
said, to the amount of Eight Million,
Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars for
the acquisition, construction, comple-
tion and equipment by the City and
County of San Francisco of a perma-
nent building or buildings and im-
provements to be used by the City and
County of San Francisco as a City
Hall, and the acquisition of the neces-
sary lands therefor and for grounds
and lands adjacent thereto for the
purpose of creating a Civic Center;
that such bonds shall be called "City
Hall Bonds," shall be eighty-eight hun-
dred in number and shall be numbered
from one to eighty-eight hundred, both
inclusive, and shall be payable, Two
Hundred Thousand Dollars thereof
five years from the date of said bonds,
beginning with the lowest numbers and
Two Hundred Thousand Dollars of the
next higher numbers, on the same day
in each succeeding year until all of
said bonds shall be paid.

Section 2. All of the bonds issued,
as herein provided, shall be of the
form and character known as "serials."
All of said bonds shall be dated July
1, 1912, and shall bear interest at the
rate of five percentum per annum, pay-
able semi-annually on the first days
of January and July of each year un-

til the maturity thereof; shall be of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars each and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County in the city and state of New York.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, countersigned by the Auditor and attested by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors with the seal of said City and County. Said bonds shall be substantially in the following form:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

City and County of San Francisco.

CITY HALL BOND.

No. _____ \$1,000.00

For value received, the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer on the first day of July, 19—, One Thousand Dollars, with interest thereon, at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, January 1 and July 1, on presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached as they respectively become due, both principal and interest being payable in Gold Coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York.

This bond is issued under and pursuant to the Constitution and Statutes of the State of California and the charter of said City and County of San Francisco and amendments thereto, and under and pursuant to ordinances and proceedings of said City and County duly adopted and taken, and a vote and assent of more than two-thirds of the qualified electors of said City and County voting at a special election duly and legally called and held for that purpose.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required by law to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have existed, happened and been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City and County, does not exceed any limit prescribed by the Constitution or Statutes of said State or Charter of said City and

County, and that provision has been made as required by the Constitution and Statutes of said State and the Charter of said City and County for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on this bond as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of this bond on or before maturity. Full faith and credit of said City and County are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond.

This bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement, stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that this bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of this bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time this bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person, or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of this bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon.

This bond is exempt from all taxation within the State of California.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has caused this bond to be executed under its corporate seal, signed by its Mayor and Treasurer, and countersigned by its Auditor; and has caused interest coupons hereto attached to be signed by the engraved or lithographed signature of its Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of July, 1912.

Mayor.

Treasurer.

Countersigned. _____

Auditor.

Attest: _____

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.
(Seal).

Section 4. Interest coupons shall be attached to each bond to the number of twice the number of years such bond will run until the maturity thereof and in the amount of Twenty-five dollars, which sum will be the amount due for interest on such bond for six months; such coupons shall be numbered from one upwards and shall state the name and number of the bond to which it is attached. Such coupon shall bear the facsimile signature of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco and be substantially in the following form:

FORM OF COUPON.

No. _____ \$25.00
 On _____, 19____, the City and County of San Francisco, California, will pay to bearer at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco, in the City and State of New York, Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) in Gold Coin of the United States, being six months' interest then due on its bond dated July 1, 1912.
 No. _____

Treasurer.

Section 5. Any bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that the bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of the bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time the bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of the bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon. Such registration shall be substantially in the following form:

FORM OF REGISTRATION.

San Francisco, _____, 19____.
 This bond is registered pursuant to Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, in the name of _____ and the interest and principal thereof are hereafter payable to such owner.

Treasurer.

Section 6. For the purpose of providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds, taxes shall be levied and collected as provided in Ordinance No. 1797 (New Series) and Ordinance No. 1820 (New Series) and in furtherance of the purposes herein expressed the following fund is hereby created, to-wit: City Hall Bond Redemption and Interest Fund.

Section 7. The Board of Supervisors shall sell said bonds at such times and in such amounts as it may determine. The proceeds arising from the sale of the City Hall Bonds shall be placed in the Treasury to the credit of the City Hall Civic Center Improvement Fund and shall be used exclusively for the purpose for which such bonds were issued.

Section 8. This Ordinance is the fourth of a series of Ordinances adopted by the Board of Supervisors under and by virtue of which it is proposed to incur a bonded indebtedness of said City and County for the purpose herein stated.

Section 9. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Boiler and Laundry Permits.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

The following resolution was presented by Supervisor Giannini:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:
Boilers—

Joe Gardella, northeasterly line of Quesada avenue 375 feet southeasterly from Griffith street, 30 horse power, for reducing animal and vegetable substances to tallow.

Winter & Walsh, No. 1909 Mission street, 5 horse power, for heating purposes.

Laundry and Boiler—

John Lestelle, No. 2151 Union street, laundry and 12 horse power boiler for operating same.

Action Deferred.

Supervisor Giannini moved that the matter of John Lestelle be *laid over one week*.

So ordered.

Passed to Print.

Whereupon, the above resolution as amended was *passed for printing*.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series) be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter described location, to-wit:

J. N. Copus, at northeast corner of Forty-sixth avenue and Lawton street, for 12 horses, on condition that said stable is set back 50 feet from the street line and will not be maintained for more than 90 days from April 3, 1912.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permit.

J. R. No. 163.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:
 Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, the following petition is hereby denied

G. B. Mangini, for a stable permit for 4 horses, on the west side of Eighteenth avenue, 175 feet south of Anza street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Masquerade Ball Permit.

J. R. No. 164.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

Resolved, That the Jolly Bachelors' Social Club is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at Garibaldi Hall, No. 441 Broadway, April 20, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said ball are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Fixing Advertising Charges.

Also, Resolution No. 9394 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be and he is hereby authorized and directed to collect the following rates of advertising for publications made in the official newspaper from April 1, 1912, to April 1, 1913, to-wit:

For resolutions of award of contract, proposal notices inviting bids and bills, and ordinances granting franchises, twenty cents per square.

For resolutions granting permits for blasting, dyeing and cleaning works, engines and boilers, garages, furnaces, hospitals, gas works, laundries, medical colleges, oil storage, planing mills, and wood working establishments, stables, and undertaking establishments, or for masked balls when the license fee is remitted or for amateur wrestling matches when no license therefor is imposed, or for any other permit which requires no license fee in connection therefor the sum of five dollars shall be paid to cover the cost of advertising.

Resolved, That all sums of money so collected shall be immediately paid into the treasury by said Clerk, as provided by Chapter 3 Article III of the Charter, and the Treasurer of this City and County is hereby directed to issue to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors his receipt for the moneys so collected and paid to said Treasurer.

Resolved, That the above rates of advertising, in so far as they are applicable, shall be collected by all officers, offices, and departments of this City and County.

Resolved, That Resolution No. 7560 (New Series), and all other resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Extensions of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the following extensions of time to the following contractors for the construction of the John Swett Grammar School building, to-wit:

Ninety days time from and after March 27, 1912, to each of the following persons on their contracts for construction of said school:

O. C. Holt, for general construction; William S. Snook & Son, for plumbing work;

Pacific States Sales Corporation, for vacuum cleaning;

Abrahamson and de Gear, for heating and ventilating.

For the reason that the work could not be started on time, owing to the site being obstructed by temporary building, and for further reason that the Board of Education is still occupying temporary school quarters on said site which interfered with the yard work; and further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

(Communication from Board of Public Works, filed March 30, 1912.)

Adopted.

The followin Resolution was *adopted*:

Accepting Offer of Abby F. Knipe to Sell for \$1500 Certain Land in Holly Park Tract Required as an Additional Site for the Junipero Serra School.

Resolution No. 9395 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Abby F. Knipe (communication from City Attorney filed March 15, 1912), to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land in the Holly Park Tract, which land is required as additional site for the Junipero Serra School; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is the reasonable value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of Abby F. Knipe to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all incumbrances, for the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars, be and is

hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northerly line of Park street (formerly West Park street), distant thereon 172 feet $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches westerly from the westerly line of Holly Park Circle (formerly Holly Park avenue); running thence westerly along said northerly line of Park street 25 feet; thence at right angles northerly 100 feet; thence at right angles easterly 25 feet; thence at right angles southerly 100 feet to the said northerly line of Park street and point of commencement. Being a part of Block 3, Holly Park Tract (Lot No. 42).

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes up to and including the current fiscal year are paid, and the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the purpose of procuring the same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed for said land to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$1500 to Abby F. Knipe for Land on Park Street Required as Additional Site for Junipero Serra School.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Resolved, That an expenditure of fifteen hundred (\$1500.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue of 1908, in payment to Abby F. Knipe as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the northerly line of Park street (formerly West Park street), distant thereon 172 feet $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches westerly from the westerly line of Holly Park Circle (formerly Holly Park avenue), of dimensions 25x100 feet; being Lot No. 42, Block 3 of the Holly Park Tract, required as additional site to Junipero Serra School.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Repealing Resolution No. 8052 (New Series), Declaring Intention to Change Grades on Noe, Castro, Day, Thirtieth and Laidley Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Resolution No. 9396 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution No. 8052 (New Series), approved June 28, 1911, declaring intention to change grades on Noe, Castro, Day, Thirtieth and Laidley streets is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Giannini, and on his motion *laid over one week*:

Change of Grade Polk Street.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed March 28, 1912, to-wit:

On Polk street at the northerly line of Lombard street, at 140 feet.

(The same being the present official grade.)

On Polk street, at the crossing of Chestnut street, be raised and established at 120 feet.

On Polk street, at the southerly line of Francisco street, at 110 feet.

(The same being the present official grade.)

On Polk street, between Lombard and Francisco streets, and on Chestnut street, between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue, be changed and established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations above given therefor and the present official grades on Chestnut street at Larkin street and Van Ness avenue.

It is further declared to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to order the following street work to be done on the said portions of the above mentioned streets, to-wit:

The regrading of Polk street between Lombard and Francisco streets and of Chestnut street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; also, the re-sewering of Polk street between Lombard and Chestnut streets; of Chestnut street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue, and the crossing of Polk and Chestnut street, also the re-laying of such curbs as are now in good condition, and the reconstruction of such paving or other street improvements as have been constructed to official grade on Polk street between Lombard and Francisco streets and on Chestnut street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue.

The district to be benefited by such

changes of grades and to be assessed for the payment of damages caused thereby, and also the expense of regrading and resewering the above mentioned streets as above specified, is hereby defined and established as follows:

These certain tracts, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the intersection of the center line of Sutter street with the center line of Van Ness avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Van Ness avenue to the center line of North Point street; thence easterly along the center line of North Point street to the center line of Larkin street; thence southerly along the center line of Larkin street to the center line of Sutter street, and thence westerly along the center line of Sutter street to the point of commencement.

The actual cost of performing the work of regrading and sewerage and otherwise improving said portions of said streets as above specified shall be assessed upon the said district which is above declared to be benefited by such changed or modified grade (except that the Board of Supervisors reserves the right in its discretion to order by ordinance that the whole or any part of the cost and expense of the work aforesaid or the damages resulting therefrom be paid out of the treasury of the City and County of San Francisco, from such funds as the Board of Supervisors may designate).

Any person owning property fronting upon said portions of the street or streets where such grade is to be changed and such street work is to be done may file a petition with the Board of Public Works within sixty (60) days after the first publication of this Resolution of Intention, showing the fact of such ownership, a description and situation of the property claimed to be damaged, its market value and the estimated amount of damages over and above all benefits which the property would sustain by the proposed change if completed. Such petition shall be verified by the oath of the petitioner, or his agent, and failure so to petition shall be deemed and treated as a waiver of any claim for such damage or damages. The Board of Public Works shall cause to be conspicuously posted along all streets within the district defined in this resolution, notices of the passage of this resolution, in the manner and in the form as required by the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

Resolution No. 9387 (New Series), approved April 3, 1912, and all other resolutions in conflict with this resolution are hereby repealed.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. 9397 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Miguel street in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office March 22, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Also, Resolution No. 9398 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth avenues and on Lawton street in accordance with the recommendation filed by the Board of Public Works March 22, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That L. H. Westdahl be and is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after April 11, 1912, within which to complete contract for paving Corbett avenue between Ord and Seventeenth streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was not allowed to proceed with the work on account of proposed grade changes in this street.

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2088, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same", the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit: wit:

That the intersection of Cortland avenue and Wool street be improved by constructing granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the angular corners of the intersection, where not already constructed, and by paving the roadway thereof with an asphalt pavement, consisting of a 6-inch concrete foundation and a 2-inch asphaltic wearing surface, except on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by a railroad company having tracks thereon, and by constructing brick cesspools (catch-basins) with cast iron frames, gratings and traps and 10-inch vitrified salt glazed iron-stone pipe culverts on the angular corners thereof.

That the crossing of Irving street and Forty-second avenue be improved by grading to official line and grade by constructing redwood curbs and broken-rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof with a broken rock pavement.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths.

Also, Bill No. 2089, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and fifty-five", the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Balmy street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets at three feet.

Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Refused Passage.

The following Resolution laid over from last meeting was taken up and on the request of his Honor the Mayor *refused passage* by the following vote:
Leave of Absence, Employees of Bureau of Weights and Measures.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That this Board recommends to his Honor the Mayor that all employees of the Bureau of Weights and Measures be given a leave of absence, without pay, pending the appeal to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court declaring the creation of said Bureau to have been invalid; that such leave of absence be without prejudice to said employees to re-enter the

service should such decision of the Superior Court be reversed.

Ayes—None.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Absent—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Jennings—2.

Passed For Printing.

Whereupon, the following matters were *passed for printing*:

Repealing Ordinance Creating Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Bill No. 2090, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures."

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Award of Contract, Geary Street Railway Bonds.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:
J. R. No. 165.

Whereas, Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Supervisors, and notice given pursuant thereto, the said Board did on the 8th day of April, 1912, receive, open and consider sealed proposals for the purchase of Geary street railway bonds to the amount of four hundred thousand dollars, comprising twenty bonds of each years maturity from 1915 to 1934 inclusive, and

Whereas, A bid from Adams and Company, Boston, Mass., was on said day received for the purchase of all of said bonds offered for sale at a price therefor of four hundred and two thousand and sixty four dollars, now therefore,

Resolved, That the said bid of Adams and Company, of Boston, Mass., (the same being the highest and best bid offered for said bonds) be and the same is hereby accepted, and the said described bonds are hereby struck off and sold to the said Adams and Company, for four hundred and two thousand and sixty-four dollars in accordance with the terms of said resolution, the notice of sale given in pursuance thereto, and the bids submitted therefor; and that all other bids be rejected, and the clerk of this Board is directed to return all checks and deposits to unsuccessful bidders.

Further Resolved, That the Finance Committee be authorized and instructed to arrange for the delivery of the aforesaid bonds.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri,

Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher and referred to the *Streets and Public Utilities Committees*.

City Attorney to Advise as to Rights of Southern Pacific Company on Certain Streets.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and is hereby requested to advise the Board of Supervisors as to what rights, if any, the Southern Pacific Railway Company has to run or lay its tracks over the following named streets, to-wit:

Berry, Seventh, Division, and the crossings of Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh streets and through the Mission District.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Inspection of Twin Peaks Reservoir
Postponed.

On motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 166.

Resolved, That inasmuch as the Board of Public Works has assured the Committee appointed to arrange a program for public inspection of the Twin Peaks Reservoir that this reservoir will be finished and in readiness for such inspection and for the exercises incident thereto on Sunday, May 12th, that the public inspection and exercises be postponed until the above date.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher and referred to *Public Utilities Committee*:

Air Brakes on Street Cars.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the public safety demands that all street cars propelled by electricity should be equipped with air brakes and all modern appliances to insure a maximum degree of security, and kept in condition for constant use; all so-called lever breaks being retained as auxiliary thereto; that the committee on Public Utilities be instructed to consider this subject without delay and to report such measures as will secure the result herein sought.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Masquerade Ball Permit.

J. R. No. 167.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to the W. W. H. Club to hold a masquerade ball at Oceanside Hall, Forty-eighth avenue and Irving street, Saturday, April 13, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds from said ball are devoted to charitable purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Murphy and passed for printing under suspension of the rules:

Requiring the Cleaning of Vacant Lots.

Bill No. 2091, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Requiring the cleaning of vacant lots by the removal of rubbish and debris."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Indorsing Cheaper Transportation Rates Down the Peninsula.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 168.

Whereas, Complaint has been made to the State Board of Railroad Commissioners that the rates for the transportation of passengers between San Francisco and points on the Peninsula are excessive and discriminating, and said Board has been requested to make a re-adjustment and a reduction of said rates, therefore,

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors that the movement by the various communities south of this city to secure cheaper transportation be heartily indorsed, and that the Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations and the City Attorney be directed to co-operate with other cities in securing the desired relief, and to appear before the State Railroad Commissioners in support of said movement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Occupation of Streets by Home Telephone Company.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

J. R. No. 169.

Resolved, That the Department of Electricity be requested to furnish the Committee on Public Utilities with detailed information as to the extent of

occupation of public streets by the Bay Cities Home Telephone system in this city, giving details as to construction and diagrams showing streets occupied by its conduits and pole lines.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Mayor to Appoint Memorial Day Committee.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 170.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor

be and he is hereby authorized and requested to appoint a suitable committee for the proper observance of Memorial Day, May 30th, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4 p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors April 15, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisor, of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
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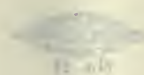
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, APRIL 15, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, April 15, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of April 8, 1912, was read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF MARTIN J. KULLMAN, EFFICIENCY EXPERT.

Upon request of his Honor the Mayor, *Martin J. Kullman*, Efficiency Expert, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, urging that San Francisco adopt modern efficiency methods in the conduct of public business, saying that there would be a great saving by so doing, and that city would not only set an example for other cities who will have their representatives at the Exposition in 1915, but would put the city in a position to handle the vast amount of work required preliminary to the Exposition.

Mr. Kullman was thanked by his Honor the Mayor and introduced to Supervisor Murdock, chairman of the Committee on Public Efficiency and Civil Service, at the conclusion of his remarks.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Gianinni, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

Judiciary Committee—D. C. Murphy, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—Alexander Vogel-sang, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Report of Public Utilities Committee in Matter of Proposed Basis for Settlement of Litigation Between City and United Railroads Relative to Use of Lower Market Street, etc.

The following report was presented and read by Clerk:

San Francisco, April 15, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: Your Public Utilities Committee reports that at its meeting on Wednesday, April 10th, there were present Chairman Vogel-sang, Supervisors Bancroft, Mauzy and Murphy; absent, Supervisors George E. Gallagher, who was out of the city.

Messrs. Thornwell Mullally and William M. Abbott, representing the United Railroads of San Francisco, appeared before the committee and submitted written proposals for basis of settlement of litigation between the City and the United Railways Company relating to operation of cars on lower Market street, westerly extension of Municipal Railway, and questions incidental thereto. These proposals are still under consideration by the committee and are presented herewith only for the information of this Board. Your committee expects to submit its recommendation at an early date.

Also for the information of the Board there is presented counter proposals which were presented to the

United Railroads by the committee and to which the written reply is made.

Briefly, the history of the matter is this:

Early in February there was presented to the Public Utilities Committee through the City Attorney, a memorandum suggestion from the company for settlement of questions in controversy between the United Railroads and the City. This proposal included a request of the United Railroads for joint construction and operation of the Geary Street Municipal line and the United Railroad lines west of Divisadero street to the beach. Inasmuch as the City is preparing to complete that line itself, this proposal was eliminated, it being considered by your committee inadvisable to enter into such joint construction and operation. The counter proposal of the committee was then presented to the United Railroads and the reply is herewith presented.

Counter Proposals Submitted to United Railroads as Basis of Negotiations.

Lower Market Street.

1. Geary street road to build tracks on Market street from Kearny to Sutter streets, connecting with outer tracks constructed by Sutter Street Railway Company. City to pay to Sutter Street Company fair valuation of tracks from Sutter to Ferry, and grant permit to United Railroads to operate all Sutter street lines on said outer tracks and also such other lines as the Board of Supervisors may hereafter direct, by proper ordinance, when traffic needs demand.
2. City to use United Railroad poles for stringing wires between Kearny street and Ferry wherever necessary. In order that erection of additional poles may be avoided.
3. Maintenance of track, wires and poles to be jointly borne by City and United Railroads in proportion to extent of use by respective parties, and City to be compensated equitably for capital investment in Market street from Sutter to Ferry.
4. City and United Railroads to agree upon contract for furnishing electric current for operation of Geary street line between Kearny street and Ferry.
5. Appeal from judgment of Superior Court and motion for new trial to be dismissed.

Point Lobos Avenue.

6. Action by United Railroads to be dismissed and City to have joint use of tracks on Point Lobos avenue (should City desire to use same) upon payment by City of proportionate expenses of maintenance, etc.
7. City and United Railroads to agree

to reciprocal exchange of transfers at all points where present or future Municipal Railway intersects line of United Railroads.

8. City to allow United Railroads privilege of switching Jackson street cars from California into Presidio avenue and vice versa.

Reply to Counter Proposals.

Honorable members of the Public Utilities Committee of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: In compliance with your request that the United Railroads make written reply to the suggestions received from your committee with reference to a possible adjustment of the litigation between the City and this company, we have to say:

Lower Market Street.

1. The United Railroads will consent to the Geary Street road building tracks on Market street from Kearny to Sutter streets, connecting there with the outer tracks of the Sutter Street Railway Company.

The Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco will allow the City to run over and use jointly with them the outer tracks, the poles and the wires on Market street from Sutter street to the Ferry, through cars to be run on Sutter street to the Ferry.

This accomplishes the result desired by the City, i. e., operating its cars down Market street to the Ferry.

The Sutter Street Railway Company is unable to sell its tracks to the City because of lack of legal authority. This property is subject to the deed of trust of the Sutter Street Railway Company dated May 1, 1888, and there is no provision for a sale of any of the properties except certain specifically described real estate.

2. The United Railroads will permit the City to use its poles and wires on Market street between Kearny street and the Ferry wherever necessary.
3. The maintenance of tracks, wires and poles to be jointly borne by the City, the United Railroads and the Sutter Street Railway Company in proportion to the extent of use by the respective parties, the companies to be compensated equitably for capital investment on Market street from Kearny street to the Ferry for properties used jointly.
4. The United Railroads will furnish electric current for the operation of the Geary street line between Kearny street and the Ferry at such rates for current as may be agreed upon. In addition to this the United Railroads will use its best endeavors to

furnish or cause to be furnished to the City at a very reasonable rate electric current for the operation of the entire Geary Street Railroad.

5. All pending litigation between the City and the United Railroads and the Sutter Street Railway Company to be dismissed.

Point Lobos Avenue.

6. The United Railroads will dismiss its action and allow the City to have joint use of its tracks on Point Lobos avenue (should City desire to use same) upon payment by City of proportionate capital investment, expenses of maintenance, etc.

The United Railroads will allow the City to have joint use of its poles and wires on Point Lobos avenue (should City desire to use same) on payment by City of proportionate capital investment, expenses of maintenance, etc.

7. (Mr. Mullally stated that no written reply is made to proposition of reciprocal transfers for the reason that the United Railroads Company believes it too one sided and his company could not consider the suggestion. J. S. D.)

8. United Railroads will agree to operate electric cars over lower California street from Kearny street to the Ferry, the pending litigation on that matter to be dismissed.

Respectfully yours,

UNITED RAILROADS OF SAN FRANCISCO, By Thornwell Mullally, Assistant to the President.

San Francisco, April 10, 1912.

The petition of Daniel O'Connell, requesting the Board of Supervisors to provide expenses for telephone election was received and filed.

The petition of the Public Ownership Association requesting the Board to adopt a resolution for proceedings to revoke Hetch Hetchy permit held over for future consideration.

Consideration of Supervisor Murphy's Hetch Hetchy resolution was postponed two weeks.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher's resolution requesting the City Attorney to advise what right the Southern Pacific has to run or lay tracks over certain streets in the Mission is recommended for passage by this Board.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG,
PAUL BANCROFT,
D. C. MURPHY,
GEO. E. GALLAGHER,
BYRON MAUZY,

Public Utilities Committee.

PRELIMINARY REPORT NO. 3 OF
BION J. ARNOLD—TUNNELS INTO
HARBOR VIEW.

The following matter was presented and on motion of Supervisor Murphy

ordered spread at length in the Journal:

Board of Supervisors, City of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

Since submitting to you my preliminary report on tunnels on February 9th, 1912, I have made a further study of the question of the proper disposition, for both the present and the future, of the proposed tunnels from the business sections into the Harbor View district.

In reaching the conclusions herein, I have given consideration to all of the arguments for and against these various propositions which have been submitted to me by interested parties and organizations, as well as to the results of personal observation both by myself while in San Francisco, and subsequently by my resident engineer.

Inasmuch as any final decision rests in some degree upon the comparative ultimate costs of the various projects, I have presented certain alternatives which may be determined by your City Engineer after a more detailed survey of the district based upon the recommendations herein. However, I am firmly of the opinion, that little time can be wasted in carrying out these economic studies to too fine a point, as it is essential to be in a state of preparedness for the Exposition traffic, in order that advantage may be derived from this traffic to reimburse, as early as possible, the property holders contributing thereto. Therefore, some concessions to expediency may be necessary in order to carry the project through in time. I refer here particularly to the tunnel through the Harbor View ridge.

I therefore make the following recommendations, to be considered as representing my best judgment under the present circumstances, but with the reservation that the possible alternatives appended hereto may be substituted if the resulting surveys of the cost of regrading and of property damages make such alternatives appear to be worthy of more serious consideration:

First: Considering no changes in the elevations of present street intersections, I believe that the Fillmore street tunnel should be built immediately, extending from Sutter street to Filbert street, with the necessary street widening at portals to preserve the roadways at either side for street cars, traffic and sidewalks.

Second: It does not appear to me advisable to undertake at the present time the construction of more than one tunnel through the Harbor View ridge, either for traffic necessities during the Exposition or immediately thereafter.

However, I am confident that in the not distant future, a tunnel through Divisadero street, with portals so located as to provide a high-level route, will become as great a necessity as is the present tunnel under Fillmore street, if the Harbor View valley develops into a commercial district after the close of the Exposition as rapidly as generally anticipated.

Regarding the development of commercial interests on these two parallel streets which are now on a firm footing and in the future will require more and more intercommunication, it appears to me that these two tunnel projects should not be considered *competitive* but rather *coincidental*. Business naturally develops along the lowlands, and eventually the territory between Fillmore street and Divisadero street will probably witness such a consolidation of interests as to render necessary united support for the later project by all the business interests of the valley.

I have finally rejected Pierce street as a possible tunnel site, not only for the reason that its approach grades are almost prohibitive for the purpose immediately in view—a low-grade traffic and railway tunnel—but also for the reason that a tunnel through Pierce street would effectually block a consideration of the two tunnels ultimately needed—Fillmore and Divisadero streets—for many years to come because of their proximity. It is therefore better, in my judgment, to follow a logical program of development, than to compromise both projects in the interests only of the very immediate future.

Furthermore, in working over the various grade possibilities, I have finally rejected any proposition that would not provide the thing that is most needed—one direct, low-level and low-grade traffic route from the Mission to Harbor View—which could be used for transporting the heavier materials to the Harbor View site with its possible future development as a warehouse and manufacturing district. None of the high-level tunnels will permit of approach grades under 5%, although entirely suitable for street railway and lighter vehicle traffic only. In my judgment therefore whatever the ultimate character of the development of the Harbor View district, at least one low-level route is absolutely essential, and I have therefore been guided to adopt the Fillmore street tunnel in spite of its length. All of the Harbor View tunnels are long if planned as low-level projects, and in view of this fact, a difference in length of two blocks either way does not seem

to me a determining factor as between locations.

Third: The question of type of tunnel—whether single-bore, double-bore, or individual bores for traffic and railway—should be determined largely on a basis of convenience and cost. All of these tunnels being intended for high-speed operation, the tracks must be separated from the roadway; consequently, if double-bore, it occurs that considerable expense can be saved by driving both bores at once, particularly over the cost of independent bores.

I have endeavored to discover a route whereby a short low-level and low-grade traffic tunnel could be secured independent of the railway tunnel, but the gradients on the northerly approaches prohibited; consequently I favor a combined tunnel, whether single or double-bore being immaterial.

It has been advanced that these two bores should be separated by solid walls in order to avoid the noise from rapidly passing cars, and danger from accidents with frightened teams in the tunnel. I believe that both of these matters have been accorded undue importance; for, with proper road-bed construction and maintenance of equipment, the noise can be minimized, and city horses are, as a rule, thoroughly used to cars and automobiles while passing in the streets. However, as the cost of a double-bore tunnel will not be very much greater than that of a single-bore arch, the judgment of your Board will, after considering the matter, easily determine which is preferable. In my judgment, a single-bore tunnel, well lighted, and provided with an iron fence protecting the tracks, would be sufficiently comfortable, and more attractive on account of its roomier appearance, especially in so long a bore.

But in the single-bore arch, it will be impossible to utilize the roadway effectively with a reasonable span of arch without separating the car lines so as to run along the sidewalk curbs. If it is attempted to locate the cars and sidewalk on one side of the tunnel, and devote the other side to vehicle traffic, at least 8 feet of the tunnel width would have to be sacrificed, as the arch could not be built flat enough without increased span to accommodate a wagon carrying a high load running close to the wall of the tunnel. As one of the primary conditions in selecting this first tunnel route to Harbor View is to provide a low-level and low-grade route for heavy trucking, vertical clearance must be sufficient to accommodate vehicles loaded up to a height of 12 to 15 feet. This manifestly precludes any arrange-

ment but the one above mentioned, which divides the arch as follows:
 Fillmore street, center roadway. 20 ft.
 *Street cars, 11' along each curb. 22 "
 Sidewalks, 6' along each curb. 12 "

Total 54 "

*The above is based upon a street car width of 9 feet over all, corresponding to a trackway of 11 feet, but it is probable that in the future the width of street cars operating through this tunnel will be limited to 8 feet six inches, and by reducing the side clearance to the very minimum, a trackway of 10 feet could be used, giving a roadway of 22 feet instead of 20 feet. This, however, is the maximum roadway that can be obtained in the single-bore arch, and provides extremely small clearance margins, in fact so small as to render the use of the single-bore extremely questionable.

This arrangement provides for the trolley wire to be suspended at a height of about 16 feet, which is the minimum necessary for satisfactory operation at high speed.

In concluding upon a minimum roadway width of 20 to 22 feet, I have been guided by the following principle, viz.: to provide for two-line traffic for the wider and heavier vehicles, and three-line traffic for the narrower and lighter vehicles, such as automobiles. Trucks require 9 feet, or at least 10 feet to pass. Automobiles and light delivery wagons, whose wheel gauge approximates that of the street railway tracks, require about 6½ feet or 7½ feet to pass. This roadway of 22 feet therefore will enable either heavy or light vehicles to pass in the tunnel, or a third line of light vehicles to pass through the center, going in either direction, which latter will be the most necessary requirement. If the rapid vehicles were to be held up by a long line of slowly moving trucks, they would generally avoid the tunnel.

In the double-bore arrangement, however, some increased width may be rendered available for the roadway by sacrificing one sidewalk and devoting one bore to a roadway 25 feet in width, and the other to trolley cars and a 7-foot sidewalk. This arrangement is practically identical with the single-bore arch with respect to the grouping of passengers in cars and on foot within the same bore, rather than grouping foot passengers with teaming and automobile traffic.

One sidewalk would suffice for this long tunnel, in my judgment, and the only reason for providing a second one in the single-bore arch is to utilize the waste space near the wall to the best advantage. In either case, suitable pipe-rail fences could be installed to protect foot passengers or vehicles from contact with rapidly moving cars.

Such a fence consumes very little of the tunnel width, and should be limited in height to the car window sills so as to avoid possible injury to passengers. Similarly, concrete curbs could be installed to prevent the fouling of fences or passing cars by wagon hubs or overhanging loads.

Summarizing, the single-bore has the advantage of attractiveness and slightly lower cost, but cramps the roadway and trackway by the addition of one sidewalk not absolutely required.

The double-bore tunnel has the advantage of a larger roadway, and the disadvantage of slightly higher cost. In both arrangements, teams are separated from foot passengers, which is in some respects desirable. And this disposition of the double-bore involves less unbalancing of the arch and consequently lower cost than will be the case if roadway and sidewalk occupy the same bore, necessitating spans of 31 and 21 feet, as against spans of 24 and 29 feet respectively.

Considering various arrangements of roadway, trackway and sidewalks, I have concluded that it becomes practically imperative to locate the sidewalk adjacent to the partition wall, with arch openings spaced every 75 or 100 feet communicating between the two bores. This communication is necessary to provide means of egress from the long bores in case of urgent necessity either from vehicles or from cars. This arrangement has the slight disadvantage of requiring foot passengers to cross the tracks at either portal, but I do not consider this serious, on account of the fact that the walkway will probably not be used to any great extent.

The arrangement of track special work at the southern portal is unfortunately somewhat complicated, but as it is probable that all cars entering the tunnel will do so directly north on Fillmore (via Ellis, not via Sutter) the worst pair of curves is eliminated. It will be desirable to set back the portal wall about 25 feet north of the Sutter street building line, in order to permit the best arrangement of this special work.

Finally, all things considered, I believe that the single-bore arch will hardly prove sufficiently commodious for the Fillmore street tunnel route, and that the double-bore arrangement above described will provide a more effective solution even at somewhat greater cost. However, for Broadway and Divisadero streets, the wider single-bore arch can be used.

Estimates.

The following estimates for the various types of tunnels have been

submitted to me by your City Engineer, as suited to prices and conditions prevailing in San Francisco. I am informed that these estimates are necessarily liberal and include percentage allowances as follows: construction profit, 15%; contingencies, 10%. These are based on the following unit prices:

Excavation, heading.....	\$5 per yard
Excavation, side-cut.....	3 per yard
Excavation, bench.....	2 per yard
Concrete, in place.....	10 per yard
Re-enforcing steel, in place.	70 per ton
Wages, 8-hour shifts, \$3 to \$6 per day	
Teams	\$6.50 per day
Single-bore tunnel, 54 ft.	
wide, excl. approaches....	\$428 per ft.
Double-bore tunnel, 54 ft.	
net, excl. approaches....	464 " "
Approaches	70 " "
Two individual bores on	
different streets, each	
32-ft. span.....	494 " "

Single-bore, 60 ft. wide,	
excl. approaches.....	464 " "
Double-bore, 60 ft. net	
excl. approaches.....	496 " "
Approaches	80 " "

From these estimates it appears that the double-bore tunnel will cost somewhat more than the single-bore—about 9%—and that the cost of the wider single bore tunnel is 7% to 8% in excess of the 54-foot bore.

In this comparison, the general design conforms to that of the Stockton street tunnel, giving 19 feet clear from street to arch, inside.

The resulting total costs on this basis are as follows (exclusive of damages and enlargement of approaches). They are, in fact, higher than the Stockton street tunnel estimates, but this is largely owing to the great length of the tunnels and the increased difficulty of prosecuting the work.

	Bore	Length	Single-bore	Double-bore
Fillmore, low-level, Sutter to Filbert...	54 ft.	4332 ft.	\$1,685,800	\$1,824,900
Steiner, low-level, Pine to Union.....	54 ft.	3301 ft.	1,237,400	1,338,600
Divisadero, low-level, Pine to Lombard.	60 ft.	4332 ft.	1,816,100	1,938,600
Divisadero, low-level, Pine to Lombard.	54 ft.	4332 ft.	1,673,400	1,811,100
Divisadero, high-level, Sacramento to Greenwich	60 ft.	3294 ft.	1,417,100	1,513,200
Divisadero, high-level, Sacramento to Greenwich	54 ft.	3294 ft.	1,306,000	1,414,200
Broadway, high-level, Mason to Larkin.	60 ft.	2338 ft.	944,700	1,007,800
Broadway, high-level, Mason to Larkin.	54 ft.	2338 ft.	870,000	941,100

The cost of any other proposed tunnels for this district may be arrived at with approximately the same unit costs as proposed for the Fillmore street tunnel—that is, *exclusive of damages and enlargement of approaches*. With respect to these items, the Divisadero street tunnel will carry

a somewhat lighter burden in damages; but on the other hand, the increase in the size of the bore that would be desirable tends to offset this. In the case of the Steiner street tunnel, the saving of three blocks in length would again be offset by the extensive condemnation damages incurred in carrying through the diagonal approach street at the south portal.

I have not attempted to make any estimate of damages; however, the Fillmore Street Improvement Association has itself prepared an estimate covering the purchase of a 30-foot strip on each side of Fillmore, from Sutter to Bush and Union to Filbert. This estimate has been itemized for the various owners and covers land and improvements, as follows:

Land value and damage, south end	\$99,000
Damage to improvements, south end	82,500
Damage to land and improvements, north end.....	85,000
Total	\$266,500

Assuming this to be a fair estimate, the cost of the Fillmore street tunnel as above outlined, would approximate in round numbers, \$2,000,000 single-bore and \$2,100,000 double-bore.

As to the rate of progress, it is estimated by your City Engineer that by vigorous work with three shifts and drifting from both ends, the headings could be pushed forward at the rate of 450 feet per month, total. On this basis, the Fillmore street bore would require less than 10 months for actual construction from both ends, or 20 months if from the north end only. It thus appears that, barring extraordinary delays, the Fillmore street tunnel ought to be completed *at least* within two (2) years from the be-

ginning of construction. This would provide a little margin before the opening of the Exposition, but would not permit of its use for conveying materials to the grounds during construction unless double headings were employed. Hence it is imperative that the City lose as little time as

possible in perfecting its plans for vigorous prosecution of the work.

Fourth: *Broadway Tunnel.* The westerly portal of the Broadway tunnel, recommended in my preliminary report No. 2, should be located at Larkin street rather than to attempt a location at Hyde street, which latter exit would require regrading of Broadway and the lateral streets in order to reduce a prohibitive grade at this point.

Furthermore, the exit at Larkin street is exceptionally well suited for a grade connection for future tracks along Larkin, either with those now occupied by the Union street line or with future tracks through the Van Ness valley, connecting with the Geary street or other lines.

The Broadway tunnel cannot claim to be a low-level tunnel, by reason of the grades encountered on the easterly slopes; however, it can be considered as an important traffic thoroughfare to Harbor View both from Stockton street and the Embarcadero, supplementing the best low-level route specifically recommended in my preliminary report No. 2, viz.: the freight and traffic tunnel under Fort Mason. The Broadway route entails a maximum grade of 6.3 per cent on the east and 5.5 per cent on the west slope via Broadway, Polk, Vallejo and Van Ness, and is therefore available for the majority of the lighter vehicle traffic. Practically nothing can be accomplished to relieve these controlling grades except by prohibitive regrading.

The particular section desirable for this tunnel depends upon the character of traffic. For a high-level tunnel it is to be assumed that the heavier and larger vehicles will not ordinarily use the tunnel to any great extent; consequently, a narrower roadway is permissible than in the low-level for Fillmore street bore. Owing to the greater width of Broadway, it would seem desirable to use the entire width of the street for the bore; this is one of the arguments for the location of a tunnel through Russian Hill in Broadway rather than some parallel street. A 60-foot single-bore arch would provide a 24-foot center roadway, which is ample for 3-line vehicle traffic; cars and sidewalks would be located along the walls. A 54-foot single-bore arch would provide a 20-foot center roadway, which is ample for 2-line vehicle traffic.

If the car tracks were located in the center of the tunnel, it would be impracticable to enclose them by fences. The width of roadway available along the sides would be $13\frac{1}{2}$ feet for the 60-foot bore and $11\frac{1}{2}$ feet for the 54-

foot bore. Both would provide for single-line traffic only.

The Stockton street bore, as projected, is only 50 feet, which allows only $8\frac{1}{2}$ feet roadway on either side of the car line—just sufficient for moderately large vehicles.

It may be reasoned that the same arrangement of tracks in the Broadway tunnel should be utilized as in the Stockton street tunnel. However, the Stockton street tunnel, including entrance grades, is 1322 feet in length with 36-foot roadway, while the Broadway tunnel is 2338 feet in length—not far from double. This fact makes it desirable, in the interests of rapid transit, to separate the lines of traffic with fences as in the Fillmore street scheme, and provide a roadway in the center. Thus, while the 50-foot tunnel may be regarded as best for the short Stockton street bore, the 60-foot tunnel is better adapted to the longer Broadway bore.

If the center-track arrangement should be decided upon as sufficient for Broadway, then the single-bore arch herein designated for Fillmore street would be ample. Moreover, this would preserve the sidewalks at the easterly approach to the Broadway tunnel, without condemnation of abutting property. On the west approach, however, it will be necessary to preserve the roadway by the acquisition of sufficient property on each side of the portal.

Respectfully submitted,
BION J. ARNOLD,
Consulting Engineer.

Appendix to Preliminary Report No. 3. *Alternative.*

Fillmore-Steiner Tunnel. A tunnel route has recently been proposed under Steiner street, extending from Pine to Union streets, with a *diagonal* roadway cut through the intervening property leading from the intersection of Fillmore and Sutter streets, to that of Pine and Steiner streets. This has been still further improved upon by a plan suggested by the City Engineer's office, contemplating a *diagonal* approach through *one block only* from the intersection of Fillmore and Sutter, the tunnel portal being directly beneath Bush; thence proceeding *under ground* to the intersection of Steiner and Pine, and there connecting with the main bore through Steiner street. In this plan all the present buildings in the block between Bush and Pine streets would be preserved, but as the fill above the tunnel is so limited, not permitting deep basements within this strip, the easement damages for so shallow a bore would no doubt be high and not far from the cost of complete condemnation. The

resulting tunnel grade, however, is even lower than the Fillmore street bore, and the curve in the bore at Pine street is not very serious, because it is located close to the upper portal rather than at the end of the long down grade.

Were the proposed *open diagonal* entrance from Fillmore to Steiner street adopted, it is unquestionable that street car traffic could be diverted from those few blocks of Steiner street which may now to some extent be regarded as residential. But it will be next to impossible, without stringent police regulation, to prevent commercial vehicle traffic continuing south on Steiner after emerging from the tunnel. Moreover, it should be remembered that at the time when this heavy vehicle traffic would be most undesirable—viz.: on Sundays and holidays—the volume of this traffic would be correspondingly small, owing to the practical suspension of business at these times.

All of the present objections, if valid, are obviated at the south end by the covered diagonal entrance plan.

Regrading. By a considerable amount of regrading of entrance and lateral thoroughfares in the vicinity of these various tunnel portals, it would be possible to considerably ease the grades and shorten all these tunnels, thereby making them more convenient and desirable. This matter, however, involves such a large amount of damages that I would not attempt a statement of their magnitude without the subject being studied more extensively by your City Engineer. Furthermore, I have little hope that the total cost of the tunnel could be materially reduced by such regrading; rather, it might be increased in some cases, and the delays incident thereto would probably make the proposition infeasible at the present time at least for Exposition purposes. As this is a matter involving extensive street changes, it should be governed by the judgment of your local officials.

In these regrade studies, I found that in order to save one block in tunnel length, from five to ten blocks of main and lateral streets would have to be regraded, if any reasonable traffic grade were to result. The limit of this traffic grade for approaches I have placed at 4% maximum—better, 3%—and most of these regrades require prohibitive cuts, from the standpoint of damage to present abutting property. Thus—

(a) Saving one block at the north portal of the Fillmore tunnel (entrance at Union street) would require the re-

grading of 10 street blocks and paving, with 5 to 6-foot cuts.

(b) Limiting the north entrance grade of the Steiner street tunnel to a maximum of 4% or under, would require 4 blocks partly or entirely regraded. The present grade, however, is reasonably good—4.18%—in fact, the best direct approach grade of any of the shorter tunnels.

(c) Saving one block at the north portal of Steiner street tunnel (entrance at Green street) would require the regrading of 13 blocks, with a maximum fill of 12 feet.

(d) Moving the south portal of Fillmore street tunnel from Sutter to California in order to take advantage of the upper levels along Fillmore, would involve the regrading of 7 blocks, with a maximum cut of 10 feet at Bush street. This is impracticable, however, as it increases the grade of the main bore and results in a maximum approach grade of 4.6%.

(e) Improving the southern approach of Divisadero street tunnel by reducing approach grade from 6.8% maximum to 4.8% would involve regrading of 7 blocks, with a maximum fill of 7.2 feet.

(f) Moving the northern portal of the Divisadero street tunnel one block south from Lombard to Greenwich would involve such extensive regrading as to greatly disturb the street contours of that district.

Recommendation. Both these arrangements of diagonal southerly portals of this Fillmore-Steiner tunnel have some advantages especially the covered one, and if it is the belief of your Board that the necessary condemnation of property and the settlement of the damage suits entailed thereby can be carried out in time to permit the tunnel to be ready for the Exposition, I should be inclined to favor this tunnel. For the open diagonal entrance, the total saving over the Fillmore street route would be three blocks, or about 1,000 feet, representing an expenditure of \$400,000 to \$450,000. Against this saving must be placed the cost and damages along a strip through two fairly valuable business blocks with possibly the slight regrading of Bush street and some regrading at the northerly approach of Steiner street, to secure an approach grade as easy as that of the southerly approach.

On this account, I very much fear that the delays incident to carrying out this project might render it practically impossible to complete in time for the Exposition, and that the Steiner street tunnel, although theoretically attractive, therefore eliminates itself from this study.

**PRELIMINARY REPORT NO. 4 OF
BION J. ARNOLD—LOCATION OF
OUTER TERMINUS OF GEARY
STREET MUNICIPAL RAILROAD.**

The following matter was presented and ordered published at length in the Journal:

Board of Supervisors, City of San Francisco—Gentlemen: In accordance with the desire of your committee to have my recommendations regarding the extensions of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad from its present terminus at Thirty-third avenue into and through West Richmond, I submit herewith such limited recommendations as I am able to make at this time. You will, of course, appreciate that these recommendations can in no way reflect the tendency of my ultimate recommendations upon the larger question of extensions to the municipal or privately owned lines throughout the City, as this will require the most careful and comprehensive study. As I see it, the extension of the Geary Street Road to the Beach is at present to a considerable degree a question of local development of a new territory, so that it is entirely logical to consider this separately from the larger problem above stated.

The problem before you involves the following objects:

I. To enable the Geary street line to transport passengers as near to the ocean front as possible and by the most direct route.

II. To extend the present built-up district bordering upon Point Lobos avenue as far west as possible.

III. To develop the idle territory of West Richmond at present unoccupied through lack of adequate transportation to the business center.

I understand that the original intent of the Geary street bond issue was to continue the operation of Geary street cars over the present tracks on Point Lobos avenue, thence from the present terminal at Thirty-third avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads on the Clement street line as far as Cliff avenue; thence to construct new tracks along Cliff avenue to Forty-eighth avenue, thence around Sutro Heights to the Beach, returning by the same route. The questions before you for determination are as follows:

First—To acquire the right to run over the tracks of the United Railroads for more than five blocks. This, I understand, can be accomplished by the acquisition of property rights between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth avenues, in order to accomplish the extension of Cliff avenue to meet the 5-block joint operation provision of your charter.

Second—Can the standard rolling stock operate with safety around the

steep grade and curves presented by the contemplated road to the Beach?

Third—Will this route accomplish in the best manner the objects above-mentioned?

Fourth—Is it desirable from an economic standpoint to superimpose two routes serving practically the same outlying territory?

Fifth—Can a route be developed in West Richmond intermediate between the present established lines, with fairly easy grades, which will develop this unused land to better advantage than by the original plan contemplated?

Sixth—If a new plan of extension is available, will the north-south sections thereof fit into a plan of ultimate extension of a crosstown line across Golden Gate Park into Sunset, to develop the latter in the same manner as contemplated for West Richmond?

Grades.

Preliminary to this study, I have prepared a map of Richmond showing all the official grades established within this district. A study of this map reveals the following facts:

First—The grade on Cliff avenue around Sutro Heights from Forty-eighth avenue to the Beach is practically a continuous grade of 8 per cent, rising to 8.4 per cent in some locations.

Anza ("A") street is a blind street with an impossible exit. It is also impossible, without regrading, to descend to the Beach along Balboa ("B") street, on account of the prohibitive grades at the western end.

There is no possible descent from Geary to Balboa street, west of Thirty-eighth avenue, where a maximum grade of 9.8 per cent exists. The next descent is in Thirty-fourth avenue—5.7 per cent maximum.

In Thirty-third avenue, a hump or broken grade exists between Geary and Anza, which could be removed so as to give a practically level route from Geary to Balboa—2.7 per cent maximum.

Twenty-seventh avenue offers the next easy grade descent to Balboa street—4.3 per cent maximum.

Following Anza street west, only one prohibitive grade occurs, this being between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth avenues.

Balboa street at the western end is available for railway tracks as far west as Forty-fifth or Forty-sixth avenue, beyond which there are prohibitive grades.

Cabrillo ("C") street is quite level with the exception of a hump between Forty-first and Forty-second avenues.

Only three north-south passes between Balboa and Cabrillo streets exist west of Thirty-third avenue, viz.:

Forty-fifth avenue, 8 per cent (which could be regraded to 5.2 per cent).

Forty-first avenue, 6.7 per cent.

Thirty-seventh avenue, 5.8 per cent.

Second—It will thus be seen that an extension out Point Lobos avenue to Forty-eighth avenue cannot reach the Beach without descending the Cliff House grade. This grade is not impossible with cars fitted with air and hand-brakes, but operation over such a continued grade with a sharp curve is certainly not advisable if it can be avoided.

Third—The only remaining entrance to the Beach is at the terminus of Cabrillo street, and it is not possible to find a transverse avenue west of Thirty-fourth avenue that will give a direct descent from Geary to Cabrillo. This means that the route must be broken to suit the contours.

Important Connections.

The development of Lincoln Park will make it desirable for the Geary street road to reach the main Park entrance which will be at either Thirty-third or Thirty-fourth avenue. This can readily be accomplished by joint operation over the present lines of the Clement street route to Thirty-third avenue, and thence to any desired point.

Sutro Heights, Sutro Baths and the Cliff House are at present served by two existing routes leading from the business district by fairly direct lines.

In Golden Gate Park, the entrance near Spreckels Lake in Thirty-sixth or Thirty-seventh avenues offers a direct path to the Stadium, and other entrances can be obtained without difficulty opposite Forty-third avenue.

In Sunset District, a north-south route has already been planned in Thirty-third avenue, which suggests the desirability of a depressed line across the Park, leading directly from Lincoln Park to Sloat boulevard and passing the Stadium.

The ocean front is now served by two existing routes, whose carrying capacity is taxed to the utmost on Sundays and holidays.

Development.

Owing to the fact that Balboa street is intermediate between Geary and Fulton, and two blocks distant from each, it is reasonable that this street would be most responsive to, and needs most, additional transportation throughout its length. However, as it is impossible to descend to the Beach without very extensive alterations of grades at the western end, it is necessary to descend to the next lower grade along Cabrillo street through one of the three passes above named.

On account of the steep grades above

Anza street, an east-west line thereon would be desirable to accelerate development (although one block away from an existing line) considerably more than in a more level territory such as Cabrillo street, where easy walking exists to the Fulton street line.

In view of the importance of the Stadium and the contemplated north-south crosstown line from Lincoln Park to Parkside via Thirty-third avenue, this section of the Geary street extension could be utilized effectively as a part of this crosstown line.

An alternative, designed to cover the largest amount of undeveloped territory in West Richmond consists in separating the Geary street extension into two single track lines as follows, these to be laid on one side of the center line, so as to be in proper position for future double tracking when desirable:

Geary street to Thirty-fourth, to Anza, to Thirty-ninth, to Balboa, to Forty-fifth, to Cabrillo, to Beach; returning, Cabrillo to Thirty-seventh, to Balboa, to Thirty-fourth, to Geary (with the option of Thirty-third in both cases).

This separation of tracks would inclose thirteen blocks, but would inconvenience somewhat passengers residing on the higher levels.

The one remaining plan is that which considers the maximum usage of Balboa street, routed as follows:

Geary street to Thirty-fourth (or Thirty-third), to Balboa, to Forty-fifth, to Cabrillo to the Beach; return by the same route.

This plan develops territory midway between existing car lines as far west as the grades will permit.

Recommendation.

I therefore recommend to you that this last-named plan be adopted for the present extension of the Geary street road and coupled therewith the ultimate intention of extending the Balboa street line eastwardly into Turk street, the improvement of which I understand your Board has now under consideration, and which I regard very desirable to preserve, as it is the only remaining direct thoroughfare from the Beach to the business district, unoccupied by car lines and having no serious physical disadvantages in the way of grades. I also recommend that the Thirty-fourth avenue section (or Thirty-third regraded) be extended to Golden Gate Park, via Thirty-seventh and a connection be made with Lincoln Park as above indicated.

The exact street for the Golden Gate Park extension will depend upon the best depressed line that can be found across the Park, which is as yet undetermined. Provision, however, should

be made for this extension of two blocks. Thirty-seventh avenue offers the best entrance, other conditions being satisfactory.

In my final report I shall deal more definitely with the general problem of extensions throughout city. Respectfully submitted,

BION J. ARNOLD,
Consulting Engineer.

Chicago, Ill., April 8, 1912.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9399 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Library Fund.

The Emporium, books, San Francisco Public Library, (claim dated March 31, 1912) \$798.76

General Fund, 1911-12.

Consolidated Motor Car Co., Pope-Hartford Public Service Ambulance No. 12,012, for Emergency Hospital, (claim dated March 15, 1912) \$5,000.00

D. A. White, Chief of Police, April claim Police Contingent Allowance, (claim dated April 1, 1912) 666.66

Sunset Monarch Oil Co., Asphalt, repairs to streets, etc., (claim dated March 15, 1912) 3,551.84

Western Rock Products Co., powdered lime rock, repairs to streets, etc., (claim dated March 26, 1912) 2,415.35

Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., Assignee Keystone Const. Co., 10th payment, Mission street viaduct, southerly section, (claim dated April 2, 1912) 5,599.90

Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished hydrants, (claim dated March 28, 1912) 10,943.59

San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty Animals, impounding, feeding redeeming, sale and destruction of animals, (claim dated April 1, 1912) 1,554.80

Phillips & Van Orden Co., printing, Department of Elections, (claim dated March 20, 1912) 722.18

Associated Oil Co., fuel oil for Relief Home, (claim dated March 16, 1912) ... 637.02

The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors, (claim dated March 1, 1912) 3,603.91

Pacific Gas and Electric Company, gas and electricity supplied public streets and public buildings, month of March, 1912, (claim dated March 30, 1912) 35,359.44

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Mechanical Dust Suction Co., final payment, vacuum cleaning, Burnett School, (claim dated March 18, 1912) \$957.65

Robt. Trost, final payment, general construction, Lincoln School, (claim dated March 18, 1912) 10,987.25

Ralston Iron Works, 3rd payment; structural steel Girls' High School, (claim dated April 2, 1912) 15,975.00

Henning & Burke, 5th payment, general construction, Girls' High School, (claim dated March 26, 1912) 36,000.00

Wm. Le Baron, 1st payment, painting, Lowell High School, (claim dated March 29, 1912) 646.50

Park Fund.

Spring Valley Water Company, water furnished Parks, January 22 to February 20, 1912, (claim dated February 24, 1912) \$1,576.05

Hauling and Laying Pipe, Fire Protection Account, Bond Issue 1908.

Cost Investment Co., 5th payment, Section 3, (claim dated April 2, 1912) \$10,090.58

Robert C. Storrie & Co., 1st payment, Section 1, (claim dated April 3, 1912) 10,488.41

Purchase Cast Iron Pipe, Fire Protection Account, Bond Issue 1908.

Enterprise Foundry Co., 20th payment, cast iron specials, Contract No. 39, (claim dated April 3, 1912) \$3,877.14

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

Lange & Bergstrom, 2nd payment, general construction, Everett School Annex, (claim dated April 2, 1912) \$2,565.00

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

F. L. Cassaretto, supplies Hetch Hetchy Stations, (claim dated March 21, 1912) \$513.59

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Contra Costa Construction Co., 1st payment, Ingleside Outlet Sewer "C." (claim dated April 2, 1912)	\$2,842.13
Contra Costa Construction Co., 7th payment, North Point Main Sewer Section D-1, (claim dated April 2, 1912)	4,801.49
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 7th payment, North Point Main Sewer Section D-2, (claim dated April 2, 1912)	7,760.81
F. Rolandi, 7th payment North Point Main Sewer Section D-3, (claim dated April 1, 1912)	9,259.35

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

City Street Improvement Co., final payment, paving right of way Geary St. Railway (claim dated March 25, 1912)	\$6,434.81
Pennsylvania Steel Co., rail to Municipal Pipe Yard, (claim dated December 30, 1911)	6,517.00
Pennsylvania Steel Co., rail to Municipal Pipe Yard, (claim dated November 28, 1911)	27,321.00
Pennsylvania Steel Co., rail to Municipal Pipe Yard, (claim dated March 8, 1912)	5,953.00
Pennsylvania Steel Co., rail to Municipal Pipe Yard, (claim dated January 11, 1912)	5,922.00

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue, January 1, 1910.

McLeran & Peterson, 9th payment, general construction, Polytechnic Shop Building, (claim dated April 3, 1912)	\$7,827.00
Dyer Bros., 2nd payment, steel construction, Academic building, Polytechnic High School, (claim dated April 1, 1912)	35,000.00

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Wittman-Lyman Co., final payment, plumbing, Hall of Justice, (claim dated March 12, 1912)	\$7,562.00
Otis Elevator Co., final payment, elevators, Hall of Justice, (claim dated March 26, 1912)	3,486.25

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Vulcan Iron Works, 1st payment, ice making and re-

frigerator plant, S. F. Hospital, (claim dated April 2, 1912)	\$3,187.50
Lange & Bergstrom, 1st payment, terra cotta clothes chutes, S. F. Hospital, (claim dated April 2, 1912)	2,250.00
Speck Mfg. Co., 1st payment, sterilizers, S. F. Hospital, (claim dated March 28, 1912)	2,250.00
Lowry & Daly, 1st payment, tiling, S. F. Hospital, (claim dated April 2, 1912)	7,005.00
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15. Excused from voting—Supervisor McLeran—1.	

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9400 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For moving and fitting up Departments in temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice, additional appropriation; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." Account.....\$10,000.00

For purchase of cows for Relief Home; out of item "Continuance of Sanitary Measures"

750.00

For repairs and maintenance of various departments of the Bureau of Public Buildings, during month of April, 1912; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." Account.....

6,000.00

For reconstruction of, repairs to and equipment of School Department Buildings, during month of April, 1912; out of item "For the reconstruction of repairs to, and equipment of School Department Buildings"

6,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Providing \$60,000 for Cleaning and Repairing Sewers and Repaving and Repairing Streets During April, 1912.

Resolution No. 9401 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of sixty thousand dollars is hereby appropri-

ated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the item in the budget for "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc.," account, for cleaning and repairing sewers, and reconstruction and repair of the following streets during the month of April, 1912, to wit:

Reconstruction of

Post street, Powell to Taylor.

Harrison street, Eleventh to Fourteenth.

Howard street, Second to Third.

Repair of

Powell street, Union to Bay.

Mason street, Columbus avenue to Bay.

Annie street, Jessie to Mission.

Twelfth street, Market to Mission.

Larkin street, McAllister to Post.

Larkin street, Pine to California.

Post street, Hyde to Larkin.

Clay street, Battery to Front.

Fifteenth street, Mission to Howard.

Folsom street, Fifth to Sixth.

Ninth street, Market to Howard.

Townsend street, Japan to Third.

Ellis street, Mason to Larkin.

Fifteenth street, Mission to Guerrero.

Cobble streets

Folsom street, Steuart to First.

Pacific street, Stockton to Jones.

Main street, Folsom to Harrison.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hooks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Providing for the Issuance and Redemption of City Hall and Civic Center Bonds.

Bill No. 2087, Ordinance No. 1873 (New Series), providing for the issuance and redemption of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, to the amount of eight million, eight hundred thousand dollars, for the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building or buildings and improvements to be used by the City and County of San Francisco as a City Hall and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of creating a Civic Center in accordance with and as authorized at a special election held in said City and County on the 28th day of March, 1912, this Ordinance being the fourth of a series of Ordinances to be adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco under and by virtue of which it is proposed to incur a bonded indebtedness of said City and

County for the purposes herein stated.

Whereas, a special election was held in the City and County of San Francisco on the 28th day of March, 1912, in accordance with the provisions and requirements of Ordinance No. 1797 (New Series), calling and providing for such election, and Ordinance No. 1820 (New Series), giving notice thereof, reference to said ordinances for further particulars being here made, and,

Whereas, it has been determined, by Resolution No. 9373 (New Series), reference thereto for further particulars being here made, that at such special election more than two-thirds of the votes cast thereat were cast and counted as being in favor of and to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purposes and in the amount stated in the proposition submitted thereat.

Now, therefore, be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. That bonds of the City and County of San Francisco will be issued in accordance with the result of the special election held in said City and County on the 28th day of March, 1912, and the provisions of the charter of said City and County and with Ordinances Nos. 1797 (New Series) and 1820 (New Series), as follows, to-wit:

That bonds will be issued, as aforesaid, to the amount of Eight Million, Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars for the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building or buildings and improvements to be used by the City and County of San Francisco as a City Hall, and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto for the purpose of creating a Civic Center; that such bonds shall be called "City Hall Bonds," shall be eighty-eight hundred in number and shall be numbered from one to eighty-eight hundred, both inclusive, and shall be payable, Two Hundred Thousand Dollars thereof five years from the date of said bonds, beginning with the lowest numbers and Two Hundred Thousand Dollars of the next higher numbers, on the same day in each succeeding year until all of said bonds shall be paid.

Section 2. All of the bonds issued, as herein provided, shall be of the form and character known as "serials." All of said bonds shall be dated July 1, 1912, and shall bear interest at the rate of five percentum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of January and July of each year until the maturity thereof; shall be of

the denomination of One Thousand Dollars each and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County in the city and state of New York.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, countersigned by the Auditor and attested by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors with the seal of said City and County. Said bonds shall be substantially in the following form:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
City and County of San Francisco.
CITY HALL BOND.

No. _____ \$1,000.00

For value received, the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer on the first day of July, 19—, One Thousand Dollars, with interest thereon, at the rate of five percentum per annum, payable semi-annually, January 1 and July 1, on presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached as they respectively become due, both principal and interest being payable in Gold Coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York.

This bond is issued under and pursuant to the Constitution and Statutes of the State of California and the charter of said City and County of San Francisco and amendments thereto, and under and pursuant to ordinances and proceedings of said City and County duly adopted and taken, and a vote and assent of more than two-thirds of the qualified electors of said City and County voting at a special election duly and legally called and held for that purpose.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required by law to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have existed, happened and been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City and County, does not exceed any limit prescribed by the Constitution or Statutes of said State or Charter of said City and County, and that provision has been

made as required by the Constitution and Statutes of said State and the Charter of said City and County for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on this bond as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of this bond on or before maturity. Full faith and credit of said City and County are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond.

This bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement, stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that this bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of this bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time this bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person, or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of this bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon.

This bond is exempt from all taxation within the State of California.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has caused this bond to be executed under its corporate seal, signed by its Mayor and Treasurer, and countersigned by its Auditor; and has caused interest coupons hereto attached to be signed by the engraved or lithographed signature of its Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of July, 1912.

Mayor.

Treasurer.

Countersigned. _____

Auditor.

Attest: _____

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.
(Seal).

Section 4. Interest coupons shall be attached to each bond to the number of twice the number of years such bond will run until the maturity thereof and in the amount of Twenty-five dollars, which sum will be the amount due for interest on such bond for six months; such coupons shall be numbered from one upwards and shall state the name and number of the bond to which it is attached. Such coupon shall bear the facsimile signature of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco and be substantially in the following form:

FORM OF COUPON.

No. _____ \$25.00
 On _____, 19—, the City and County of San Francisco, California, will pay to bearer at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco, in the City and State of New York, Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) in Gold Coin of the United States, being six months' interest then due on its bond dated July 1, 1912.
 No. _____

Treasurer.

Section 5. Any bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that the bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of the bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time the bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of the bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon. Such registration shall be substantially in the following form:

FORM OF REGISTRATION.

San Francisco,, 19..
 This bond is registered pursuant to Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, in the name of and the interest and principal thereof are hereafter payable to such owner.

Treasurer.

Section 6. For the purpose of providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds, taxes shall be levied and collected as provided in Ordinance No. 1797 (New Series) and Ordinance No. 1820 (New Series) and in furtherance of the purposes herein expressed the following fund is hereby created, to-wit: City Hall Bond Redemption and Interest Fund.

Section 7. The Board of Supervisors shall sell said bonds at such times and in such amounts as it may determine. The proceeds arising from the sale of the City Hall Bonds shall be placed in the Treasury to the credit of the City Hall Civic Center Improvement Fund and shall be used exclusively for the purpose for which such bonds were issued.

Section 8. This Ordinance is the fourth of a series of Ordinances adopted by the Board of Supervisors under and by virtue of which it is proposed to incur a bonded indebtedness of said City and County for the purpose herein stated.

Section 9. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Repealing Ordinance Creating Bureau of Weights and Measures.

The following matter heretofore passed for printing was taken up:

Bill No. 2090, Ordinance No. _____ (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures."

Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved that bill be indefinitely postponed pending action on appeal of Weights and Measures ordinance now in effect.

Amendment.

Supervisor Vogelsang moved as an amendment that entire matter be referred to Judiciary Committee.

* *Amendment carried.*

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

(Out of Order.)

Delinquent Tax List.

The following proposals for printing, publishing and distributing the delinquent tax list for the fiscal year 1911-12 were received, opened and referred to *Supplies Committee*:

1. J. Wardell, .055 per line; certified check, \$1,000.
2. Jas. H. Barry Co., .0475 per line; certified check, \$500.

Lithographing City Hall-Civic Center Bonds.

Supervisor Giannini stated before the bids for lithographing bonds were opened that he was opposed to a lithographed bond and favored the steel engraved bond for the reason that it is the only kind of a bond that can be listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

Motion.

Supervisor Bancroft moved that it be the sense of the Board that the City Hall-Civic Center bonds be lithographed.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Noes—Supervisors Giannini, Koshland—2.

Absent — Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy—2.

Whereupon, proposals for lithographing 8,800 City Hall-Civic Center bonds were received, opened and read and referred to *Supplies Committee*:

1. Pacific Lithographing Co., \$1,492.50; certified check, \$150.

2. Schwabacher, Frey, \$1,698; certified check, \$200.

3. H. S. Crocker, \$1,892; certified check, \$200.

4. A. Carlisle, \$1,579; certified check, \$160.

5. Myself-Rollins, \$1,995; certified check, \$199.50.

6. Britton & Rey (lithographed), \$2,475 (steel engraved), \$4,990; certified check, \$500.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9402 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That extension of time on public contract is hereby granted to Ralston Iron Works, thirty days from and after March 26, 1912, on its contract for completion of structural steel for Girls' High School, delays having been caused in the shipment of materials from Eastern mills.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Boiler and Laundry Permits.

Resolution No. 9403 (New Series), as follows:

The following resolution was presented by Supervisor Giannini:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers—

Joe Gardella, northeasterly line of Quesada avenue 375 feet southeasterly from Griffith street, 30 horse power, for reducing animal and vegetable substances to tallow.

Winter & Walsh, No. 1909 Mission street, 5 horse power, for heating purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9404 (New Series):

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New

Series) be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter described location, to-wit:

J. N. Copus, at northeast corner of Forty-sixth avenue and Lawton street, for 12 horses, on condition that said stable is set back 50 feet from the street line and will not be maintained for more than 90 days from April 3, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Requiring the Cleaning of Vacant Lots.

Bill No. 2091, Ordinance No. 1874 (New Series), entitled, "Requiring the cleaning of vacant lots by the removal of rubbish and debris."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9405 (New Series), Granting the following extensions of time to the following contractors for the construction of the John Swett Grammar School building, to-wit:

Ninety days time from and after March 27, 1912, to each of the following persons on their contracts for construction of said school:

O. C. Holt, for general construction; William S. Snook & Son, for plumbing work;

Pacific States Sales Corporation, for vacuum cleaning;

Abrahamson and de Gear, for heating and ventilating.

For the reason that the work could not be started on time, owing to the site being obstructed by temporary building, and for further reason that the Board of Education is still occupying temporary school quarters on said site which interfered with the yard work; and further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

(Communication from Board of Public Works, filed March 30, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Authorizing Payment of \$1500 to Abby F. Knipe for Land on Park Street Required as Additional Site for Junipero Serra School.

Resolution No. 9406 (New Series), Resolved, That an expenditure of fif-

teen hundred (\$1500.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue of 1908, in payment to Abby F. Knipe as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the northerly line of Park street (formerly West Park street), distant thereon 172 feet $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches westerly from the westerly line of Holly Park Circle (formerly Holly Park avenue), of dimensions 25x100 feet; being Lot No. 42, Block 3 of the Holly Park Tract, required as additional site to Junipero Serra School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9407 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That L. H. Westdahl be and is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after April 11, 1912, within which to complete contract for paving Corbett avenue between Ord and Seventeenth streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was not allowed to proceed with the work on account of proposed grade changes in this street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Action Deferred.

The following matter heretofore passed for printing, was taken up and *laid over one week*:

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2088, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same", the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit:

That the intersection of Cortland avenue and Wool street be improved by constructing granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the angular corners of the intersection, where not already constructed, and by paving the roadway thereof with an asphalt pavement, consisting of a 6-inch concrete foundation and a 2-inch asphaltic wearing surface, except on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by a railroad company

having tracks thereon, and by constructing brick cesspools (catch-basins) with cast iron frames, gratings and traps and 10-inch vitrified salt glazed iron-stone pipe culverts on the angular corners thereof.

That the crossing of Irving street and Forty-second avenue be improved by grading to official line and grade by constructing redwood curbs and broken-rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof with a broken rock pavement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Fixing Sidewalk Widths, Balmy Street.

Bill No. 2089, Ordinance No. 1875 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and fifty-five", the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Balmy street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets at three feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$92,445.61 and entered in Register of Demands No. 11 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 15,868 to 16,000, inclusive, and in Register of Demands No. 12, from 1600 to 16,348, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund.

Whitcomb Estate, by Jas. Otis, trustee, rent premises 1217 to 1245 Market street for month of March, 1912 (claim dated April 3, 1912)	\$ 1,900.00
Auto Sales Co., one Veile automobile and gasoline for Relief Home (claim dated April 2, 1912)	2,000.40
Miller & Lux Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated March 30, 1912)	1,815.05
Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., provisions, Relief Home (claim dated April 1, 1912)	1,055.79
H. Lehrke Sons, provisions, Relief Home (claim dated March 30, 1912)	2,592.13
Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., provisions, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 1, 1912)	1,103.65
Herbert F. Dugan, drug supplies, City and County Hospital (claim dated March 27, 1912)	767.13
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., final payment, paving, California street, between Sansome and Battery streets (claim dated April 2, 1912)	520.29
Healy-Tibblitts Construction Co., tenth payment, Mission Street Viaduct, northerly section (claim dated April 2, 1912)	1,329.16
John Cassaretto, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated April 3, 1912)	748.75
Western Lime and Cement Co., sand to Board of Public Works (claim dated April 2, 1912)	2,364.99
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
J. F. O'Brien Co., Ins., second payment, Brannan street sewer (claim dated April 5, 1912)	\$ 2,657.38
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Elmer Carlson, ninth payment, general construction. Lowell High School (claim	

dated April 9, 1912)	\$ 6,000.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
F. Rolandi, fifth payment, North Point Main Sewer, Section "E" (claim dated April 2, 1912)	\$ 5,874.15
<i>San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
McSheehy Bros., sixth payment, interior finish, Nurses' Home and four ward buildings (claim dated April 8, 1912)	\$ 2,520.00
Smith & Johnson, sixth payment, plastering, San Francisco Hospitals (claim dated April 2, 1912)	4,999.50
Ralston Iron Works, first payment, interior ornamental iron work, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated April 9, 1912)	1,950.00
Fredk. C. Roberts & Co., second payment, steam turbines, San Francisco Hospitals (claim dated April 2, 1912)	14,850.00
Columbia Marble Co., second payment, marble, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated April 8, 1912)	3,262.50
<i>Islais Creek Incinerator, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Mercer-Fraser Co., first payment, grading site and setting piers (claim dated April 4, 1912)	\$ 6,600.00
<i>Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Rudgear-Merle Co., final payment, ornamental interior metal work, Hall of Justice (claim dated March 26, 1912)	\$ 4,351.50
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Southern Pacific Co., freight claims, castiron pipe from Anniston, Ala. (claim dated April 1, 1912)	\$ 554.29
U. S. Castiron Pipe and Foundry Co., third payment, castiron pipe (claim dated March 19, 1912)	774.74
Chas. C. Moore & Co., seventh payment, Pumping Station No. 1 (claim dated April 10, 1912)	10,057.50
Caldwell & Co., first payment, Pumping Station No. 2 (claim dated April 9, 1912)	3,600.00
Union Iron Works, second payment, purchase of bolts, tie rods, lead, etc. (claim dated April 10, 1912)	5,007.39
Michael Murphy, fifth payment, hauling and laying	

pipe, Section 4 (claim dated April 10, 1912)..... 8,663.43

General Fund.

Bion J. Arnold, services, investigation and report on street railway systems in San Francisco (claim dated April 12, 1912)\$ 2,492.86

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For the purchase of books, magazines and documents for Municipal Reference Library, out of Urgent Necessities fund \$100.00

For one Remington-Whal, style "D," combined typewriter and adding machine for office of the Treasurer, out of Urgent Necessities fund .. 226.80

For office furniture for Bay View Police Station, out of item "Appropriation for construction of Bay View Police Station" .. 150.00

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Auditor and Recorder to Cancel Certificates of Sale of City Property Sold in Error to State.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: J. R. No. 171.

Whereas, The Auditor in a written communication dated March 26, 1912, recommends that the assessments and tax sales hereinafter set forth be cancelled for reasons set forth in said communication, and the City Attorney has given his consent to such cancellation; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Auditor be and he is hereby directed to cancel the assessments of the following described parcels of land and improvements for the year stated in connection with each such description, and the Recorder is directed to cancel the sales thereof as described by the number of each description, viz.:

Sale No. 20, June 27, 1895, for 1894 taxes—Lot N. line Broadway, 127 feet 6 inches W. from Powell street, thence E. 10 feet, thence N. 105 feet 6 inches, thence W. 3 feet, thence N. 32 feet, thence W. 7 feet, thence S. 137 feet 6 inches; 50 Vara block 132. Assessed in the name of Delia Mowry. Deed issued to the state June 28, 1900.

Note—This property is now a part of Churchill street.

Sale No. 118, July 3, 1896, for 1895 taxes—Improvements on lot S. E. line Market street, 250 feet N. E. from Fifth street, thence N. E. 25x100 feet; 100 Vara block 371. Assessed in the name of H. M. Black. Deed issued to the state July 5, 1901.

Sale No. 119, July 3, 1896, for 1895 taxes—Improvements on lot S. E. line Market street, 225 feet N. E. from Fifth street, thence N. E. 25x100 feet; 100 Vara block 371. Assessed in the name of H. M. Black. Deed issued to the state July 5, 1901.

Sale No. 120, July 3, 1896, for 1895 taxes—Improvements on lot S. E. line Market street, 200 feet N. E. from Fifth street, thence N. E. 25x100 feet; 100 Vara block 371. Assessed in the name of W. H. McCormick. Deed issued to the state July 5, 1901.

Sale No. 121, July 3, 1896, for 1895 taxes—Improvements on lot S. E. line Market street, 175 feet N. E. from Fifth street, thence N. E. 25x100 feet; 100 Vara block 371. Assessed in the name of Jas. McGinn. Deed issued to the state July 5, 1901.

Sale No. 122, July 3, 1896, for 1895 taxes—Improvements on lot S. E. line Market street, 150 feet N. E. from Fifth street, thence N. E. 25x100 feet; 100 Vara block 371. Assessed in the name of Peter Creegan. Deed issued to the state July 5, 1901.

Sale No. 123, July 3, 1896, for 1895 taxes—Improvements on lot S. E. line Market street, 75 feet N. E. from Fifth street, thence N. E. 25x100 feet; 100 Vara block 371. Assessed in the name of Thomas McGinnis. Deed issued to the state July 5, 1901.

Sale No. 124, July 3, 1896, for 1895 taxes—Improvements on lot S. E. line Market street, 50 feet N. E. from Fifth street, thence N. E. 25x100 feet; 100 Vara block 371. Assessed in the name of unknown owners. Deed issued to the state July 5, 1901.

Sale No. 125, July 3, 1896, for 1895 taxes—Improvements on lot S. E. line Market street, 25 feet N. E. from Fifth street, thence N. E. 25x100 feet; 100 Vara block 371. Assessed in the name of Jno. Grant. Deed issued to the state July 5, 1901.

Sale No. 126, July 3, 1896, for 1895 taxes—Improvements on lot E. corner Market and Fifth streets, thence N. E. 25x100 feet; 100 Vara block 371. Assessed in the name of Jno. Grant. Deed issued to the state July 5, 1901.

Note—Sales Nos. 118 to 126 inclusive, cover Lincoln School property.

Sale No. 480, June 30, 1900, for 1899 taxes—Lot N. line Vallejo street, 381 feet 9 inches W. from Baker street, thence W. 9 feet, thence N. E. 135 feet, thence S. E. 3 feet, thence S. 134 feet to beginning; Western Addition block

573. Assessed in the name of unknown owners. Deed issued to the state July 1, 1905.

Sale No. 819, June 30, 1900, for 1899 taxes—Lot No. 19, Block 11, Noe Garden Homestead Union. Assessed in the name of Mary Tobener.

Sale No. 820, June 30, 1900, for 1899 taxes—Lot W. line Douglass street, 32 feet N. from Twenty-fourth street, thence N. 32x125 feet; Block 11, Noe Garden Homestead Union. Assessed in the name of Goodall Estate Co.

Sale No. 821, June 30, 1900, for 1899 taxes—Lot N. W. corner Douglass and Twenty-fourth streets, thence N. 32x125 feet; Block 11, Noe Garden Homestead Union. Assessed in the name of Jas. M. Curtin.

Sale No. 822, June 30, 1900, for 1899 taxes—Lot No. 16, Block 11, Noe Garden Homestead Union. Assessed in the name of Goodall Estate Co.

Note—Sales Nos. 819 to 822, inclusive, cover school property.

Sale No. 507, June 23, 1904, for 1903 taxes—Lot N. line Waller street, 246 feet 10½ inches W. from Clayton street, thence W. 63 feet 9 inches x 275 feet; Western Addition Block No. 680. Assessed in the name of Baird Estate.

Note—This property is now a part of Belvedere street.

Sale No. 118, June 30, 1905, for 1904 taxes—Lot S. E. line Howard street, 185 feet S. W. from Ninth street, thence S. W. 40x100 feet; Mission Block No. 2. Assessed in the name of W. S. Richards. Deed issued to the State July 2, 1910.

Note—This property is now a part of Dore street.

Sale No. 925, June 24, 1907, for 1906 taxes—Lot E. line Fourteenth avenue, 231 feet 6 inches S. from "B" street, thence S. 41 feet 6 inches x 240 feet; Outside Lands Block 368. Assessed in the name of James Brown.

Sale No. 764, June 23, 1909, for 1908 taxes—Lot commencing on the S. W. corner Twenty-seventh avenue and Lake street (if extended), thence running N. 40 feet x 107 feet 6 inches; Lands in acres. Assessed in the name of Stephen A. Born.

Sale No. 105, June 26, 1911, for 1910 taxes—Lot N. line Fifteenth street, 211 feet 9 inches W. from Guerrero street, thence W. 20x520 feet; Mission Block 28. Assessed in the name of Adolnh Hagenmann.

Note—This property is now Ramona avenue.

Sale No. 213, June 26, 1911, for 1910 taxes—Lot S. line Nineteenth street, 67 feet E. from Diamond street, thence E. 40x135 feet; Horner's Addition, Block 194. Assessed in the name of C. P. Leighton.

Sale No. 1262, June 26, 1911, for 1910

taxes—Lots Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 2, Sunnyside. Assessed in the name of Homeland Co.

Note—This property is now Phelan avenue.

Such cancellation shall be made as provided by Section 3804a of the Political Code and for the reasons set forth in the communications herein referred to and on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Boiler and Oil Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted the Mount Zion Hospital to erect and maintain two boilers of eighty horsepower each, for heating purposes; and also to install an oil storage tank in premises situate at the northwest corner of Post and Scott streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Garage Permit Repealed.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: J. R. No. 172.

Resolved, That permission heretofore granted Bert Saunders to conduct a public garage at the Great Highway, 112 feet 6 inches south of Judah street, as set forth in Resolution No. 9356 (New Series), be and is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Denying Stable Permits.

Also, J. R. No. 173.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

Ugo Arrigani, for three horses, on

the west side of Hartford street, 201 feet south of Nineteenth street.

Joseph T. McGrath, for three horses, at 3838 Twenty-sixth street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 174.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas & Electric Company be and is hereby directed to install a triple top gas lamp on the north side of Broadway, 100 feet west of Mason street, and remove the single top gas lamp at present in that location:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Mayor to Sell at Public Auction Certain Shack Buildings Formerly Used by John Swett School.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction all those certain shack buildings formerly used by the John Swett School and located on the north side of McAllister street between Franklin and Gough streets.

Motion.

Supervisor Murphy moved to amend by adding the words "when vacated."

Adopted.

Whereupon the above resolution, as amended, was adopted as Journal Resolution No. 175, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Ordering Construction of Engine House on Stockton Street, North of Greenwich Street.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Bill No. 2092, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

Ordering the construction of a fire engine house on the easterly side of Stockton street, 27 feet 6 inches north of Greenwich street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners; authorizing and directing

the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said fire engine house, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes," in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

City Attorney to Advise as to Rights of Southern Pacific Company on Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

J. R. No. 176.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and is hereby requested to advise the Board of Supervisors as to what rights, if any, the Southern Pacific Railway Company has to run or lay its tracks over the following named streets, to-wit:

Berry, Seventh, Division and the crossings of Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh streets and through the Mission District.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Change of Grade Polk Street.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Resolution No. 9408 (New Series),

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed March 28, 1912, to-wit:

On Polk street at the northerly line of Lombard street, at 140 feet.

(The same being the present official grade.)

On Polk street, at the crossing of Chestnut street, be raised and established at 120 feet.

On Polk street, at the southerly line of Francisco street, at 110 feet.

(The same being the present official grade.)

On Polk street, between Lombard and Francisco streets, and on Chestnut street, between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue, be changed and established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations above given therefor and the present official grades on Chestnut street at Larkin street and Van Ness avenue.

It is further declared to be the in-

tention of the Board of Supervisors to order the following street work to be done on the said portions of the above mentioned streets, to-wit:

The regrading of Polk street between Lombard and Francisco streets and of Chestnut street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; also, the re-sewering of Polk street between Lombard and Chestnut streets; of Chestnut street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue, and the crossing of Polk and Chestnut street, also the re-laying of such curbs as are now in good condition, and the reconstruction of such paving or other street improvements as have been constructed to official grade on Polk street between Lombard and Francisco streets and on Chestnut street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue.

The district to be benefited by such changes of grades and to be assessed for the payment of damages caused thereby, and also the expense of regrading and re-sewering the above mentioned streets as above specified, is hereby defined and established as follows:

These certain tracts, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the intersection of the center line of Sutter street with the center line of Van Ness avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Van Ness avenue to the center line of North Point street; thence easterly along the center line of North Point street to the center line of Larkin street; thence southerly along the center line of Larkin street to the center line of Sutter street, and thence westerly along the center line of Sutter street to the point of commencement.

The actual cost of performing the work of regrading and sewerage and otherwise improving said portions of said streets as above specified shall be assessed upon the said district which is above declared to be benefited by such changed or modified grade (except that the Board of Supervisors reserves the right in its discretion to order by ordinance that the whole or any part of the cost and expense of the work aforesaid or the damages resulting therefrom be paid out of the treasury of the City and County of San Francisco, from such funds as the Board of Supervisors may designate).

Any person owning property fronting upon said portions of the street or streets where such grade is to be changed and such street work is to be done may file a petition with the Board of Public Works within sixty

(60) days after the first publication of this Resolution of Intention, showing the fact of such ownership, a description and situation of the property claimed to be damaged, its market value and the estimated amount of damages over and above all benefits which the property would sustain by the proposed change if completed. Such petition shall be verified by the oath of the petitioner, or his agent, and failure so to petition shall be deemed and treated as a waiver of any claim for such damage or damages. The Board of Public Works shall cause to be conspicuously posted along all streets within the district defined in this resolution, notices of the passage of this resolution, in the manner and in the form as required by the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

Resolution No. 9387 (New Series), approved April 3, 1912, and all other resolutions in conflict with this resolution are hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Board of Public Works to Recommend Construction of Certain Sidewalks.

Also, J. R. No. 177.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to recommend to the Board of Supervisors the construction of sidewalks where not already in good condition, to wit:

Mason street, from Turk to Eddy streets.

Mason street, from Eddy to Ellis streets.

Mason street, from Geary to Post streets.

Mason street, from Post to Sutter streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Conditional Acceptance.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Bill No. 2093, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Thirty-seventh avenue, between Lincoln way and Irving street, paved with asphalt; the intersection of the roadway of Arguello boulevard and Irving street."

Full Acceptance, Godeus and Coleridge Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2094, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), as follows: Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of intersection of Godeus and Coleridge streets.

Fixing Width of Sidewalks.

Also, Bill No. 2095, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and fifty-seven," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Treat avenue, between Precita avenue and its southerly termination at nine feet.

Also, Bill No. 2096, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 18th, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and fifty-six," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Palou avenue, between Lane and Jennings streets, at fifteen feet.

Ordering Sewer Work.

Also, Bill No. 2097, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the reconstruction of sewers and appurtenances in Stanyan street, from Frederick street to Oak street, and in Oak street, from Stanyan to Cole streets; approving and adopting plans and specifications thereof, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing of said work at an estimated cost of thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars, out of the proceeds of sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, for the doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Action Deferred.

The following matter was introduced by Supervisor Giannini and on motion of Supervisor Koshland *laid over one week*:

Ratifying and Confirming Map of Sears Street.

Bill No. 2098, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ratifying and confirming a map of Sears street, between Lawrence avenue (formerly Sherman avenue) and Sickles avenue."

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY COMMITTEE.

Board of Public Works to Furnish Statement of Shacks in Fire Limits.

The following resolution was introduced, under suspension of the rules, by Supervisor Hayden and referred on motion of Supervisor Giannini to the

Public Buildings Committee by the following vote:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby requested to furnish the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors with a statement showing the number of shacks within the fire limits on May 1, 1911, and the number remaining standing on April 15, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—10.

Noes—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Murdock, Vogelsang—5.

Absent—Supervisors Caglieri, Jennings, Mauzy—3.

Amending Building Law Relative to Construction of Frame Buildings.

The following matter was introduced by Supervisor McLeran and referred to *Public Buildings Committee*:

Bill No. 2099, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 78 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), approved December 22, 1911, and known as the Building Law of the City and County of San Francisco," relative to the construction of frame or wood buildings.

Announcements.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher announced that the Water Rates Committee would meet on Tuesday evening, April 23, 1912, for the purpose of hearing complaints against inadequacy of water service and to consider ways and means of extending service to outlying districts.

Supervisor George E. Gallagher announced that Streets Committee would meet on same evening to consider 10-year bond improvement plan.

City Attorney to Advise Board as to its Power to Cause Removal of Shacks in Fire Limits.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Vogelsang and on motion of Supervisor Giannini referred to the *Public Buildings Committee* by the following vote:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the City Attorney be requested to advise this Board as to its power, if any, to enforce the summary removal of all shacks or temporary wooden structures now located, and occupied or unoccupied, within the fire limits of this city.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Murdock, Vogelsang—4.

Absent—Supervisors Caglieri, Jennings, Mauzy—3.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 5:20 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors April 22, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisor. of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, APRIL 22, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, April 22, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of April 15, 1912, was read and approved.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS, 3 P. M.

The following matter, laid over from March 18, 1912, and made a Special Order of Business for 3 p. m. this day, was on motion of Supervisor Giannini taken up at 2:30 p. m., there being no objection to such action:

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans and Surveys and Outline Assessment District for the Construction of the Fillmore Street Tunnel.

J. R. No. 178.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is requested, through the City Engineer, to furnish as expeditiously as possible the necessary preliminary plans and surveys for establishing an assessment district in connection with the construction of a tunnel through and under Fillmore street from the north line of Sutter street to the south line of Filbert street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Privilege of the Floor.

C. C. Moore, President of the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company, was granted the privilege of the floor and

addressed the Board in opposition to the Fillmore street tunnel project, stating that the directors of the Exposition Company and himself felt in an embarrassing position in seeming to be opposed to a public improvement, but they did not know until the leases were signed that the Exposition Company would be liable for assessment for the construction of the Fillmore street tunnel. He declared that the directors of the Exposition Company had three objections to offer: 1st, We object to using Exposition money for other than Exposition purposes; 2nd, We feel that the tunnel cannot be finished in time to be of benefit to the Exposition; 3rd, Even if it is finished it will not be sufficient for the uses to be put upon it by the Exposition. He declared further that today they were facing the trouble that the plans adopted for the Exposition may have to be altered because of lack of money. If the Board of Supervisors orders the construction of the tunnel, he stated, that he and the other directors would be obliged to pay the assessment, but otherwise he would not use a dollar of the Exposition money for other than Exposition purposes, unless ordered to do so by a court.

Dr. Hartland Law was also granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that his brother and himself owned twenty blocks of land in the Harbor View District, which they had turned over to the Exposition Company for five years without requiring any rental therefor, provided the land was filled in as promised and that the taxes and assessments falling due thereon were paid by the Exposition Company. He declared that the estimated cost of the fill was \$20,000 and that taxes and assessments would amount to \$23,000, a total of \$43,000, the benefit he would derive, as against \$1,500,000, the interest on the value of the land turned over to the use of the Exposition Company at the rate of 6 per cent for a period of five years, which he would lose. He stated that he had released the Exposition Company from its liability for tunnel assessment which the

terms of the lease imposed upon it, and urged the construction of the tunnel and the filling of the land as agreed upon, otherwise no benefit would accrue to him for the use of his property. He believed that property owners whose property was benefited by the construction of the tunnel should pay the assessment.

Alexander Heyneman was also granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that he was opposed to the district plan of assessment, and declared that it should be a universal assessment levied on all property in the city, which would be benefited thereby. He complained that he would be assessed at both ends—once for the Fillmore street tunnel and again for the Broadway tunnel.

Jos. Rothchild also addressed the Board, in opposition to the proposed tunnel in Fillmore street, declaring that the majority of the property owners were not in favor of it, and that it was advocated only by the Fillmore Street Merchants' Association for the benefit they would derive from it.

George Skaller was also granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, and stated that in considering methods for raising money for the construction of necessary tunnels in various parts of the city it was found that the conditions existing owing to bonding limit of the city fixed by the Charter, that for two decades nothing could be done in the way of tunnel construction under bond issue, and it was decided to raise money for that purpose by a plan similar to the assessment plan for street work. He declared further that no property owner would be assessed twice for tunnel construction, that statement previously made was not true and that those assessed for Broadway tunnel would not be assessed for the Fillmore street tunnel. He declared that the people assessed would be amply benefited, for their property would double and triple in value.

J. W. Treadwell, representing the Fillmore Street Merchants' Association, stated that 97½ per cent of the property owners and business men on Fillmore street, between Sutter and Fulton streets signed in favor of the tunnel, and that there was not a single protest against it. He declared that the Exposition Company was not legally obligated to pay more than \$190,000 for tunnel construction, inasmuch as it had not entered into leases for all the land required and when time comes to sign up favorable conditions in this respect can be made.

M. Esberg was granted the privi-

lege of the floor and stated that the real estate man of the Exposition Company estimated the cost to the company for tunnel assessment on a basis of all the land to be signed up, but that if the land of the Law Brothers and that not yet signed up was eliminated from the calculation it of course would make some difference. He also declared that the frontage of the land of the Fulton Iron Works, which belonged to the Exposition Company and on which it must pay assessment, was greater in frontage than the frontage of property owners signing in favor of the tunnel.

H. D. H. Connick, Director of Works, Panama-Pacific Exposition Company, also addressed the Board, stating that while securing the Vanderbilt leases in New York some of the options on the Harbor View property had expired, and that leases would have to be made with the knowledge that the property owners or the Exposition Company must pay the tunnel assessment, and that the leases might not be so easily made.

C. C. Moores also addressed the Board, stating that it was not true that there was no opposition to the Fillmore street tunnel, that a protest signed by one hundred and fifty property owners had been presented to the committee by himself as representative of the Golden Gate Valley Improvement Club.

Motion.

Supervisor Bancroft moved that the public discussion now close.

So ordered.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution was adopted as Journal Resolution No. 178 by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee—Chas. Murdock, Chairman.

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—
Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—Alexander Vogelsang, Chairman.

Dismissal of Condemnation Proceedings Against Certain Civic Center Lands.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From City Attorney, recommending dismissal of condemnation proceedings for acquisition of certain Civic Center lands.

Report of the Public Buildings Committee.

San Francisco, Calif., April 22, 1912.
To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Public Buildings begs leave respectfully to report that a communication was received from the City Attorney, filed April 17, 1912, recommending the dismissal of action in condemnation suits instituted for the acquisition of certain lands for Civic Center purposes.

Your Committee would state, that after due consideration it is not deemed necessary to acquire at this time the certain land situate and bounded on the north by Golden Gate avenue, on the east by Larkin street, on the south by Redwood street and on the west by Polk street, and would recommend that the City Attorney be directed and authorized to dismiss the action of condemnation hereinabove referred to, so far as the same relates to the following defendants, to wit:

Kate C. Marmovich, A. H. Oppenheimer, Ada Johnson, Emma Erzgraber, Minnie Matilda Erzgraber, Isabella Gillett, The Estate of Katherine Erzgraber, Renee M. Brandenstein, Lester L. Roth, Albert Abrams, Annie E. White, Lotta P. Rossier, Joseph R. Davidson, Samuel J. Davidson, David Davidson, Katherine Farrell and Victor L. Podesta; and also as far as the same relates to the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, to wit:

Bounded on the north by Golden Gate avenue, on the east by Larkin street, on the south by Redwood street and on the west by Polk street, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5.

A resolution in accordance with the recommendation has been prepared and presented to your honorable Board, with recommendation that same be passed.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL BANCROFT,

GEO. E. GALLAGHER,

R. McLAREN.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced, under suspension of the rules, by Supervisor Bancroft, and adopted by the following vote:

Resolution No. 9409 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, On the first day of April, 1912, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco duly passed, and the Mayor of said City and County of San Francisco duly approved Resolution No. 9374 (New Series), which said resolution designates the land necessary to be acquired for the purposes of a permanent building or buildings and improvements to be used by said City and County as a City Hall, and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto for a Civic Center, and which said resolution further empowered and required the City Attorney of said City and County to commence to prosecute an action for the condemnation of the land described in said resolution for said public use and purpose, and

Whereas, On the first day of April, 1912, in conformity with the provisions of said Resolution No. 9374 (New Series), the City Attorney of the City and County of San Francisco filed in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco an action against the owners of the land described in said Resolution No. 9374 (New Series) to condemn the properties therein described, and

Whereas, The land described in Subdivision 5 of Paragraph IX of said complaint is not immediately necessary or required for the immediate use of said Civic Center,

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the City Attorney of the City and County of San Francisco be and he is hereby directed and authorized to dismiss the action of condemnation hereinabove referred to as far as the same relates to the defendants Kate C. Marinovich, A. H. Oppenheimer, Ada Johnson, Emma Erzgraber, Minnie Matilda Erzgraber, Isabella Gillett, The Estate of Katherine Erzgraber, Renee M. Brandenstein, Lester L. Roth, Albert Abrams, Annie E. White, Lotta P. Rossier, Joseph R. Davidson, Samuel J. Davidson, David Davidson, Katherine Farrell and Victor L. Podesta, and also as far as the same relates to the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely, that certain lot, piece, parcel or block of land bounded on the north by Golden Gate avenue, on the east by Larkin street, on the south by Redwood street and on the west by Polk street, the same being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Leave of Absence, Rev. D. O. Crowley.
President Playground Commission.

The Clerk read:

Communication—From His Honor the Mayor, recommending a leave of absence from State for sixty days to Rev. D. O. Crowley, President of Play-ground Commission.

Whereupon, the following resolution was presented and adopted by the fol-lowing vote:

J. R. No. 179.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of His Honor the Mayor, Rev. D. O. Crowley, Chairman of the Playground Commission, be and is hereby granted permission to ab-sent himself from the State of Cali-fornia for a period of sixty days, com-mencing April 22, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallag-her, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Report of Supplies Committee on Bids For Lithographing Bonds.

The following report was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, April 22, 1912.
To the Honorable, the Board of Super-visors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Supplies Commit-tee to which were referred the bids for the lithographing of 8,800 City and Civic Center bonds, begs leave to re-port as follows:

The following bids were submitted:
Pacific Lithographing Co.....\$1492.50
A. Carlisle Co..... 1590.00
Schwabacher-Frey Stat. Co... 1698.00
H. S. Crocker Co..... 1892.00
Mysell Rollins Bank Note Co. 1995.00
Britton & Rey..... 2475.00

There also was submitted a bid for steel engraved bonds by Britton & Rey for the sum of \$4990.00.

The Committee held several meet-ings and fully investigated the char-acter of the bids and the work prom-ised to be performed thereunder. It finds that the specifications under which these bids were submitted were subject to different interpretations on the part of the various bidders and after mature deliberation finally recommends to your honorable Board that all bids be rejected, also certified checks be returned and that new bids be advertised for under specifications

to be prepared by the Supplies Com-mittee.

Very respectfully yours,

ADOLF KOSHLAND,
FRED L. HILMER,
CHAS. A. MURDOCK,
Supplies Committee.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Koshland and on motion adopted by the following vote:

Clerk to Advertise For Proposals For Lithographing, Lith.-Engraving and Steel Engraving City Hall Civic Center Bonds.

J. R. No. 180.

Be it Resolved, That the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be instructed to advertise for new bids for the litho-graphing engraving or lithrograph-ing and engraving of 8,800 City Hall and Civic Center bonds under specifications to be prepared by the Supplies Committee, and that bids therefor be opened on May 6, 1912, at 3 p.m.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallag-her, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9410 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following ex-penditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund.

Whitcomb Estate, by Jas. Otis, trustee, rent premises 1217 to 1245 Market street for month of March, 1912 (claim dated April 3, 1912)	\$ 1,900.00
Auto Sales Co., one Veile automobile and gasoline for Relief Home (claim dated April 2, 1912)	2,000.40
Miller & Lux Inc., meats, Re-lief Home (claim dated March 30, 1912)	1,815.05
Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., pro-visions, Relief Home (claim dated April 1, 1912)	1,055.79
H. Lehrke Sons, provisions, Relief Home (claim dated March 30, 1912)	2,592.13

Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., provisions, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 1, 1912)	1,103.65	Islais Creek Incinerator, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.	
Herbert F. Dugan, drug supplies, City and County Hospital (claim dated March 27, 1912)	767.13	Mercer-Fraser Co., first payment, grading site and setting piers (claim dated April 4, 1912)	\$ 6,600.00
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., final payment, paving, California street, between Sansome and Battery streets (claim dated April 2, 1912)	520.29	Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., tenth payment, Mission Street Viaduct, northerly section (claim dated April 2, 1912) ..	1,329.16	Rudgear-Merle Co., final payment, ornamental interior metal work, Hall of Justice (claim dated March 26, 1912) ..	\$ 4,351.50
John Cassaretto, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated April 3, 1912)	748.75	Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.	
Western Lime and Cement Co., sand to Board of Public Works (claim dated April 2, 1912)	2,364.99	Southern Pacific Co., freight claims, castiron pipe from Anniston, Ala. (claim dated April 1, 1912)	\$ 554.29
Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.		U. S. Castiron Pipe and Foundry Co., third payment, castiron pipe (claim dated March 19, 1912)	774.74
J. F. O'Brien Co., Ins., second payment, Brannan street sewer (claim dated April 5, 1912)	\$ 2,657.38	Chas. C. Moore & Co., seventh payment, Pumping Station No. 1 (claim dated April 10, 1912)	10,057.50
School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.		Caldwell & Co., first payment, Pumping Station No. 2 (claim dated April 9, 1912) ..	3,600.00
Elmer Carlson, ninth payment, general construction. Lowell High School (claim dated April 9, 1912)	\$ 6,000.00	Union Iron Works, second payment, purchase of bolts, tie rods, lead, etc. (claim dated April 10, 1912)	5,007.39
Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.		Michael Murphy, fifth payment, hauling and laying pipe, Section 4 (claim dated April 10, 1912)	8,663.43
F. Rolandi, fifth payment, North Point Main Sewer, Section "E" (claim dated April 2, 1912)	\$ 5,874.15	General Fund.	
San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.		Bion J. Arnold, services, investigation and report on street railway systems in San Francisco (claim dated April 12, 1912)	\$ 2,492.86
McSheehy Bros., sixth payment, interior finish, Nurses' Home and four ward buildings (claim dated April 8, 1912)	\$ 2,520.00	Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.	
Smith & Johnson, sixth payment, plastering, San Francisco Hospitals (claim dated April 2, 1912)	4,999.50	Appropriations.	
Ralston Iron Works, first payment, interior ornamental iron work, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated April 9, 1912)	1,950.00	Resolution No. 9411 (New Series), as follows:	
Fredk. C. Roberts & Co., second payment, steam turbines, San Francisco Hospitals (claim dated April 2, 1912) ..	14,850.00	Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:	
Columbia Marble Co., second payment, marble, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated April 8, 1912)	3,262.50	For the purchase of books, magazines and documents for Municipal Reference Library, out of Urgent Necessities account	\$100.00
		For one Remington-Whal, style "D." combined typewriter and adding machine for office of the Treasurer, out of Urgent Necessities	226.80

For office furniture for Bay View Police Station, out of item "Appropriation for construction of Bay View Police Station" 150.00
 Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Boiler and Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 9412 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted the Mount Zion Hospital to erect and maintain two boilers of eighty horsepower each, for heating purposes; and also to install an oil storage tank in premises situate at the northwest corner of Post and Scott streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Ordering Construction of Engine House on Stockton Street, North of Greenwich Street.

Bill No. 2092, Ordinance No. 1876 (New Series), as follows:

Ordering the construction of a fire engine house on the easterly side of Stockton street, 27 feet 6 inches north of Greenwich street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said fire engine house, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes," in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Conditional Acceptance.

Bill No. 2093, Ordinance No. 1877 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Thirty-seventh avenue, between Lincoln way and Irving street, paved with asphalt; the intersection of the roadway of Arguello boulevard and Irving street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallag-

her, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Full Acceptance, Godeus and Coleridge Streets.

Bill No. 2094, Ordinance No. 1878 (New Series), as follows: Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of intersection of Godeus and Coleridge streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Fixing Width of Sidewalks.

Bill No. 2095, Ordinance No. 1879 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and fifty-seven," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Treat avenue, between Precita avenue and its southerly termination at nine feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 2096, Ordinance No. 1880 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 18th, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and fifty-six," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Palou avenue, between Lane and Jennings streets, at fifteen feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Action Deferred.

The following matter heretofore passed for printing, was taken up and laid over one week:

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2088, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same", the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit:

That the intersection of Cortland avenue and Wool street be improved by constructing granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the angular corners of the intersection, where not already constructed, and by paving the

roadway thereof with an asphalt pavement, consisting of a 6-inch concrete foundation and a 2-inch asphaltic wearing surface, except on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by a railroad company having tracks thereon, and by constructing brick cesspools (catch-basins) with cast iron frames, gratings and traps and 10-inch vitrified salt glazed iron-stone pipe culverts on the angular corners thereof.

That the crossing of Irving street and Forty-second avenue be improved by grading to official line and grade by constructing redwood curbs and broken-rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof with a broken rock pavement.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Ordering Sewer Work.

Bill No. 2097, Ordinance No. 1881 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the reconstruction of sewers and appurtenances in Stanyan street, from Frederick street to Oak street, and in Oak street, from Stanyan to Cole streets; approving and adopting plans and specifications thereof, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing of said work at an estimated cost of thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars, out of the proceeds of sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, for the doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications, for said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$124,564.18 and entered in Register of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 16,357 to 16,878, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Referred.

The following matter was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and referred to Judiciary Committee:

Efficiency Committee Authorized to Destroy Papers of No Value for Record or Any Other Purpose.

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, there has accumulated in the Clerk's office of the Board of Supervisors, quantities of papers and documents of no value for record or any purpose therefore,

Resolved, That the Efficiency Committee be authorized to have destroyed such of those papers and documents as, in its judgment, are obsolete, duplicates, useless and without value.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

V. J. Belknap, second payment, plumbing, Lowell High School (claim dated April 15, 1912) \$1,793.25

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Robert Dalziel Jr., assignee of Central Electric Heating and Plumbing Co., third payment, piping for tunnel work, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated March 26, 1912) .. \$2,685.00

Robert A. McLean, fourth payment, cement and composition floors, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated April 12, 1912) 2,799.00

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland, repaving over-side sewer trenches (claim dated April 5, 1912) \$ 809.15

General Fund.

Frederick Meyer, advisory architect, Civic Center and City Hall (claim dated March 29, 1912) \$1,666.00

John Reid Jr., advisory architect Civic Center and City Hall (claim dated March 29, 1912) .. 1,666.00

John Galen Howard, advisory architect, Civic Center and City Hall (claim dated March 29, 1912)	1,666.00
A. Paulsen, boring test holes new City Hall site (claim dated March 28, 1912)....	771.25
The de Lisle Realty Co., agents, rent, Hewes Building, month of April, 1912 (claim dated April 15, 1912)	1,703.00
Peter Cauby, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 1, 1912)	664.95
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 4, 1912).....	784.06
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 1, 1912)	1,143.20
Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated March 31, 1912)	1,502.62
Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin County, California, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 1, 1912).....	1,634.19
Maud B. Booth Home for Children, maintenance of minors (claim dated March 30, 1912)	522.50
The St. Vincent De Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated March 31, 1912) .. .	3,877.60
The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 1, 1912)	635.81
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated March 31, 1912)	750.14
D. Demartini, hauling from San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated April 2, 1912)	570.00
Thos. Morton & Sons, coal, San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated March 30, 1912)	1,613.60
Scott, Magner & Miller, hay, San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated February 29, 1912)	1,388.94
Scott, Magner & Miller, hay, San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated March 31, 1912) .. .	1,362.02
W. & J. Sloane, shades, carpets, etc., San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated March 22, 1912)	673.74
Somers & Co., straw and oats, San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated March 30, 1912)	1,925.24

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For mechanical equipment, plans and specifications, and superintendence of certain school building, out of School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908	\$1,600.00
For purchase of water for filling Twin Peaks reservoir and high pressure water pipes and testing high pressure system, out of Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908	3,500.00
For removal by Board of Public Works of "shack" buildings within fire limits which are not erected and constructed in conformity with building laws of this City and County, out of Urgent Necessities Fund	500.00
For repairs to ranges, etc., at County Jail, out of "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." Account	350.00
For making surveys, profiles and other data by the City Engineer connected with projecting streets through Laurel Hill Cemetery, out of "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." Account	800.00
For salaries of engineers, janitors, elevator operators, Hall of Justice, balance of fiscal year, out of "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." Account	1,052.05
For salaries of engineers, janitors, elevator operators, City Hall, balance of fiscal year, out of "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." Account	3,530.00

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Releasing Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland from Liability on Bond of Treasurer.

Resolution No. 9413 (New Series), as follows:

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Whereas, The Crocker National Bank of San Francisco did under date of February 12, A. D. 1911, execute and deliver to the City and County of San Francisco two certain bank depository

bonds, one in the sum of twenty thousand and 00-100 (\$20,000.00) dollars, and the other in sum of fifty thousand and 00-100 (\$50,000.00) dollars, running in favor of John E. McDougald, as Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, and with the Fidelity and Trust Company of Maryland, as surety upon said bonds guaranteeing to hold said Treasurer harmless from liability by reason of certain deposits made in said bank, the said bonds being given in accordance with Resolution No. 2752 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and

Whereas, the said Crocker National Bank of San Francisco, has, under date of December 1, 1911, furnished two new and additional bonds with the Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company, as sureties, the same to be in lieu and place of the bonds above described with the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, as sureties, and

Whereas, there is no provision in the said bonds furnished by the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland for the termination or cancellation thereof, and the new bonds of the Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company have been accepted in lieu and place of the former ones be it, therefore,

Resolved, That the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland are hereby discharged and released from any liability on either of the bonds above described for any act or thing occurring subsequent to December 1, 1911, before the date of the bonds accepted in lieu of the bonds of the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland and that the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to execute to the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland a release from further liability on said bonds as hereinbefore described.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Destruction of Cancelled Bonds and Other Useless Documents.

J. R. No. 181.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Whereas, there are in the Treasurer's office a large quantity of bonds that have been cancelled by order of the Board of Supervisors more than two years ago and are without value as a matter of record or other purpose, therefore

Resolved, That the Treasurer be authorized to destroy the bonds, issue of 1904, heretofore cancelled as aforesaid, such destruction to consist of burning the same in the presence of the rep-

resentatives of the Auditor's office and of the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors; also authorizing the destruction of unused and useless poll tax receipts and other valueless documents.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Statements of Percentages Due City on Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad Company for Months of January, February and March, 1912.

Also, J. R. No. 182.

Resolved, That the statements heretofore filed by the Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad Company, showing that there is due the City and County of San Francisco the sums of \$725.93 for month of January, 1912, \$705.63 for month of February, 1912, and \$729.50 for month of March, 1912, the same being percentages of gross receipts from passenger fares on said railroad and due the City in accordance with the terms of its lease, be and the same are hereby accepted and said Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad is hereby directed to deposit with the Treasurer the aggregate in the sum of \$2,161.06, the same to be placed to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Statements of Percentages Due City on Gough Street franchise for Months of February and March, 1912.

Also, J. R. No. 183.

Resolved, That the statements heretofore filed by the United Railroads as lessee of the Gough Street Railroad showing that there is due the City and County of San Francisco the sum of \$27.58 for month of February, 1912, and \$29.88 for month of March, 1912, the same being percentages of gross receipts from passenger fares on said Gough Street Railroad, and due the City in accordance with the terms of its franchise, be and the same are hereby accepted and said United Railroads is hereby directed to deposit with the Treasurer the aggregate in the sum of \$57.46, the same to be placed to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Statements of Percentages Due City on Parkside franchise for Months of February and March, 1912.

Also, J. R. No. 184.

Resolved, That the statements filed by the United Railroads as lessee of the Parkside Transit Company, showing that there is due the City and County of San Francisco the sums of \$110.40 for month of February, 1912, and \$113.47 for month of March, 1912, the same being percentages of gross receipts from passenger fares of said Parkside Transit Company, and due the City in accordance with the terms of its franchise, be and the same are hereby accepted and said United Railroads is hereby directed to deposit with the Treasurer the aggregate in the sum of \$223.87, the same to be placed to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Oil, Boiler and Garage Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tank.

F. S. & M. W. Joost, northeast corner of Hyde street and Troy alley, capacity 1500 gallons.

Boiler.

A. W. Bitting, No. 615 Sansome street, six horsepower, for furnishing power to food and drug laboratory.

Garages.

B. L. Marks, No. 112 Leavenworth street.

J. Witt, No. 150 Valencia street.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting was taken up and again *laid over one week*:

Laundry Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That John Lestelle be and he is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a laundry at premises No. 2151 Union street.

Recommitted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Caglieri and on motion *recommitted to Health Committee*:

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revoca-

ble at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to H. E. Springer to maintain a stable for one horse in the rear of 32 Mizpah avenue, Glen Park District.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Denying Veterinary Hospital Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 185.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Dr. John F. McKenna to maintain a veterinary hospital at 514-516 Octavia street, corner of Ivy avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Denying Stable Permits.

Also, J. R. No. 186.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

Joseph Mangini, for one horse, at 325 Fifteenth avenue, Richmond District.

John Jnecco, for two horses, at 35 Tingley street.

Nick Salmas, for 50 horses, in Folsom street, 352 feet west of Third street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 187.

Resolved, That the Pavilion Skating Rink Company is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at the Pavilion Rink, corner of Sutter and Pierce Streets, April 24, 1912, upon payment of the usual license fee.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Ordering Construction of Islais Creek Incinerating Plant.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

Bill No. 2098 Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of a building for the

Islais Creek Incinerating Plant on City property situate in block south of Army street, between Kansas and Rhode Island streets, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Supervisors; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said building for the Islais Creek Incinerating Plant, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed ninety thousand (90,000.00) dollars out of the Garbage System Construction Bonds 1908, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Ordering Construction of Harbor View Police Station.

Also, Bill No. 2099, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of a Police Station on the southerly side of Greenwich street, between Scott and Pierce streets, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Police Commissioners; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said Police Station, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed thirty-five thousand (35,000.00) dollars, out of the item "For construction and equipment of Police Department Buildings and for purchase of lands for Police Department purposes," in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Extensions of Time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following extensions of time are hereby granted the following contractors on the construction of the San Francisco Hospital, to-wit:

To R. McLean, for cement flooring, 90 days from April 12, 1912.

To R. Dalziel, for boilers, etc., 30 days from April 21, 1912.

To John G. Sutton Co., for disinfectors, 30 days from April 21, 1912.

To Speck Manufacturing Co., for sterilizers, 30 days from April 21, 1912.

To Vulcan Iron Works, for refrigerators, 45 days from April 21, 1912.

To F. Roberts Co., for turbines, 30 days from April 21, 1912.

To W. P. Fuller & Co., for glazing, 90 days from April 12, 1912.

To Mangrum & Otter, for kitchen apparatus, 30 days from May 12, 1912.

To Ralston Iron Works, for interior ornamental iron, 60 days from May 10, 1912.

To Troy Laundry Machinery Co., for

laundry and machinery, 30 days from April 19, 1912.

These extensions are recommended by the Bureau of Architecture, as the buildings are in such a state that contractors cannot proceed with certain portions of their work.

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2100, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Bryant street, between Army street and Precita avenue; and crossing of Alameda and Bryant streets."

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2101, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Geary street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues; and crossing of Eighteenth and Hampshire streets."

Accepting Deed for Opening and Extension of Nineteenth Street.

Also, Bill No. 2102, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed from Charles K. Blender and Anna Blender, his wife, and Margaret Canavan, Louis H. Newroth and Alice B. Newroth, his wife, E. A. Carson and Anna B. Carson, his wife, for the opening and extension of Nineteenth street westerly from Douglass street."

Fixing Sidewalk Widths on Circular Avenue.

Also, Bill No. 2103, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and fifty-eight," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on the westerly side of Circular avenue at ten feet, and abolish the width of sidewalks on the easterly side of Circular avenue.

Ordering Street and Sewer Work.

Bill No. 2104, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same, the provisions of which order street sewer work on the following streets: Harrison and Twenty-sixth streets, crossing; Chenery, from Randall to Miguel; Alma and Stanvan streets, crossing; Stanyan street, between Alma and Rivoli streets; Nineteenth avenue and Judah street, crossing; Judah street,

between Nineteenth and Twentieth avenues; Ulloa street and Thirtieth avenue; Ulloa street, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first avenues; Ulloa street and Thirty-first avenue; Kirkham street and Forty-fifth avenue, crossing; Forty-fifth avenue, between Kirkham and Lawton streets; Forty-fifth avenue and Lawton street, crossing; Lawton street, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth avenues.

Action Deferred.

The following matter, laid over from last meeting, was taken up and on motion *again laid over one week*:

Ratifying and Confirming Map of Sears Street.

Bill No. 2105, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ratifying and confirming a map of Sears street, between Lawrence avenue (formerly Sherman avenue) and Sickles avenue."

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Award of Contract, Delinquent Tax List
On motion of Supervisor Koshland:

J. R. No. 188.

Resolved, That the contract for publishing the Delinquent Tax List for the year 1911-12 be awarded to the James H. Barry Company at the price bid therefor, viz., four and three-fourths cents per line (the same being the lowest bid responsible submitted therefor), in strict accordance with the specifications therefor and according to law, and the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into such contract upon the filing of a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, conditioned upon the faithful performance of such contract.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

ROLL CALL FOR BILLS, RESOLUTIONS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEES.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Heads of Departments to Give Details of Estimates For Maintenance During Ensuing Fiscal Year.

On motion of Supervisor Murdock:

J. R. No. 189.

Whereas, In the matter of fixing the budget for the ensuing year it is necessary for the Finance and Efficiency Committees to secure all the information possible concerning the

needs of the several departments, therefore

Resolved, that the heads of the various offices and departments be directed to supplement their several estimates of sums required by detailed statements, showing the necessity of each increase of appropriation requested; that the absence of such detailed statement will be construed to mean that such increase is unnecessary.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Clerk to Advertise For Proposals For Making Exposition Bonds.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:

J. R. No. 190.

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to advertise that sealed proposals will be received by this Board on Monday, May 13, 1912, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the making of 5,000 Exposition Bonds, and that the Supplies Committee prepare the specifications therefor.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Clerk to Advertise Sale of Bonds.

Also, J. R. 191.

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to advertise that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, July 1, 1912, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purchase of the following 5 per cent bonds:

Issue of 1908.

Fire Protection Bonds to the amount of \$680,000, comprising 17 bonds of each year's maturity from 1916 to 1955 inclusive.

Sewer Bonds to the amount of \$400,000, comprising 10 bonds of each year's maturity from 1915 to 1954 inclusive.

School Bonds to the amount of \$400,000, comprising 16 bonds of each year's maturity from 1914 to 1938 inclusive.

Hospital Bonds to the amount of \$180,000, comprising 9 of each year's maturity from 1913 to 1932 inclusive.

City Hall Bonds.

City Hall Bonds to the amount of \$2,640,000, comprising 60 bonds of each year's maturity from 1917 to 1960 inclusive.

Exposition Bonds.

Exposition Bonds to the amount of \$1,000,000.

Also, that bids will be received on June 24, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purchase of \$8,000 Garbage Bonds, issue 1908, maturing July 1, 1912.

That the Finance Committee propose the conditions attached to sales herein directed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

City Attorney to Advise in Matter of Controlling Wireless Stations.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:
J. R. No. 192.

Resolved, That the City Attorney instruct this Board to what extent and by what means it can bring under its jurisdiction and control all wireless telegraph stations or plants within this City and County, and if practical, that he confer with the proper committee to enact an ordinance regulating the same.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Meetings of Water Service and Rates Committee.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher announced that the Water Service and Rates Committee would meet Tuesday evening, April 23, 1912, at 8 p. m., to hear complaints against inadequacy of water service, and on Wednesday evening, April 24, 1912, at 8 p. m., to commence the Water Rates Investigation.

Motion.

Supervisor G. E. Gallagher moved that the meeting of Wednesday, April 24, 1912, for the commencement of Water Rates Investigation be postponed until Wednesday, May 8, 1912, at 8 p. m.

So ordered.

Meeting of Streets Committee.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher announced that the Streets Committee would meet on Tuesday evening, April 23, 1912, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of considering Ten-Year Bond Assessment Plan.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Board of Public Works to Construct Platform For May Day Festival and Civic Center Site.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:
J. R. No. 193.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to co-operate with the Citizens' May Day Committee appointed by his Honor the Mayor in the matter of building a suitable platform for the accommodation of school children who will take part in the May Day exercises to be held on the City Hall and Civic Center site.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Amateur Boxing Permit, Olympic Club.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 194.

Resolved, That the Olympic Club is granted permission to hold an amateur boxing exhibition at the athletic grounds, corner of Eighth and Howard streets, Saturday, April 27, 1912, subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 1791 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Employees of Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad to be Given Preference on Municipal Railway.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:
J. R. No. 195.

Whereas, The work of reconstruction of the Geary Street Railway will soon be undertaken, thereby stopping its operation for a period of about six months; and

Whereas, There are now employed upon said road about seventy conductors and gripmen, and about fifteen or twenty other mechanics and employees, all of whom are competent, industrious and trustworthy, and many of whom have been in such employment for a long period of years; and

Whereas, Many of such employees are heads of families, residing along the line of said road, and all of them are acquainted with the patrons and residents of the district served by such road; and

Whereas, The past experience of such employees, their familiarity with the operation of said road, and their long acquaintance, with its patrons will make their services to the city peculiarly valuable, and their re-em-

ployment being but an act of simple justice;

Therefore, be it Resolved, That it is the sense of this Board that all such employees shall have the first opportunity for employment upon the Geary Street Municipal Railway; and be it

Further Resolved, That the efficiency committee of this Board and the Board of Civil Service Commissioners be directed to obtain a registry of all such employees, together with their addresses, and that such legal steps be taken by said Committee and said Commission as will

render all such men eligible to priority of employment on said Geary Street Municipal Railway as soon as the same shall have been completed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsong—16.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 5:15 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk Board of Supervisors.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors April 29, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, April 29, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16. Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of April 22, 1912, was read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Finance Committee—William McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Judiciary Committee—Daniel C. Murphy, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Publicity and Interurban Relations Committee—J. Emmett Hayden, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Progress Report No. 4, on cost of horseshoeing and Veterinary work, Police Department—Adolph Koshland, Chairman.

Relative to Construction of a Steel Bridge on Beale Street at Harrison Street.

The following communication was presented by his Honor the Mayor and read by the Clerk:

April 24, 1912.

To the Honorable James Rolph, Jr., Mayor, City of San Francisco—Dear Sir: Referring to matter of bridge over Beale street at Harrison, which has been the subject of negotiation between this company and your City Engineer, and which is the subject of letter written by Mr. F. W. Hoover, our industrial agent, to Mr. Edward Rainey, your secretary, on the 19th instant.

This is of considerable importance to the Southern Pacific Company and we would appreciate if the matter could be brought to the attention of yourself and the honorable Board of Supervisors at the next regular meeting, when all parties interested could be present and at which time I believe we can present an alternate plan which will be satisfactory to all concerned. Yours truly,

E. E. CALVIN.

Privilege of the Floor.

Whereupon, W. F. Hoover, Industrial Agent of the Southern Pacific Co., was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that inasmuch as all the streets on Rincon hill would be graded within the next ten years that it was wasteful and unnecessary to construct proposed steel bridge at the cost of \$32,000 and suggested as an alternative that a Howe truss temporary bridge be constructed at a cost of \$7,000 or \$8,000 and the balance of the money used in paving Beale street. He stated that he had taken the matter up with the Board of Public Works but had been informed that the assessment had been made and the contract let and that as far as said Board was concerned there was nothing to do but go on with the work.

Daniel G. Fraser, Commissioner Board of Public Works, also addressed the Board, stating that the contract had already been let for the construction of a steel bridge and that the difference in its cost and that of a temporary bridge was only \$6,000.

Joseph L. McCormick, Secretary of the Board of Public Works, also addressed the Board, stating that the proposition of the Southern Pacific Co. to construct a temporary bridge on Beale street at Harrison had been rejected by the City Engineer's office on the ground that the difference in cost was small, that steel bridge could be used later at other parts of the hill, and that an action at this time changing the character of construction might invalidate the proceedings.

Percy V. Long, City Attorney, who was present, called attention of the Board to the fact that a suit was now pending against the State for the payment of its pro rata for the improvement of Beale street, amounting to \$11,000, and any change in the plans at this time would seriously interfere with the City's ability to collect this assessment.

Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved that the Board of Public Works be instructed to proceed with the work as planned.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Baneroff, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9414 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit: *School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.*

V. J. Belknap, second payment, plumbing, Lowell High School (claim dated April 15, 1912) \$1,793.25

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Robert Dalziel Jr., assignee of Central Electric Heating and Plumbing Co., third payment, piping for tunnel work, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated March 26, 1912) \$2,685.00

Robert A. McLean, fourth payment, cement and composition floors, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated April 12, 1912) 2,799.00

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland, repaving over side sewer trenches (claim dated April 5, 1912) \$ 809.15

General Fund.

Frederick Meyer, advisory architect, Civic Center and City Hall (claim dated March 29, 1912) \$1,666.00

John Reid Jr., advisory architect Civic Center and City Hall (claim dated March 29, 1912) 1,666.00

John Galen Howard, advisory architect, Civic Center and City Hall (claim dated March 29, 1912) 1,666.00

A. Paulsen, boring test holes new City Hall site (claim dated March 28, 1912) 771.25

The de Lisle Realty Co., agents, rent, Hewes Building, month of April, 1912 (claim dated April 15, 1912) 1,703.00

Peter Caubu, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 1, 1912) 664.95

Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 4, 1912) 784.06

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 1, 1912) 1,143.20

Sister Mary Calne, Superintendent Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated March 31, 1912) 1,502.62

Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin County, California, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 1, 1912) 1,634.19

Maud B. Booth Home for Children, maintenance of minors (claim dated March 30, 1912) 522.50

The St. Vincent De Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated March 31, 1912) 3,877.60

The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 1, 1912) 635.81

Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated March 31, 1912) 750.14

D. Demartini, hauling from San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated April 2, 1912) 570.00

Thos. Morton & Sons, coal, San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated March 30, 1912) 1,613.60

Scott, Magner & Miller, hay, San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated Febru-

ary 29, 1912)	1,388.94
Scott, Magner & Miller, hay, San Francisco Fire Depart- ment (claim dated March 31, 1912) ..	1,362.02
W. & J. Sloane, shades, car- pets, etc., San Francisco Fire Department (claim dated March 22, 1912)	673.74
Somers & Co., straw and oats, San Francisco Fire Depart- ment (claim dated March 30, 1912)	1,925.24
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallag- her, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.	

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9415 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts
be and the same are hereby set aside,
appropriated and authorized to be ex-
pended out of the hereinafter men-
tioned funds for the following pur-
poses, to-wit:

For mechanical equipment, plans and specifications, and superintendence of certain school building, out of School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908	\$1,600.00
For purchase of water for filling Twin Peaks reservoir and high pressure water pipes and testing high pres- sure system, out of Fire Pro- tection Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908	3,500.00
For removal by Board of Public Works of "shack" buildings within fire limits which are not erected and constructed in conformity with building laws of this City and County, out of Ur- gent Necessities Fund	500.00
For repairs to ranges, etc., at County Jail, out of "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." Account	350.00
For making surveys, profiles and other data by the City Engineer connected with projecting streets through Laurel Hill Cemetery, out of "Paving, repaving, re- pairs to streets, etc." Ac- count	800.00
For salaries of engineers, jani- tors, elevator operators, Hall of Justice, balance of fiscal year, out of "Paving, repav- ing, repairs to streets, etc." Account	1,052.05
For salaries of engineers, jani- tors, elevator operators, City	

Hall, balance of fiscal year,
out of "Paving, repaving,
repairs to streets, etc."
Account .. 3,530.00
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri,
Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-
lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-
sang—16.

Oil, Boiler and Garage Permits.

Resolution No. 9416 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following revoca-
ble permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tank.

F. S. & M. W. Joost, northeast cor-
ner of Hyde street and Troy alley,
capacity 1500 gallons.

Boiler.

A. W. Bitting, No. 615 Sansome
street, six horsepower, for furnishing
power to food and drug laboratory.

Garages.

B. L. Marks, No. 112 Leavenworth
street.

J. Witt, No. 150 Valencia street.
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri,
Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallag-
her, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,
Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Ordering Construction of Islais Creek Incinerating Plant.

Bill No. 2098, Ordinance No. 1882
(New Series), entitled, "Ordering the
construction of a building for the
Islais Creek Incinerating Plant on City
property situate in block south of Army
street, between Kansas and Rhode
Island streets, in accordance with plans
and specifications prepared therefor
by the Board of Public Works and
approved by the Board of Supervisors:
authorizing and directing the Board of
Public Works to enter into contract
for the construction of said building
for the Islais Creek Incinerating Plant,
and to expend therefor a sum not to
exceed ninety thousand (90,000.00) dol-
lars out of the Garbage System Con-
struction Bonds 1908, and authorizing
progressive payments to be made dur-
ing the progress of said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri,
Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-
lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-
sang—16.

Ordering Construction of Harbor View Police Station.

Bill No. 2099, Ordinance No.
1883 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering
the construction of a Police Station
on the southerly side of Greenwich
street, between Scott and Pierce
streets, in accordance with plans and
specifications prepared therefor by the

Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Police Commissioners; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said Police Station, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed thirty-five thousand (\$35,000.00) dollars, out of the item "For construction and equipment of Police Department Buildings and for purchase of lands for Police Department purposes," in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9417 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following extensions of time are hereby granted the following contractors on the construction of the San Francisco Hospital, to-wit:

To R. McLean, for cement flooring, 90 days from April 12, 1912.

To R. Dalziel, for boilers, etc., 30 days from April 21, 1912.

To John G. Sutton Co., for disinfectors, 30 days from April 21, 1912.

To Speck Manufacturing Co., for sterilizers, 30 days from April 21, 1912.

To Vulcan Iron Works, for refrigerators, 45 days from April 21, 1912.

To F. Roberts Co., for turbines, 30 days from April 21, 1912.

To W. P. Fuller & Co., for glazing, 90 days from April 12, 1912.

To Mangrum & Otter, for kitchen apparatus, 30 days from May 12, 1912.

To Ralston Iron Works, for interior ornamental iron, 60 days from May 10, 1912.

To Troy Laundry Machinery Co., for laundry and machinery, 30 days from April 19, 1912.

These extensions are recommended by the Bureau of Architecture, as the buildings are in such a state that contractors cannot proceed with certain portions of their work.

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2100, Ordinance No. 1884 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Bryant street, between Army street and Precita avenue; and crossing of Alameda and Bryant streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2101, Ordinance No. 1885 (New Series), entitled "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Geary street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues; and crossing of Eighteenth and Hampshire streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Deed for Opening and Extension of Nineteenth Street.

Bill No. 2102, Ordinance No. 1886 (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed from Charles K. Blender and Anna Blender, his wife, and Margaret Canavan, Louis H. Newroth and Alice B. Newroth, his wife, E. A. Carson and Anna B. Carson, his wife, for the opening and extension of Nineteenth street westerly from Douglass street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths on Circular Avenue.

Bill No. 2103, Ordinance No. 1887 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and fifty-eight," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on the westerly side of Circular avenue at ten feet, and abolish the width of sidewalks on the easterly side of Circular avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Ordering Street and Sewer Work.

Bill No. 2104, Ordinance No. 1888 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same, the provisions of which order street sewer work on the following streets: Harrison and Twenty-sixth streets, crossing; Chenery, from Randall to Miguel; Alma and Stanyan streets, crossing; Stanyan street, between Alma and Rivoli streets; Nineteenth avenue and

Judah street, crossing; Judah street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth avenues; Ulloa street and Thirtieth avenue; Ulloa street, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first avenues; Ulloa street and Thirty-first avenue; Kirkham street and Forty-fifth avenue, crossing; Forty-fifth avenue, between Kirkham and Lawton streets; Forty-fifth avenue and Lawton street, crossing; Lawton street, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth avenues.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Action Deferred.

The following bill, laid over from last week, was taken up and on motion again *laid over one week*:

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2088, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same", the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit:

That the intersection of Cortland avenue and Wool street be improved by constructing granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the angular corners of the intersection, where not already constructed, and by paving the roadway thereof with an asphalt pavement, consisting of a 6-inch concrete foundation and a 2-inch asphaltic wearing surface, except on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by a railroad company having tracks thereon, and by constructing brick cesspools (catch-basins) with cast iron frames, gratings and traps and 10-inch vitrified salt glazed iron-stone pipe culverts on the angular corners thereof.

That the crossing of Irving street and Forty-second avenue be improved by grading to official line and grade by constructing redwood curbs and broken-rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof with a broken rock pavement.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$48,245.18 and entered in Register of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 16,881 to 17,179, inclusive, were presented read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Super-

visor Murphy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND ORDINANCES NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE.

(Out of Order.)

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced out of order and *adopted* by the following vote:

Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railroad Company to Cease Operations.

J. R. No. 196.

Whereas, P. H. Mahoney has been awarded the contract for the construction of the Geary Street Railway and has signified his desire of commencing the work of construction on the 6th day of May; therefore

Resolved, That the Geary Street, Park and Ocean Railway Company be directed to discontinue the operation of said road at the close of its day's operation on the 5th day of May, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George B. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was introduced out of order and *passed for printing*:

Pipe Line Permit—Trustees of Leland Stanford, Jr., University.

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the Trustees of Leland Stanford, Jr., University are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to install conduits for carrying steam and electric pipes across under Sacramento street about thirty feet easterly from the easterly line of Webster street; provided that this privilege is granted on condition that said Trustees of Leland Stanford, Jr., University in opening and closing the streets for the laying of conduits and pipes therein, shall act in strict accordance with the provisions of subdivision 9 of section 9 of chapter 2 of article 6 of the charter,

wherein the Board of Public Works is required to perform the work necessary in laying the aforesaid conduits and pipes;

Provided, further, That said Trustees of the Leland Stanford, Jr., University, while exercising such privilege, keep in good repair the street pavement over said conduit and pipes.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced out of order by Supervisor Vogelsang and adopted by the following vote:

Designating Reservoir Sites and Authorizing Mayor to Make Necessary Applications to Complete Lake Eleanor Water Supply Project.

J. R. No. 197.

Whereas, The City and County of San Francisco has acquired, by purchase from the Tuolumne Water Supply Company, certain rights and interests in and to the reservoir sites hereinafter described; and,

Whereas, For the successful consummation of the city's policy of developing and completing the Lake Eleanor source of a municipal water supply it is necessary that these interests of the city in and to the hereinafter described reservoir sites be fully developed; therefore,

Resolved, That the hereinafter described locations be and the same are hereby adopted by the City and County of San Francisco as the definite locations, respectively, of the reservoir sites so described. And the Mayor of this City and County is hereby authorized to apply before the United States Land Office, the Honorable Secretary of the Interior, or any other department of the government on behalf of the city, for permission to construct and complete said reservoir sites. Said applications are to be made under the Act of Congress of February 1, 1905, entitled, "An Act providing for the transfer of forest reserves from the Department of the Interior to the Department of Agriculture" (33 Statutes, p. 628), in order that the city may obtain the benefits of said Act.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to make, on behalf of the city, any other applications under said Act of Congress or under any law, before any department of government, which may be necessary for the successful completion of the Lake Eleanor Water Supply project.

The City Engineer is authorized and directed to prepare all the necessary surveys, maps, and field notes for said applications, or for any other applications which it may be necessary to make under said Act of Congress, or

under any law for the successful completion of the Lake Eleanor Water Supply project.

The City Attorney is authorized and directed to appear before the United States Land Office, the Secretary of the Interior, or any other departments of government, for and on behalf of the city in the matter of these applications, or any other proceedings which may be necessary for the successful completion of the Lake Eleanor Water Supply project.

Following is a description of each of the reservoir sites above referred to:

First—Cherry Valley Reservoir Site, Tuolumne County, California:

Commencing at a point in the N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of the N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 32, Tp. 2 N. R. 19 E., M. D. M., from which point the N.E. corner of said section 32 bears N. 39° 31' E., 1209 feet; thence following a contour line one hundred and fifty (150) feet in elevation above the low water level of Cherry River at the proposed dam site, around Cherry Valley, a distance of 10.76 miles, to the point of beginning, and containing an area of 1,179 acres, more or less.

Second—Huckleberry Lake Reservoir Site, Tuolumne County, California:

Commencing at a monument situated N. 25° 56' E. 16,654 feet from the quarter corner of section three (3) on the north line of Tp. 2, N. R. 20 E., M. D. M., which monument is at the north end of the proposed dam, thence following a contour line eighty (80) feet in elevation above the ordinary water surface of Huckleberry Lake around the Huckleberry Lake Basin, a distance of 8 688/1000 miles to the point of beginning, and containing 803 04/100 acres, a little more or less.

Third—Emigrant Lake Reservoir Site, Tuolumne County, California:

Commencing at a monument situated N. 28° 36' E., 30,473 feet from the quarter corner of section three (3) on the north line of Tp. 2 N. R., 20 E., M. D. M., which monument is on the north side of the proposed reservoir; thence following a contour line fifty (50) feet in elevation above the ordinary water surface of Emigrant Lake around the Emigrant Lake Basin, a distance of 4 483/1000 miles, to the point of beginning, and containing 319 acres, a little more or less.

Fourth—Louse Canon Reservoir Site, Tuolumne County, California:

Commencing at a monument situated N. 44° 34' W., 31,933 feet from the quarter corner of section three (3) on the north line of Tp. 2, N. R. 20 E., M. D. M., which monument is at the north end of the proposed dam, thence following a contour line one hundred

(100) feet in elevation above the ordinary surface at the dam site around the Louse Canon Basin, a distance of 4 661/1000 miles to the point of beginning and containing 248 3/10 acres, a little more or less.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund.

The Rincon Publishing Co., printing and mailing Municipal Record (claim dated April 19, 1912).....	\$ 600.11
State of California, maintenance of minors Preston School (claim dated April 15, 1912) ..	759.35
W. W. Wymore, basalt blocks to Board of Public Works (claim dated April 12, 1912) ..	594.00
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 1, 1912) ..	663.00
Spring Valley Water Co., water for parks (claim dated March 25, 1912)....	1,580.25

Park Fund.

Rudolph Herald Jr., premium on insurance Spooner collection of pictures (claim dated February 19, 1912) ..	\$ 825.00
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Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts for the following purposes, to-wit:

For construction of reviewing stand by Board of Public Works in Marshall square for May Day festival, out of item "For the reconstruction of, repairs to, and equipment of school department buildings" ..	\$ 200.00
For resurvey of Excelsior	

Homestead, Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, and the computations, compilations and mapping of the Market Street Homestead during month of May, 1912, out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." ..	4,000.00
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For purchase of pig lead to be used in the construction of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection under contract No. 65, out of item "Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908" ..	18,000.00
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Providing \$60,000 for Repair and Reconstruction of Streets During May, 1912.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of sixty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the item in the budget for "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." account, for cleaning and repairing sewers, and reconstruction and repair on the following streets during the month of May, 1912, to-wit:

Repair.

Powell street, Union to Bay streets.
Mason street, Columbus avenue, to Bay street.
Twelfth street, Market to Mission streets.
Larkin street, McAllister to Post streets.
Post street, Hyde to Larkin streets.
Clay street, Battery to Front streets.
Fifteenth street, Howard to Mission streets.
Folsom street, Fifth to Sixth streets.
Webster street, McAllister to Fulton streets.
Polk street, Market to Post streets.
Pine street, Larkin to Jones streets.
Harriet street, Harrison to Brannan streets.
Eleventh street, Market to Bryant streets.
Turk street, Hyde street to Van Ness avenue.
Eddy street, Jones street to Van Ness avenue.
Ellis street, Jones street to Van Ness avenue.
O'Farrell street, Jones street to Van Ness avenue.
Pacific street, Stockton to Jones streets.
Kentucky street, Fourth to Twenty-second streets.
Haight street, Pierce to Fillmore streets.
Waller street, Webster to Fillmore streets.
Fourteenth street, Church to Sanchez streets.

Sanchez street, Market to Waller streets.

Shotwell street, from Fourteenth street south.

Laguna street, from Haight to Page streets.

Bush street, from Laguna street west.

McAllister street, Fillmore to Divisadero streets.

Post street, Van Ness avenue to Buchanan street.

Gough street, from Sutter street north.

Pacific street, Franklin to Steiner streets.

Cedar street (formerly Cedar avenue), Polk to Van Ness avenue.

Fifteenth street from Folsom street west.

Folsom street, from Second to Third streets.

Folsom street, First to Steuart streets.

California street, Stockton to Powell streets.

Reconstruction.

Buena Vista avenue, Haight to Waller streets.

Harrison street, Eleventh to Thirtieth streets.

Post street, Powell to Mason streets.

Providing for Issuance and Redemption

of Exposition Bonds.

Also, Bill No. 2106, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), providing for the

issuance and redemption of bonds of

the City and County of San Francisco

to the amount of five million dollars

for the purposes of an international

exposition to be held in the City and

County of San Francisco to celebrate

the completion of the Panama Canal in

accordance with, and as authorized by

the Constitution of the State of Cali-

fornia, Article XI, Section 8a, as added

by amendment adopted by vote of the

people of the State of California, No-

vember 8, 1910, and by the Charter of

the City and County of San Francisco,

Article XVI, Section 29a, and Article

XII, Section 9, which sections were

adopted by amendment by vote of the

people of the City and County of San

Francisco, November 15, 1910, and approved by the Legislature of the State of California, on Feb-

ruary 17, 1911, the Supervisors of said City and County were authorized, empowered and directed without further authority to incur a bonded indebtedness of the City and County in the amount of five million dollars and to issue bonds therefor, the proceeds of said bonds to be granted and turned over to the Panama Pacific International Exposition Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of California, March 22, 1910, to be used and disbursed by said Exposition Company for the purposes of an International Exposition to be held in the City and County of San Francisco to celebrate the completion of the Panama Canal.

Now, therefore, be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. That bonds of the City and County of San Francisco will be issued in accordance with the above amendments to the Constitution of the State and the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

That bonds will be issued as aforesaid to the amount of five million dollars for the purpose of an international exposition to be held in the City and County of San Francisco to celebrate the completion of the Panama Canal; that such bonds shall be called "Exposition Bonds"; shall be five thousand in number and shall be numbered from one to five thousand, both inclusive, and shall be payable Two Hundred Thousand Dollars thereof three years from the date of said bonds, beginning with the lowest numbers, and Two Hundred Thousand Dollars of the next higher numbers on the same day in each succeeding year until all of said bonds shall be paid.

Section 2. All of the bonds issued, as herein provided, shall be of the form and character known as "serials." All of the said bonds shall be dated May 1, 1912, and shall bear interest at the rate of five percentum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of May and November of each year until the maturity thereof; shall be of the denomination of One Thousand (1,000) Dollars each and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County in the city and state of New York.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and by the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, countersigned by the Auditor and attested by the Clerk of the

Board of Supervisors with the seal of said City and County. Said bonds shall be substantially in the following form:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
City and County of San Francisco.
EXPOSITION BOND.

No. _____ \$1,000.00

For value received, the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer on the first day of May, 19—, One Thousand Dollars, with interest thereon, at the rate of five percentum per annum, payable semi-annually, May 1 and November 1, on presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached as they respectively become due, both principal and interest being payable in Gold Coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York.

This bond is issued under and pursuant to the Constitution and Statutes of the State of California and the charter of said City and County of San Francisco and amendments thereto, and under and pursuant to ordinances and proceedings of said City and County duly adopted and taken, as provided for in Article XI, Section 8a of the Constitution of the State of California, which section was adopted by a vote of the people of the State of California, November 8th, 1910, and by Section 29a of Article XVI and Section 9 of Article XII of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, which sections were adopted by amendment to said charter by a vote of the people of the City and County of San Francisco on November 15th, 1910, and approved by the Legislature of the State of California on February 17th, 1911.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required by law to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have existed, happened and been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City and County, does not exceed any limit prescribed by the Constitution or Statutes of said State or Charter of said City and County, and that provision has been made as required by the Constitution and Statutes of said State and the Charter of said City and County for the collection of an annual tax suf-

ficient to pay the interest on this bond as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of this bond on or before maturity. Full faith and credit of said City and County are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond.

This bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement, stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that this bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of this bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time this bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person, or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of this bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon.

This bond is exempt from all taxation within the State of California.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has caused this bond to be executed under its corporate seal, signed by its Mayor and Treasurer, and countersigned by its Auditor; and has caused interest coupons hereto attached to be signed by the engraved or lithographed signature of its Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of May, 1912:

Mayor.

Treasurer.

Countersigned. _____

Auditor.

Attest: _____
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.
(Seal).

Section 4. Interest coupons shall be attached to each bond to the number of twice the number of years such bond will run until the maturity thereof and in the amount of Twenty-five dollars, which sum will be the amount due for interest on such bonds for six months; such coupons shall be numbered from one upwards and shall state the name and number of the bond to which it is attached. Such coupon shall bear the facsimile signature of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco and be substantially in the following form:

FORM OF COUPON.

No. _____ \$25.00

On _____, 19—, the City and County of San Francisco, California, will pay to bearer at the office of the

Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco, in the City and State of New York, Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) in Gold Coin of the United States, being six months' interest then due on its Exposition bond dated May 1, 1912.

No. _____

Treasurer.

Section 5. Any bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that the bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of the bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time the bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of the bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon. Such registration shall be substantially in the following form:

FORM OF REGISTRATION.

San Francisco,, 19..

This bond is registered pursuant to Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, in the name of and the interest and principal thereof are hereafter payable to such owner.

_____,
Treasurer.

Section 6. For the purpose of providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds, taxes shall be levied and collected as provided in the following section 7 of this Ordinance; and in furtherance of the purposes herein expressed the following fund is hereby created, to-wit: Exposition Bond Redemption and Interest Fund.

Sec. 7. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment of said Five Million Dollars bonds issued under said authorization shall be the sum of Two hundred and fifty Thousand Dollars for each of the first three years from date of said bonds to pay the annual interest on said bonds, and in season to pay such interest as it becomes due, and for the fourth year after the date of said bonds, the sum of Two Hundred and Forty Thousand Dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the Two Hundred Thou-

sand Dollars thereof due three years from their date have been paid, and for the fifth year after the date of said bonds, the sum of Two Hundred and Thirty Thousand Dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the Two Hundred Thousand (200,000) Dollars thereof due four years from their date have been paid, and so on, a sum each year for twenty-three succeeding years and until said bonds are all paid sufficient for interest, and in season to pay interest on all of said bonds outstanding, which sum for interest will diminish each year by the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars, by reason of the payment each year, beginning three years from the date of said bonds of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars of said bonds, and the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars each year, beginning two years from the date of said bonds to pay and in season to pay the principal of such bonds as they respectively become due, and continuing each succeeding year for twenty-four years until the principal of all of said bonds has been paid.

The purpose and intent of the foregoing tax provisions are, and it is hereby expressly provided, that at the time of levying the municipal tax and in the manner provided for such tax levy the Supervisors shall levy and collect annually a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds, and also such part of the bonded indebtedness as will fall due within the succeeding fiscal year. Such taxes shall be in addition to all other taxes levied for municipal purposes, and shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner as other municipal taxes are collected.

Sec. 8. The Board of Supervisors shall sell such bonds at such times and in such amount as it may determine. The proceeds arising from the sale of the exposition bonds shall be payable immediately by the Treasurer of the City and County to the Treasurer of aforesaid Panama Pacific International Exposition Company upon the demand of such Treasurer of said Exposition Company without the necessity of the approval of such demand by the Auditor of the City and County or other authority, the same to be used and disbursed by said Panama Pacific International Exposition Company for the purposes of such exposition, as provided for in Section 29a of Article XVI of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

Section 9. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

City Attorney to Obtain Opinion of Dillon, Thompson & Clay as to Legality of Proceedings for City Hall-Civic Center Bonds and Providing for Payment of Services.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

J. R. No. 198.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be requested to procure the opinion of Dillon, Thompson & Clay, Municipal Bond Attorneys, as to the legality of proceedings and validity of all matters relating to issuance of \$8,800,000 City Hall bonds, and that the City Attorney proceed with this immediately. Payment of fees for this legal opinion and the cost of making the bonds to be out of the premium from the sale of said bonds.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolutions were passed for printing:

Boiler and Laundry Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boiler.

Gorham Revere Rubber Company, No. 569 Golden Gate avenue, ten horsepower, for furnishing steam for vulcanizing purposes.

Laundry.

P. Fondacabe, to erect and maintain a laundry at the southerly line of Geary street, 97 feet west of Twenty-fifth avenue.

Extension of Time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company is hereby granted an extension of ninety days from and after April 9, 1912, within which to complete the construction of the Twin Peaks Reservoir.

This extension is granted for the reason that the work is practically completed and the reservoir can be used by the City and no loss suffered; the only work remaining to be done is the sowing of grass seed on the slopes and cleaning up.

(Communication from Board of Public Works, filed April 6, 1912.)

Recommitted.

The following resolution, laid over

from last meeting, was taken up and recommitted to Fire Committee:

Laundry Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That John Lestelle be and he is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a laundry at premises No. 2151 Union street.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Repealing Boiler Permit, Joe Gardella.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Resolution No. 9418 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution No. 9403 (New Series), approved April 16, 1912, in so far as it relates to permission being granted Joe Gardella to install a boiler in premises at the northeasterly line of Quesada avenue, 375 feet southeasterly of Griffith street, is hereby repealed, for the reason that the permit is in conflict with the provisions of Ordinance No. 822 (approved June 11, 1903).

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Denying Permits.

Also, J. R. No. 199.

Resolved, That the following petitions are hereby denied:

Of F. Carmody, to erect and maintain a public garage in premises at No. 1533 Turk street; the building is not constructed as required by law for this character of business.

Of K. Baba, for a laundry and boiler in premises at No. 630 Larkin street.

This petition is denied on the grounds of protest from residents and property owners, that a laundry business at said location is detrimental to proposed improvements contiguous to and surrounding the Civic Center.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Providing \$2,000 for Borings for Fillmore Street Tunnel.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2,000.00 is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works, out of the Budget item 1911-12, "For paving, re-

paving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings," in making borings along Fillmore street for the purpose of getting reliable data as to the formation of the ground over the proposed tunnel in said street between Sutter and Filbert streets.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Board of Public Works to Furnish Preliminary Plans and Surveys for Establishing Assessment District for Broadway Tunnel.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

J. R. No. 200.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is requested, through the City Engineer, to furnish as expeditiously as possible the necessary preliminary plans and surveys for establishing an assessment district in connection with the construction of a tunnel through and under Broadway from Mason street to a westerly termination at Larkin street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

City Attorney to Solicit Offers to Sell Property Adjoining Oriental School.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft and *adopted*:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the City Attorney is hereby requested to solicit offers for sale from the owners of property on either side, adjoining the present site of the Oriental School, situate at the southeast corner of Clay and Powell streets, the said land being required as additional site for said Oriental School building.

When the said offers are received, the City Attorney is requested to transmit the same to the Board of Supervisors for consideration.

Reconsideration and Amendment.

Supervisor Bancroft subsequently moved the reconsideration and amendment of above resolution by inserting "Also, fifty vara lot south side of Washington street, 137½ feet west of Stockton street."

Amended Resolution Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution, amended as follows, was *adopted* by the following vote:

J. R. No. 201.

Resolved, That the City Attorney is hereby requested to solicit offers for

sale from the owners of property on either side, adjoining the present site of the Oriental School, situate at the southeast corner of Clay and Powell streets; also that certain 50 Vara lot situate on the south side of Washington street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches west of Stockton street; the said land being required as site for the Oriental School building.

When said offers are received, the City Attorney is requested to transmit the same to the Board of Supervisors for consideration.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Mayor Authorized to Sell Shack Buildings on Garfield School Site.

Also, J. R. No. 202.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction, in accordance with provisions of the Charter, the shack buildings situated on the old Garfield School site, north side of Union street, between Kearny and Montgomery streets, except the building being used for the Ungraded Primary School on said site.

(Communication from Board of Education, filed April 16, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 203.

Resolved, That Portola Circle No. 78, U. A. O. D., is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at No. 2438 San Bruno avenue, April 27, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said ball are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Masquerade Ball Permit.

Also, J. R. No. 204.

Resolved, That Charles Samuels is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at the Coliseum Skating Rink, corner of Baker and Fell streets, April 25, 1912, upon payment of the usual license fee.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Publicity Committee to Represent Supervisors in Conferneces Relative to Construction of Ocean View Boulevard.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:
J. R. No. 205.

Resolved, That the Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations is authorized to represent this Board at the conferences with representatives of San Mateo, Santa Cruz and Monterey Counties relative to the proposition of building an Ocean Front Boulevard, and that the use of these Chambers for said meetings is tendered the conferees.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Board of Public Works to Notify Contractors on Auxillary Water System to Restore Streets to Original Good Condition.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 206.

Whereas, The attention of the Committee on Streets and Sewers has been called to the imperfect manner in which many of the streets have been paved by the contractors engaged in the installation of the Auxillary Water Supply System for Fire Protection; therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to notify the contractors to repave the roadway of the streets that have been improperly paved, and restore the same to as good a condition as they were in before the opening or tearing up thereof.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Ten-Year Bond Improvement Ordinance.

Also, Bill No. 2107, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for work upon streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks within the City and County of San Francisco, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improve-

ment bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof."

Fixing Sidewalk Widths on Clement Street.

Also, Bill No. 2108, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by amending Section one hundred and eighty thereof," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Clement street, between Arguello boulevard and Forty-eighth avenue at fifteen feet, the expense thereof to be borne by property owners.

Action Deferred.

The following matter, laid over from last meeting, was taken up and on motion *again laid over one week*:

Ratifying and Confirming Map of Sears Street.

Bill No. 2105, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ratifying and confirming a map of Sears street, between Lawrence avenue (formerly Sherman avenue) and Sickles avenue."

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Mayor to Sell Relief Home Horses.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:
J. R. No. 207.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized to sell at public auction the following horses, now at the Relief Home, unfitted for further use in the Department of Public Health or any other department of the City and County of San Francisco, to-wit:

"Mollie", a bay mare;

"Nellie", a bay mare, and

"Queenie", a bay filly.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was introduced under suspension of the rules and *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Appointment of Additional Employees, Fire Department, for Service of Auxillary System.

Bill No. 2109, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Authorizing an appointment of ten additional employees by the Board of Fire Commissioners and fixing and providing for their compensation.

Be it ordained by the People of the

City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Fire Commissioners is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint for the purpose of operating the High Pressure Fire Protection System, the following additional employees at the compensation set opposite their respective designations, as follows:

One Chief Engineer, at a salary of \$175.00 a month;

One First Assistant Chief Engineer, at a salary of \$150.00 a month;

One Second Assistant Chief Engineer, at a salary of \$125.00 a month;

Three Firemen, each at a salary of \$100.00 a month;

One Foreman Gateman, at a salary of \$125.00 a month;

Three Gatemen, each at a salary of \$100.00 a month.

Said employment is authorized under the provisions of Section 35 of Article XVI of the Charter, application therefor having been made by the Board of Fire Commissioners and the Mayor having recommended the same to the Board of Supervisors.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Mayor and Advisory Committee to Consider Proposals for Making Extensions of Water Service in Outlying Districts.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher and referred to the *Public Utilities Committee*:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, It is absolutely necessary that immediate legislative steps be taken to provide for a water supply for parts of this City and County now unsupplied and suffering much because of the refusal of the Spring Valley Water Company to make the necessary extension; therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor, the Mayor, in conjunction with the Advisory Committee on Water Supply, whose appointment was authorized by this Board, be requested to consider the following proposals as a means of relieving this situation and assisting in the upbuilding of these districts by supplying them with water:

First—An agreement with the Spring Valley Water Company to make the necessary extensions to these districts, the said City, through this Committee, agreeing to purchase later these extensions at a fair valuation;

Second—The sale of \$2,000,000.00 water supply bonds to lay mains or pipes and construct necessary reservoirs, said mains and pipes to connect

with Spring Valley Water System and to be later a part of the municipal distributing system;

Third—If the above is found legal and practical, the Committee is also to recommend an agreement with the Spring Valley Water Company to supply water through these extensions and in this connection it is to also seek an agreement on the part of the company to eliminate the usual \$10.00 service charge;

Fourth — Mandamus proceedings either direct on the part of the City or by co-operation with the office of the Attorney-General and the Public Utilities Commission for the purpose of forcing these extensions, or inflicting the necessary penalties for failure to do so;

Fifth—The institution of condemnation proceedings on behalf of the City and County to take over the property of the Spring Valley Water Company.

Providing for Payment of Rental by Persons, Firms or Corporations Using Closed Streets.

The following resolution was introduced in Board by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and referred to *Streets Committee*:

Whereas, the City and County of San Francisco is the legal owner and the holder of the legal title in and to certain streets in said City and County; and

Whereas, certain of said streets have been ordered closed by resolution of a previous Board of Supervisors, and

Whereas, certain persons, firms and corporations are now occupying and using certain of said streets without paying to said City and County any rent or payment therefor;

Now, therefore, be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Every person, firm or corporation, who is now or who may hereafter own or become in possession of any street or portion thereof which has been heretofore closed, the legal title to which street rests in said City and County, shall pay into the Treasury of said City and County one dollar per month for each and every lineal foot of land contained in said former street or streets which they or either of them may now occupy or use, or which they, or either of them may hereafter occupy or use.

Said payments shall be made in such manner as may hereafter be ordered and directed on the first day of each and every month during the period of such occupation, use or possession.

And be it further ordained by the people of the City and County of San

Francisco, that the Board of Public Works together with the City Attorney shall immediately cause to be prepared a full and complete list of all streets or parts thereof in said City and County, the title to which rests in said City and County, the names of any and all persons, firms or corporations who or which may be in occupancy, use or possession of the same or any part thereof, and the number of lineal feet so used or occupied by them or either of them, and deliver copies of such list to this Board.

Prohibiting Use of Roller Towel.

The following bill was introduced by Supervisor Giannini and referred to *Health Committee*:

Bill No. 2110, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance prohibiting the use of a common towel, such as is known as the 'roller towel,' or any towel for common use in certain places."

Spite Fence Ordinance.

Supervisor Hayden presented:

Bill No. 2111, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the height and maintenance of fences within the City and County of San Francisco."

Ordered referred to the *Judiciary Committee*.

Accepting Offer of Margaret Housley to Sell for \$3,500 Certain Land Required for the Opening and Extension of Fair Avenue.

Supervisor Mauzy presented:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, an offer has been received from Mrs. Margaret Housley (communication from City Attorney, filed April 17, 1912), to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land in the Precita Valley Lands, Gift Map No. 2, which land is required for the opening and extension of Fair avenue; and

Whereas, the price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with appraised value of property in this vicinity; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Mrs. Margaret Housley to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all encumbrances, for the sum of thirty-five hundred (\$3,500.00) dollars, be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northwesterly line of Prospect avenue, distant thereon 331 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Coso avenue; running thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line of Pros-

pect avenue 51 feet; thence at a right angle northwesterly 122 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northeasterly 51 feet; thence at a right angle southeasterly 122 feet 6 inches to the said northwesterly line of Prospect avenue and point of commencement. Being a portion of Gift Map No. 3.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes up to and including the fiscal year are paid, and the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the purpose of procuring the same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed for said land to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ordered referred to *Finance Committee*.

Authorizing Payment of \$3,500 to Margaret Housley for Certain Land Required for Opening and Extension of Fair Avenue.

Supervisor Mauzy presented:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of thirty-five hundred (\$3,500.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund, 1911-12, in payment to Margaret Housley as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the northwesterly line of Prospect avenue, distant thereon 331 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Coso avenue, in Gift Map No. 3, of dimensions 51 feet frontage by a uniform depth of 122 feet 6 inches, required for the extension of Fair avenue.

Ordered referred to *Finance Committee*.

Changing Street Names.

The following bill was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and referred to the *Streets Committee*:

Bill No. 2112, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing the names of certain streets within the City and County of San Francisco."

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. The names of the certain streets as shown upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco, are hereby changed as follows:

Garden lane to Gorham lane.

Santa Rosa avenue to Santa Rita avenue.

Bond street to Plum street.

Golden State avenue to Panama avenue.

East Railroad avenue to Niantic avenue.

West Railroad avenue to Granada avenue.

Pinckney place to Dante street.

Section 2. The Assessor, the Board of Public Works and the City Engineer are hereby requested to change their records, plats and maps in conformity herewith.

Adopted.

The following resolution was presented under suspension of the rules and *adopted* by the following vote:

City Attorney Granted Leave of Absence.
J. R. No. 208.

Whereas, this Board of Supervisors has by resolution directed the City Attorney to immediately press the application of the United Railroads for a writ of certiorari in the United States Supreme Court, in the matter of the United Railroads vs. the City and County of San Francisco, to an immediate hearing; and

Whereas, such hearing will be had upon the 20th day of May 1912; and

Whereas, further, it is the desire of this Board of Supervisors that the City Attorney also present to Dillon, Thompson & Clay for their opinion the proceedings in the matter of the issuance of bonds for the City Hall and Civic Center; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby granted leave of absence from the State for the period of sixty days from and after the first day of May, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans and Specifications for Concrete Sewer in Ocean Avenue, From Lee to Phelan Avenues.

Supervisor Nolan presented:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be, and is hereby directed to prepare plans and specifications for the construction of a reinforced concrete sewer in Ocean avenue, from Lee to Phelan avenues, the cost thereof to be borne from the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds of the issue of 1904. (This cost has been preliminarily estimated at \$4,000.)

Ordered referred to the Streets and Sewers Committee.

Vacation Period.

His Honor Mayor Rolph requested to be informed if any arrangements had been made for the vacation period during which members of the Board might absent themselves from the city.

Motion.

Whereupon, Supervisor Payot moved that from July 15 to August 15 be considered the vacation period of the Board within which members who desire to leave town may do so.

Amendment.

Supervisor Murdock moved to amend by providing that no new business be acted upon during said period.

Substitute.

Supervisor Giannini moved as a substitute that entire matter be referred to Mayor.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5:20 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors May 6, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
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MONDAY, May 6, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, May 6, 1912, 2:30 p. m.
The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of April 29, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Suspension of Alexander O'Grady, Police Commissioner.

The following matters were presented by his Honor the Mayor and read by the Clerk:

The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California—Gentlemen: You are hereby notified that I have this day suspended Alexander L. O'Grady as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners of this City and County, pending a final determination of charges against said Alexander L. O'Grady, a copy of which charges is hereto attached and hereby made a part hereof and marked Exhibit "A."

Dated: May 6th, 1912.

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

I do hereby make and file with the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, the following charges against Alexander L. O'Grady, a member of the Board of Police Commissioners of said City and County of San Francisco, State of California:

That said Alexander L. O'Grady, since his becoming a member of said Board of Police Commissioners of the

City and County of San Francisco, has been guilty of gross and wilful official misconduct as such member of said Board of Police Commissioners, in the following particulars, to-wit:

That said Alexander L. O'Grady, as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, did on the 25th day of April, 1912, at a regular meeting of said Board of Police Commissioners, vote in favor of the granting of a license and permit to sell liquors at retail in quantities less than one quart to one Frank Corr, in the premises situate at the southeast corner of Market and Fifth streets, in violation of Ordinance No. 1038 (New Series), and particularly in violation of Section VI thereof, which section is as follows:

No permit shall be granted to conduct any newly established place or saloon where liquor is sold, to be consumed upon the premises, when the same is located within 150 feet of any church or school.

That the said premises on the southeast corner of Market and Fifth streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, are within 150 feet of the San Francisco Business College, located in the Douglass Building, having its principal entrance at No. 908 Market street.

That the said San Francisco Business College has been located at said last named address for about two years last past.

That said Alexander L. O'Grady then and there well knew that the premises on the southeast corner of Market and Fifth streets were within 150 feet of said San Francisco Business College, and well knowing that fact, did vote as aforesaid for the granting of a permit to conduct the business of selling liquors at retail on said premises at the southeast corner of Market and Fifth streets.

That a protest signed by a large number of business men in the vicinity of said southeast corner of Market and Fifth streets and others was, before the said 25th day of April, 1912, filed with and presented to the Board of Police Commissioners, and that said Alexander L. O'Grady, as a member

of said Board of Police Commissioners, was cognizant of said protest.

Dated: May 6th, 1912.

(Signed) J. F. BANNICK,
286 Devisadero St.

Motion.

Supervisor Murdock moved that the above communications be received and spread at length in the Journal.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher—1.

Suspension of Isaac H. Spiro, Police Commissioner.

The following matters were presented by his Honor the Mayor and read by the Clerk:

To the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California—Gentlemen: You are hereby notified that I have this day suspended Isaac H. Spiro as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners of this City and County, pending a final determination of charges against said Isaac H. Spiro, a copy of which charges is hereto attached and hereby made a part hereof and marked Exhibit "A."

Dated: May 6th, 1912.

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

I do hereby make and file with the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, the following charges against Isaac H. Spiro, a member of the Board of Police Commissioners of said City and County of San Francisco, State of California:

That said Isaac H. Spiro, since his becoming a member of said Board of Police Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, has been guilty of gross and wilful official misconduct as such member of said Board of Police Commissioners, in the following particulars, to-wit:

That said Isaac H. Spiro, as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, did on the 25th day of April, 1912, at a regular meeting of the said Board of Police Commissioners, vote in favor of the granting of a license and permit to sell liquors at retail in quantities less than one quart to one Frank Corr, in the premises situated at the southeast corner of Market and Fifth streets, in violation of Ordinance No. 1038 (New Series), and particularly in violation of Section VI thereof, which section is as follows:

No permit shall be granted to con-

duct any newly established place or saloon where liquor is sold, to be consumed upon the premises, when the same is located within 150 feet of any church or school.

That the said premises on the southeast corner of Market and Fifth streets in said City and County of San Francisco, are within 150 feet of the San Francisco Business College, located in the Douglass Building, having its principal entrance at No. 908 Market street.

That the said Isaac H. Spiro then and there well knew that the premises on the southeast corner of Market and Fifth streets were within 150 feet of said San Francisco Business College, and well knowing that fact, did vote as aforesaid for the granting of a permit to conduct the business of selling liquors at retail on said premises at the southeast corner of Market and Fifth streets.

That a protest signed by a large number of business men in the vicinity of said southeast corner of Market and Fifth streets and others was, before the said 25th day of April, 1912, filed with and presented to the Board of Police Commissioners, and that said Isaac H. Spiro, as a member of said Board of Police Commissioners, was cognizant of said protest.

Dated: May 6th, 1912.

(Signed) J. F. BANNICK,
286 Devisadero St.

Motion.

Supervisor Giannini moved that above communications be received and spread at length in the Journal.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher—1.

Bion J. Arnold's Preliminary Report No. 5 on Twin Peaks Tunnel.

The following report was presented, read, ordered spread at length in the Journal:

Board of Supervisors, City of San Francisco—Gentlemen: In my Preliminary Report No. 3, previously submitted to your Board, the question of location of portals, grades and other matters pertaining to intercommunication between the two sides of the Twin Peaks ridge were deferred until further studies could be made. These matters are discussed herein, and transmitted to you at this time in order that you may have before you my views upon this subject while the Twin Peaks tunnel matter is being actively discussed by your Board and citizens,

hoping thereby to assist in making the most rapid progress with the undertaking. It should be understood, however, that, until further studies have been completed on possible extension of rapid transit to the ferry, the detailed recommendations herein may be subject to some modification.

There are a number of tunnel propositions* for this vicinity which are before me for consideration. Some of these were mentioned in my Preliminary Report No. 2, under date of February 9th, 1912, as follows:

Tunnel Plan No. 1, known as the Schussler plan.

Tunnel Plan No. 2, Subway Plan No. 1, lately submitted to your Board by the Twin Peaks Tunnel Association; a low level rapid transit tunnel following closely the alignment of Market street, but entirely underground from Valencia street to San Miguel rancho near the junction of Corbett road and Dewey boulevard. This plan comprehends the construction of the southern section of Market street subway from Castro as far as Valencia street.

Tunnel Plan No. 3—A high level tunnel from Market street to the south extremity of the Alms House tract, with surface entrance at Castro street and the vicinity of Laguna Honda.

Mission-Sunset Crosstown Tunnel—Passing under the southern edge of Buena Vista Park from Market street to Golden Gate Park; surface entrances, vehicle and car traffic.

Supplementary Plans—In addition to these, I have considered six additional methods of tunneling the Twin Peaks ridge.

Tunnel Plan No. 3A—The same as plan No. 3, except utilizing Market street extension to Douglass street.

Tunnel Plan No. 4—Surface entrance at Market and Castro streets, emerging in the San Miguel rancho at about the intersection of "T" street and Dewey boulevard, with a sub-grade passenger and car transfer station in Seventh avenue boulevard east of Lake Honda.

Tunnel Plan No. 4A—The same as Plan No. 4, except utilizing Market street extension with surface entrance at Eureka street.

Tunnel Plan No. 5—Combining Plans No. 2 and No. 4; Market street subway from Valencia to Castro, tunnel to the San Miguel rancho, emerging in the vicinity of "T" street and Dewey boulevard with sub-grade passenger transfer station at Seventh avenue boulevard east of Lake Honda and surface car exits at Castro street and Seventh avenue.

Tunnel Plan No. 5A—Same as Plan No. 5, except with straight extension of Market street to Douglass street.

Tunnel Plan No. 5B—Same as Plan No. 5, with curved extension of Market street to Eureka street, following the natural contours around the northern slopes of Eureka valley.

Although Tunnel Plan No. 2, the low-level rapid transit route, includes a section at its northerly end which properly should be regarded as a Market street subway, I shall not attempt in this preliminary report to decide upon the possibilities of other subway plans affecting the territory, other than to point out the necessity for so planning the Twin Peaks enterprise as to facilitate the most logical future connections with the bore at present contemplated, in order to secure the best ultimate results. Many details necessarily remain to be worked out later.

In the appended discussion, Plans No. 2 and No. 5B are chiefly considered.

No. 2—"Twin Peaks Rapid Transit Tunnel without Seventh avenue connection."

No. 5B—"Twin Peaks Rapid Transit Tunnel with Seventh avenue connection."

Conclusions and Recommendations.

First—Of the various plans and alternatives presented herein, I favor, on general principles, a low-level trolley bore from Market street to the San Miguel tract, with a maximum tunnel or approach grade of not over 3 per cent if for any considerable length, the alignment to be as direct as possible and practically constituting an extension of the Market street thoroughfare into the Merced district. This recommendation is practically embodied in Tunnel Plan No. 2.

Second—Provision for a Market street subway should be incorporated in any Twin Peaks tunnel project, in my judgment—i. e., the alignment and grade of the tunnel under the hill should be such as to emerge directly into a suitable subway bore under Market street, whether the latter is built now or in the future. If the cost is too great at present for a subway section, build the Twin Peaks tunnel to sub-grade, with inclined portal at the south end of Market street, so that cars may easily reach the surface, and in the future the tunnel subgrade can be extended north into the subway proper. This recommendation eliminates Plans No. 1, No. 3, No. 3A, No. 4, No. 4A.

Third—If the assessment burden is not too heavy at this time, I am in favor of the use of Valencia street as the present northern terminus of this tunnel-subway project as contemplated

*See comparative data sheet and plans and profiles appended.

in Plan No. 2.* The tunnel through the hill may be a 19 or 20-foot arched roof bore of such design as to secure the maximum economy; but under Market street, a flat roof section should be used, suitable for third-rail operation, and enlarged sufficiently to permit of trolley operation for the time being, but not over 15 feet in the clear, with station platforms located not exceeding 15 feet below the street surface.

Fourth—North of Valencia street, a third-rail flat roof bore should be contemplated for the future, about 14½ feet high in the clear. This northern section of the third-rail bore will merge into the southern or combination section, following the gradual ascent of Market street.

Fifth—Assuming the terminal at Valencia street, the traffic may be effectively handled as follows:

Interurbans to be equipped with third-rail contact and routed direct to Valencia street underground, thence down Mission street on the surface.

Suburban expresses to be routed the same as interurbans, using trolley to Valencia street.

Suburban locals to emerge at Castro, thence via Market street surface to the ferry (or via Mission street).

Surface feeder lines to enter the incline at Castro street, returning by an underground loop.

Sixth—In the event of the extension of the subway to the Ferry, the entire subway bore will be available for both third rail interurbans and subway locals, the suburbans being routed out of the bore at Castro or Valencia streets, and the subway locals returning via underground loop at Castro street.

Seventh—To meet future rapid transit necessities, additional tracks for through express service exclusively should be provided for, in the acquisition of property rights for the tunnel now under consideration. For this purpose, the most direct alignment and lowest grade obtainable are desirable. This need not necessarily coincide with the one chosen to meet present necessities.

Eighth—*Alternative:* Should your Board be in agreement with me regarding the strategic importance of the Seventh avenue extension south of the Park by Laguna Honda and the City Tract contiguous thereto, and the corresponding necessity of a subway transfer station for passengers and cars at this point, I would be strongly inclined to recommend to you the No.

5B plan, following the Market street contour "with Seventh avenue connection," even at the expense of a somewhat greater tunnel grade and a less perfect alignment. In the appended discussion, I have given you the measure of the disadvantages, neither of which in my opinion is at all serious. This plan would sub-divide a tunnel 16,000 feet in length from portal to portal into three parts, with surface entrances not over 8,900 feet apart.

Ninth—The direct extension of the Market street alignment from Castro to Douglass street is in my judgment quite impracticable, as it seriously disturbs the present gradients in this region and by shortening the main tunnel grade between stations at Market street and Lake Honda will actually increase (rather than decrease) this grade beyond the 3 per cent maximum established. This eliminates Plans Nos. 5 and 5A.

However, the curved extension plan No. 5B, herewith submitted, could be carried out to advantage as an independent street improvement, coincidental with the tunnel construction at sub-grade, although not essential thereto, as I believe the sub-grade bore necessary in any event. The only gain so far as the Twin Peaks tunnel is concerned would be to eliminate damages and facilitate construction by the open cut method. This contour approach will be of maximum benefit as an outlet for the "Mission-Sunset" tunnel proposed herein, and the cost of the extension should be considered as partly borne by the saving in the length of the Mission-Sunset bore.

Tenth—If the Twin Peaks tunnel is located according to Plan No. 5B—i. e., following a curved extension of Market street at sub-grade—I believe that the Mission-Sunset tunnel should extend from the surface of Market street at Eureka street to Frederick and Cole streets in Pope valley, with a transfer station at Eureka street to enable passengers to reach Golden Gate Park from either direction. This tunnel should be of a type providing for street car, vehicle and pedestrian traffic, as already laid out for the Fillmore street or Broadway tunnels. It should be considered as an important feeder to the Twin Peaks bore from the Panhandle district, to be constructed as soon thereafter as practicable.

If Market street is not extended as contemplated in Plan No. 5B, the Mission-Sunset tunnel must then be lengthened over 27 per cent, with an easterly portal at Sixteenth and Market streets, in all probability; this, however, being dependent to some extent upon future plans for surface line extensions.

Eleventh—Finally, I can recommend

*Only by this means can open competition be assured for the main tunnel bore. Otherwise, four tracks in Market street would be necessary.

unqualifiedly the construction of a Twin Peaks rapid transit tunnel at the earliest date. If possible, this should be done simultaneous with the Harbor View projects I have previously reported upon, some of which I regard as essential to the success of the Exposition. In so doing, there will be brought within 30 minutes' running time of the business district, approximately 10,000 acres of new territory, 75 per cent of which is suitable for residence land, that has been practically useless heretofore by reason of lack of adequate transportation thereto.

This area extends west to the ocean front and south along the valley as far as the cemeteries. This estimate is based upon present operating schedules. But with higher speed equipment, even this is capable of great improvement and it is quite possible that the valley lands could be brought within the 30-minute zone at least half-way to San Mateo. Respectfully submitted,

BION J. ARNOLD,
Consulting Engineer.

May 3d, 1912.

APPENDIX.

Discussion of Recommendations.

Objects in View—In considering these various tunnel enterprises under Twin Peaks, it has been the general object to provide a low-grade outlet from Market street into the San Miguel rancho, for the purpose of (a) giving direct access into the business district via Market and Mission streets for suburban surface cars from the lower Sunset district, San Miguel, Ingleside, Merced and Ocean View—I. e., extending the suburban commuter area well beyond the county line into the peninsular valley lands. (b) Providing a more direct and convenient rapid transit entrance to the city from down the peninsular than is at present afforded by the Mission street thoroughfare.

There is no question in my mind that in order to attain the fullest and most desirable development of the large tracts of desirable residence territory in the southwestern section of the city, the Twin Peaks ridge must be pierced by one or more tunnels; and in my judgment, this entire territory will remain largely undeveloped until some such project introduces more rapid transportation into this district.

The present ambition of the City of San Francisco is to enlarge its habitable areas, but the desirable areas now available for homeseekers are extremely limited under present transportation facilities. Even were San Francisco to extend its municipal boundaries into San Mateo county, there would still remain the demand for better transportation for the suburban resi-

dents and commuters, without which such expansion would be to no great purpose. In analyzing the movements of the commuter population, it is generally found that the criterion by which one suburban district is judged as against another, rests entirely upon the question of time consumed in transit and in the convenience and attractiveness of the route. Roughly speaking, 30 minutes represents the limit set by the average suburbanite in his choice of location. If more time is consumed, he is apt to seek more rapid and convenient lines of transportation, even though a much greater distance must be covered each day. Frequently, geographical conditions conspire to render a longer trip necessary, but often the attractiveness of the trip operates largely in extenuation of the longer ride; such is the case with the transbay commuters.

The first problem then to which San Francisco should apply itself is the utilization of the habitable land already within its borders, which is rendered extremely desirable by reason of its unobstructed view of the broad Pacific. In this respect, the Twin Peaks tunnel becomes a real necessity. I have not yet the exact data at hand for determining the distribution of sleeping population on the peninsula, but general observation confirms the view that, excepting Richmond, the Sunset district and the Lake Merced region contiguous thereto constitute the only land within the municipal boundaries capable of immediate and extensive development such as will be necessary to absorb and preserve the continued growth of the city in proper relation to the other surrounding communities tributary thereto. The extraordinary development across the bay is a sufficient object lesson in the possibilities of development by limited-stop rapid transit trains, and I need not comment upon this further, except to fully concur in the expressed desire of your Mayor to bring about such a method of transportation down the peninsula. The result would be to immediately extend the 30-minute time zone, figured from the business center, from its present limit to perhaps half-way to San Mateo.

Vehicle Traffic.—It has been contended that a double-bore tunnel, suitable for both rapid transit and vehicle traffic, should be provided; but owing to the extreme length of the tunnel, the latter has been practically abandoned, and the various projects are here analyzed on the bases above enumerated.

High Level vs. Low Level.—In studying these various propositions, certain important features command instant

attention; first and foremost, the grade. If it is the desire of the city to extend south along the peninsula through the agency of high-speed electric train service, a rapid transit entrance into the city from the south must be provided. For this reason, steep grades in tunnel or approaches and obstructed and circuitous routes are practically out of the question. These conditions practically dictate a low-level location.

On the other hand, the drilling of a high-level tunnel, from the upper end of Market street extended through the Alms House tract to Seventh avenue boulevard or Laguna Honda would unquestionably provide vastly improved surface transportation to the Sunset district, but would not provide a rapid transit route at all adequate for the purposes above discussed.

It is therefore a matter subject to the judgment of your Board which of the two methods of transportation is to exercise control in establishing the grade of the twin Peaks tunnel. In the following I shall discuss certain facts which must necessarily offer guidance in reaching proper conclusions.

Alignment.—Unquestionably, the general desire of San Franciscans is for a direct extension on the Market street alignment toward Merced, for it appears to be on this score that the otherwise excellent plan developed by an engineer of your city, Mr. Hermann Schussler, was not widely favored—i. e., on account of the diversion, from a direct alignment, through Blue Mountain. The underlying feature of this plan, however, was one of economy and expediency—accomplishing by a single bore the object of two tunnels now contemplated. Furthermore, the alignment under Seventeenth street was chosen to confine the damages to one large property holder, whose acquiescence had been previously secured, thus avoiding the interminable delays usually encountered in adjudicating the claims of numerous small property holders in the acquisition of sub-surface easements. The loss of time occasioned by this diversion from the direct alignment would not be at all serious, especially with grades not exceeding 3 per cent; but if both tunnels—viz.: Twin Peaks and Mission-Sunset—are desired, and the construction funds therefor can be raised by the property benefited thereby, an approximate alignment with Market street unquestionably becomes the more desirable from an operating standpoint.

Market Street Extension.—Collectively, the status of these various projects is greatly affected by the attitude of the city in regard to the extension of

Market street through the four intervening blocks to Douglass street. It has been urged that with this extension, a considerable length of tunnel would be saved and with it the necessity of running underground to Valencia street. It is true that, were this improvement already carried out, a strong argument would be presented for a surface grade entrance at Douglass. However, as this has not been done, the following conditions prevail:

First: The cost of acquiring property to extend Market street as above indicated is considerable. An estimate before me, which was made by a reliable real estate firm of your city, shows that the cost would be in the neighborhood of \$525,000, exclusive of the cost of land and damage at the northwest corner of Seventeenth and Castro street.

Second:—The extension of Market street in this manner will not permit the extension of plans No. 5 and 5 A, combining a subway entrance on the north and a subgrade entrance at Laguna Honda, within the limitations of grade established, 3 per cent.

Third:—Eventually, a Market street subway will without doubt become a necessity, and it will then become equally necessary to route the rapid transit suburban express trains from the Twin Peaks tunnel into this subway, for which purpose an inclined entrance would have to be provided in the street from surface to subgrade at some point along Market street or else by a diverging grade within the tunnel, which has some operating disadvantages. But a study of the Market street profile shows that an incline to subgrade will be difficult to provide south of Church street, owing to the street's general slope in the same direction as the tunnel grade, and to the short distance between cross streets in the proposed extension strip. Thus, electric express trains would be forced to run along the surface of Market street for 14,000 feet before dipping underground, which would defeat to a large degree the ends of rapid transit desired.

Fourth:—A study of regrades of lateral streets necessary to carry out the extension of Market street reveals a hopeless disturbance of the already steep grades in Eureka valley. On a comparatively level territory these regrades could be accomplished without difficulty, but with existing grades of 5 to 8 per cent, it is impossible to cut through a diagonal thoroughfare 120 feet in width without practically closing some of the streets to the right and left. This results from the fact that the blocks of realty are so cut up into small irregular polygons that not only do lateral grades become pro-

hibitive, but the efficient utilization of the remaining areas is to a large degree destroyed.

Fifth—Further, it is found that a straight extension would carry Market street to the foothills without any opportunity of connection with other thoroughfares providing an outlet from Eureka valley along reasonable grades to the higher levels. Caselli avenue, beginning at the southerly extremity of the extension, is narrow and immediately encounters ascending grades prohibitive for either automobiles or street cars. Douglass and Eureka streets both present impossible grades to the south, thus leaving the westerly ascent in precisely the same condition as at the present time.

Contour Extension—A contour plan of extension, however, will prove far more practicable. In developing the alignment of the tunnel subgrade, points were located around the southerly slope of Buena Vista hills* where the subgrade could be located 20 feet below the surface. This alignment was found to approximate the desired route to Laguna Honda station under alternative Plan No. 5B, with Seventh avenue connection.

This immediately suggested the proper location for an easy grade extension of Market street into Eureka valley at a uniform grade of 3 per cent, the same as the subway running beneath its surface. Leaving the present intersection of Seventeenth and Castro streets, the Market street roadway has been gradually drawn down on the curve to the width of 85 feet, the lines being drawn in so gently as to make the reduction unnoticeable. This width of street is considered sufficient for Eureka valley and is somewhat in excess of California street, Devisadero street and Broadway. The extension reaches Eureka street at 3 per cent average grade, and may be carried still further up the hill to Eighteenth street on about a 5 per cent grade if desirable, thence reaching by Falcon avenue, the present secondary level, to the south around Twin Peaks and to the north over Ashbury heights. For this extension, 60 feet width would probably serve the purposes in view and least disturb existing gradients.

At Eureka street, it is proposed to locate the southern portal of the Mission-Sunset tunnel to Pope valley, with a diagonal portal passing under Seventeenth street and Douglass, which is the beginning of Corbett road, the high-level boulevard around Twin Peaks. Moreover, if it is determined to terminate the extension at Eureka street, a

surface car entrance portal into the subgrade beneath can be located so as to pass under Ord street with a slight regrade of the latter. The plan will then present the following features:

1. A 3 per cent grade from Castro to the portal of the Mission-Sunset tunnel.

2. The present gradients of transverse streets lying to the south of the extension would be undisturbed. Those on the north would be somewhat increased, but the resulting depths of the lots would be such as to permit convenient frontage on both Market and Seventeenth streets, even at the different levels.

3. The plots of realty would be cut up into nearly rectangular areas without disturbance of present corner lots, except at the curve south of Castro.

4. A subway station at the Eureka street portal would provide transfer facilities in both directions between the subway lines, Market street and Sunset lines, and with Eighteenth street by a walk of 200 or 300 feet.

5. A high level entrance to Market street for local trolley cars from the south.

6. A 3 per cent grade extension to both the present boulevard levels around Twin Peaks—Corbett road and Falcon-Ashbury avenues—suitable for direct car line connections with Market street. Many of the details of this extension must be worked out further, but the contour plan is well suited to the general scheme of Twin Peaks development. However, this is to be regarded as a street improvement and not an integral part of the tunnel project.

Tunnel Grades.—In plan No. 2, without Seventh avenue connection, a tunnel grade of about 2 per cent has been secured in the desire to provide a road-bed for rapid transit operation. While the lowest grade possible is desirable, it would not be unreasonable to establish a higher grade, if compensating advantages could be secured. The maximum grade permissible in a long tunnel is really determined by the loss of time and the heating capacity of the motors. Assuming the present standard surface car equipment to be used through the tunnel, the maximum motor temperature that would be expected for continuous operation along the streets could safely be placed at 70 or 75 degrees centigrade. Tests on the Sutter street line, which is perhaps the heaviest line in the city, considering both grades and passenger traffic, have shown that the continuous temperatures average around 65 degrees centigrade. The permissible extra rise in temperature and extra time consumed

*Known as the Flint tract.

due to climbing the tunnel grade at full speed then will determine that grade. And it is found that, allowing as low as 5 degrees extra rise, a standard car with 30 tons total load could climb a 3 per cent grade for over one hour, or a 4 per cent grade for nearly one-half hour. This shows that for a tunnel of this length a grade of 3 or 4 per cent is not serious. However, a 3 per cent grade will consume 0.47 minutes additional running time, and a 4 per cent grade 1.07 minutes. From a general standpoint, therefore, a 3 per cent grade could readily be used, but in my judgment this should not be exceeded at any point in an alignment designed for rapid transit purposes.

Portals.—A direct surface entrance portal at Douglass street from Market street extended would involve only the acquisition of a strip through a block of comparatively inexpensive property. A similar surface entrance portal from the present Market street at Castro would require the acquisition of two blocks of more expensive property and the closing of Collingwood street to obtain the necessary headroom to descend under Diamond street and to obtain an entrance grade not over 6 per cent. This practically eliminates Plan No. 4.

The contemplated portal of Plan No. 2, in McCoppin street (formerly Hermann street) can be accomplished with an easy grade incline without the acquisition of property, and with the necessary preservation of the roadway by the location of the portal at the side of the street adjacent to a large block of property bounded by McCoppin, Valencia, Brady, and Mission, which is contemplated for use as a terminal and storage ground.

A surface entrance portal in the southwestern edge of the Alms House tract at the junction of Dewey boulevard and Seventh avenue extension, presents no difficulties except the long grade of 8 per cent at the southwest approach, which is practically prohibitive. The best grade obtainable from the surface at Seventh avenue to the surface at Market street extended is 3.09 per cent, while the best grade to Market street subway level is 3.26 per cent. This practically eliminates a surface portal along Seventh avenue extension boulevard from all rapid transit plans (Plan No. 3).

A surface entrance portal some 2,000 feet southwest in the San Miguel Valley, near the intersection of Taraval ("T") street and Dewey boulevard, appears to be the only possibility for preserving an easy grade through the main tunnel if built for rapid transit

express trains. This alignment will cross a deep gully before reaching the Sloat boulevard intersection, but it is evidently desirable and already contemplated to utilize the tunnel excavation for filling in this gully throughout its length to create more desirable residential property. The choice of the exact location is merely a matter of minimizing the amount of fill necessary to provide an even grade to Sloat boulevard.

Seventh Avenue Extension.—In studying the configuration of the outlying territory served by this tunnel, it only became apparent to me that Plan No. 2, as presented, while possessing the unquestioned advantages of good alignment and grade, yet eliminated *for all time* the possibility of a passenger or branch line entrance from Seventh avenue extension boulevard which traverses a large area next to the Alms House tract approximating the 400-500 foot level. With the development which the tunnel will undoubtedly bring, this district sloping gently to the southwest from Twin Peaks will demand transportation; for the tunnel portal, as contemplated in Plan No. 2, will lie from 2,000 to 2,500 feet further southwest of this transverse roadway.

It is necessary to recall here that Seventh avenue is the only southerly outlet from the northeast section of Sunset, which is now the most heavily settled territory south of the Park. It is a natural defile or pass, which will provide an excellent grade when the roadway is regraded past Lake Honda as already contemplated by the city. This will be apparent from a study of the contour map.

Assuming that the city of San Francisco will not permanently allow this very attractive exit from the northern district to remain unimproved, it is not unreasonable to expect that ultimately a Seventh avenue car line extension will be carried around Twin Peaks by a regraded roadway, communicating with Corbett or Falcon avenues, and thence to existing car lines of Eureka Valley and the Mission. Such a route would traverse this very desirable territory just described.

Laguna Honda Station.—The elevation of this Seventh avenue valley makes an impracticable grade for any rapid transit bore extending from Market street to emerge *anywhere along the surface in the vicinity*. But by taking advantage of the natural contours of the Honda Valley, it is possible to secure the following results, by limiting the maximum depth of tunnel floor to 30 feet below the surface of the graded highway:

First—A passenger transfer entrance directly into the tunnel at "Laguna Honda" station. This will bring the future residents in this Honda Valley within reasonable walking distance of the tunnel and also provide for those residents upon the upper slopes east and west of Seventh avenue to reach this portal by stairway.

Second—An easy grade car line entrance from Seventh avenue into the tunnel bore, following along the side of Seventh avenue boulevard, where the lowest levels in the district are to be found, and thence to the south through the tunnel.

Third—A grade less than 3 per cent in the main tunnel and its approaches—in exact figures, 2.91 per cent.

The possibilities of such a car line entrance may be appreciated from the fact that with a connection across the Park, Richmond, the most thickly settled of the northern section, could find direct entrance into the rapid transit route down the peninsula. I do not contemplate that residents of upper "Sunset" would desire to use the tunnel regularly as a means of reaching the business district, for a better surface route exists along the Park, even if somewhat longer time is consumed. But the existing entrances from Seventh to Tenth avenues will be recalled as the most important ones in Golden Gate Park, where the south branch of the Geary street road and two of the United Railroads lines terminate. A more direct route from the Presidio down the Peninsula could hardly be found. Therefore, the provision for a junction of a future Seventh avenue surface line with the tunnel tracks in a southerly direction does appear to me to be necessary. Fortunately, the contours permit such an entrance.

Market Street Bore.—That tunnel section which will probably be best adapted to the bore through the hill is a single-bore arch, having a maximum height of 19 or 20 feet. This height is necessary to suspend the trolley at the proper height—16 feet, which is the minimum that would be desired for high speed operation.

But this same bore cannot be extended by subway under Market street to Valencia. While this is desirable from the standpoint of trolley car operation, it is certainly undesirable from the standpoint of convenience, for passengers would be required to ascend and descend 27½ feet at each station along Market street. This corresponds to over two floors in an office building with exceptionally high ceilings, and is practically out of the question.

In planning the subway section of this Twin Peaks bore, it is essential that the section adopted should be such as to conform to a reasonable design of future subway extension down Market street, both as regards alignment and grades. It is therefore necessary to adopt a subway bore which will make it possible for the *station platforms to be located at the minimum distance from the street surface.*

This minimum height of arch could be as low as 13 feet (New York subway), to 14 feet 8 inches (Boston subway). The former is designed for third-rail cars; the latter accommodates trolley cars with a special wooden trough construction designed to protect trolley wheels.

There is little doubt that current collection in any eventual subway system will be by third rail or its equivalent, and it is probable that a rapid transit electric line down the Peninsula will eventually be equipped in the same manner. Even at present, it would be relatively simple for interurban cars using the tunnel to change from trolley to third-rail contact at any point without introducing any considerable complexity or cost. But such a change would be out of the question for surface trolley cars. As I see it, therefore, there are *three possible alternatives* in determining the method of junction of the tunnel and subway bore at Market and Castro streets:

First—A third-rail bore in Market street from Eureka or Castro north, of minimum height—13 or 14 feet—just sufficient for roof clearance only; to receive only third-rail interurban and subway cars, all surface trolley cars being routed directly from the trolley tunnel to the surface of Market street by the inclined approach already provided for in Plans No. 2 and No. 5 B.

Second—Increase the height of the bore slightly, to 15 or 16 feet, just sufficient to permit both third-rail and trolley cars operating, with some special trough construction; this bore to merge into a 14½-foot third-rail bore at Valencia street, where all local trolley cars would be routed out of the bore.

Third—To carry the 19-foot trolley bore as far north as Valencia, there routing out all trolley cars and merging into the 14½-foot third-rail bore at sub-grade.

From the standpoint of long-distance rapid transit, the first alternative is undoubtedly the best. This, however, would necessitate all of the suburban trolley cars from Parkside, Ingleside, and Ocean View, to run on the surface of Market and Mission streets to the

Ferry. This would not be a serious handicap at the present time, as upper Market street is not now congested, the grades are not serious for surface cars, and the Twin Peaks bore is in reality the one principal result sought after. Moreover, of the two classes of traffic, suburban and interurban, the former most logically *belongs on the surface* of important business thoroughfares.

But the second alternative would make it possible for the longer suburban lines also to route underground as far north as Valencia, although increasing the size of the bore somewhat. Special designs for current collection can undoubtedly be evolved to make high speed running from station to station practicable.

The third alternative can be justified only on the assumption that a Market street subway extension out Valencia is out of the question for a long period of years. And in any event, the depth of the station platforms is so great as to almost put it out of consideration. To be sure, this depth of 30 feet has been incorporated in the Laguna Honda station, but here a special condition arose in that this depth was necessary to keep within the grade stipulated—3 per cent—and still make it at all possible for pedestrians to enter the tunnel at this point without the use of elevators.

With a 14-foot subway bore it would be possible to locate station platforms about 14 feet below the street surface, allowing 2½ feet above the waterproofing for paving and utility structures desiring to cross the roof arches.

One advantage that San Francisco has over less favored cities is that no freezing of pipes takes place; consequently, it is possible to locate them nearer the surface. This fact should be taken advantage of if possible, and I should not favor any bore along Market street in which the platforms were more than 15 feet below the surface at station entrances—i. e., exclusive of certain humps such as exist in Market street. This permits a flat arch 14½ feet high.

If such a combination bore is adopted for present operation of both trolley and third-rail cars, and in the future it is found desirable to route all trolley cars out of the tunnel at the southerly terminus of Market street, it will be practicable to raise the track grade of the subway from Castro or Eureka street to Valencia street, thereby raising the station platform levels also to correspond with the third-rail subway bore for the remainder of Market street.

Tunnel Traffic.—As a general proposition, it is not desirable to attempt the combination in the same bore of two different kinds of traffic without separate tracks. Moreover, the standard surface trolley cars are now provided with sufficient motor capacity to compare favorably with present interurbans, so that the former will not constitute a serious handicap on the running speed of the latter while within the tunnel. If in the future, high-g geared interurban expresses require an unobstructed right of way, then will be the time to consider a parallel or independent bore providing for a total of four tracks, two for express and two for locals; but for some time to come I believe both can be satisfactorily accommodated within a single bore.

Traffic Connections.—Whatever the type and alignment selected, it is absolutely essential not to lose sight of possible traffic connections with existing or future surface lines. As I understand it, this tunnel is to be open to use by any railway desiring an entrance into the city upon an adequate rental basis; hence it will be necessary for the city to have complete control of its tributary lands through proper location of the tunnel portals.

Considering the northern portal; if by extending Market street, the tunnel were to reach the surface of Eureka street at grade, there would eventually be *no possible chance for an independent entrance except* by the granting of a franchise for two more tracks on Market street, or else the diversion to and use of Seventeenth street into Mission, upon which grades are not favorable. If it came to the surface at Castro street, Seventeenth street could be used, but not effectively, because of the indirectness of the resulting route to the business center. Hence, additional Market street tracks would again have to be enfranchised.

With the portal at Valencia, however, conditions are vastly changed. An independent interurban line could make its terminal at Valencia street without serious inconveniences. Surface lines emerging at Mission street could find easy outlet to the north via Franklin, Van Ness, or Polk street.

Under charter rights for joint operation, connection could be made with the Geary street road on any of these streets or to the civic center. This entrance could be very greatly facilitated by the *extension of Van Ness avenue to Mission street*, which would be desirable in any event, as Van Ness avenue is now a blind street. Thus it would be possible to route directly to Harbor View from the southern terri-

tory, with an additional cross-town line via Twelfth street.

The Valencia street portal lends itself especially well to future subway branches. One of these is contemplated out Haight street to Golden Gate Park; another will eventually be found necessary down Valencia or Mission street into the southern territory. This junction therefore becomes of great importance, especially in relation to the civic center.

Return Loops and Exit.—In any subgrade entrance beneath Market street, the alignment and levels must be arranged so as to provide ultimately for the following routing:

High-speed interurban expresses, via subway.

Suburban expresses, subway to Valencia street.

Suburban locals, to surface at Castro street.

Market street subway locals, return loop at Castro street.

Surface cars on Market street entering incline at Castro, looping around station and returning via same route.

The logical turning point for future sub-surface cars on Market street will be in the neighborhood of Castro, for the reason that there is no opportunity of diverting north or south out of the Eureka Street Valley; consequently, such a loop must be regarded as essential to the most effective utilization of the tunnel subway. The open-cut entrance and merged tracks, which have been presented already in Tunnel Plan No. 2, are essentially correct; in fact, were incorporated in the plan at my suggestion, but they will require considerable elaboration over the simple plan presented. The exact location of the subway stations in this district largely depends upon the disposition of this loop and incline; and these, together with other station locations, must receive further study.

Running Time.—With either Plan No. 2 or alternative Plan No. 5, both extending to Valencia street, it will be possible for cars to reach Sloat boulevard in approximately 12 minutes from Valencia street, and, at the most, 22 minutes from Third street, the business center. The county line can be reached in approximately 16 minutes from Valencia street, or 26 minutes from Third street, depending somewhat on the frequency of stops along the right of way. But, I desire to emphasize the fact that if this rapid transit line is to offer real rapid transit down the Peninsula, the schedule must be relieved of frequent stops. The success of the trans-Bay lines is largely due to the elimination

of stops, and in the lines utilizing the Twin Peaks bore these stops should be as infrequent as possible, but the schedule rigidly adhered to.

Mission-Sunset Tunnel.

A project secondary only in importance to that of the Twin Peaks project herein discussed, has been advocated at various times for the purpose of providing a more convenient outlet to Golden Gate Park and the upper Sunset from the Mission and all the territory south of Market street, including Noe and Eureka valleys. It is now possible to reach upper Sunset through the narrow throat between Blue Mountain and the Park by only two through streets—Frederick street and Parnassus avenue, Carl being a blind street. While the lines running east and west through the Panhandle give ample opportunity for residents north of Market street to reach the Park and the Beach by Lincoln way and Fulton avenue, the residents of the Mission can only secure this entrance by extremely circuitous routes, viz:

Valencia—Transfer at Haight or McAllister streets.

Sixteenth and Mission—Transfer at Haight or McAllister streets.

Eighteenth and Ashbury—Transfer at Stanyan street.

Any of these routes consume too much time for the distance traversed.

The proposed location for this Mission-Sunset tunnel is as follows:

Sunset Plan No. 1—Sixteenth and Noe streets to Carl and Cole street.

Sunset Plan No. 2—Seventeenth and Castro to Frederick and Cole streets.

Sunset Plan No. 3 (Twin Peaks Plan No. 5 B)—Eureka and Market street contour extension to Frederick and Cole streets.

Sunset Plan No. 1 is practically an extension into the Sunset district of Sixteenth street, the most important transverse thoroughfare through the Mission. At this point a subway station was contemplated in Market street, and likewise a Divisadero cross-town line via Noe street.

In Sunset Plan No. 2 the tunnel would debouche practically at the upper end of the present Market street and more convenient to the Castro and Eighteenth streets lines, with also a subway station at this point in all probability. This entrance would shorten the tunnel by about 320 feet.

The advantages of an eastern portal at Eureka and Market street extension (Plan No. 3) have already been dwelt upon in the discussion of the Twin Peaks project No. 5 B. This tunnel is about 1,000 feet shorter than called for by Sunset Plan No. 1.

The original portal at Cole and Carl streets was planned so as to utilize Carl street for an additional entrance into Sunset. This is the only entrance street now unused, and even this street is not continuous. Further, the hump in Carl street opposite Shrader street would have to be graded down to provide a suitable entrance grade.

In my judgment, the westerly portal should be located in the natural depression of Cole and Frederick streets, and west-bound cars through the tunnel into Market street should be given the preference in this level thoroughfare rather than to divert the tunnel to Cole street, which is a blind street, ending at First avenue; for, in all probability, if this tunnel were built most of the daily travel will be routed via this tunnel and Market street. Eventually the widening of Frederick street at the Park entrance by the extension of Lincoln Way to Stanyan may become necessary to alleviate this narrow throat into the Sunset District, but such an important undertaking as the Mission-Sunset tunnel, in my judgment, should have the right of way.

Comparing these three plans, it is found that the Sixteenth street entrance will require a bore 4,720 feet long to Frederick street, or 27 per cent more than the third plan, 3,720 feet; the latter plan of course is only feasible in the event of the extension of Market street as proposed in Twin Peaks Plant No. 5 B. With the Carl street portal, Plan No. 1 is 32 per cent longer than No. 3 plan.

In this tunnel there exists an urgent necessity for vehicle traffic, and in spite of its length, the possibility of an easy haul from the Mission to the Beach, with grades not exceeding 3 or 4 per cent, must not be overlooked. For a tunnel of this length, tracks should be located at the side, separated from the roadway, as cars will be operated at high speed through the bore. For a single-bore arch, the design previously submitted in my Preliminary Tunnel Report No. 3, for Fillmore street or Broadway street, would be the most desirable and more attractive than the double-bore arch also submitted therein for Fillmore street, which was finally recommended to best suit the width of street and length of bore.

By locating the westerly portal in Frederick street, a direct entrance upon this street could be had with a curve of about 40 degrees in the alignment at the upper end, otherwise it will be necessary to acquire property for the diagonal entrance at this point.

End of Preliminary Report No. 5.

(There are also certain maps and tables filed in conjunction with above too large for publication in Journal, but which are on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.)

Presentation of David S. Rose, Ex-Mayor of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

David S. Rose, ex-Mayor of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was presented by his Honor Mayor Rolph and addressed the Board, stating that he came here to live and hoped to become a citizen of San Francisco. He added that our form of government appealed to him. He held that the old form of charter government in which cities received their organic law from the State Legislature was not in conformity with our system of government. He believed that the principle of home rule is the principle on which this government is founded and he congratulated San Francisco on the fact that she was the only city in the United States that has gone back to the simple pure form of republican government. He said that he endorsed the principle of the "initiative" as applied to municipal government, but as to its larger application he was not prepared to say. He declared that he had confidence in all our institutions of government and in the ability of the people to elect competent, efficient and honest officials. He expressed amazement at what has been accomplished in San Francisco, which was so sorely stricken only a few years ago, and complimented the people of San Francisco on the reconstruction of the city, which, he said, would stand as a monument to their intelligence patriotism and courage. In closing he added that if in the solving of our municipal problems his experience was of any value his assistance was at the service of the city.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee—Chas. A. Murdock, Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Gianinni, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Minority report, Public Health Committee, in re H. E. Springer, stable permit, presented by Supervisor Adolf Koshland.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Publicity and Interurban Relations Committee—J. Emmet Hayden, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.
 Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.
 Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Report of Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee.

The following report was presented by Supervisor Murdock, read and ordered spread in Journal and Municipal Record:

San Francisco, May 6th, 1912.

To the Board of Supervisors:

The Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service respectfully reports that the first four months of its life has been mainly occupied in preparatory work. Its office was new and unacknowledged. It was without legislative authority and there was no appropriation upon which to draw for administrative expenses. Under our Charter, neither any committee nor the Board of Supervisors as a whole, has any direct control of municipal administration as represented by the various commissions. It was therefore evident that our immediate efforts must be persuasive, directed to results to be gained by consent. We issued an appeal to every branch of the City government to act by itself, in advance of any suggestions on our part, in promoting economy and efficiency, promising any co-operation or aid in our power. The general result has been encouraging and gratifying. The suggestions we have made have been generally acted upon and we are able to report substantial savings in expense, and, we believe, added efficiency. In the legislative departments a number of important improvements have been made. We could enumerate actual or prospective savings of probably \$50,000 per annum which have been gained without money expenditures, but to reap benefits and advantages realized in other cities we must have the facilities for doing necessary work.

Chicago in 1907 began with an Efficiency Committee. Its results have justified its expansion into an Efficiency Division of the Civil Service Commission with an examiner and twelve assistants given an annual appropriation of \$25,800, which amount, multiplied many times, it saves the city.

What we have accomplished justifies prompt action in thoroughly covering the entire field. The first step is the employment of one or two efficiency experts charged with the duty of examining the methods used in the various offices under the municipal government and recommending changes. The purpose should be to assist the heads of offices to install

modern methods of doing business; to avoid duplication of work and other forms of waste; to establish standards of work that should be done by the man of average capacity; and to install such records as will give credit for good service to the competent, lead to the removal of those who neglect their work, and to the transfer of others to positions within their capacity.

The second step needed is a standardization of duties and salaries. At present there is much confusion. The classification of positions is within the power and duties of the Civil Service Commission; but the salaries are fixed by the authority creating the position. As the positions are created at different times and by different bodies, we find no standard of compensation, and the same duties may be performed in one department for seventy-five dollars a month and in another for a hundred and twenty-five.

The ordinances, orders or resolutions establishing positions should be codified and the positions graded within each class according to duties, and a salary fixed for each grade. Positions created thereafter should fix grades or duties, and employees should be certified from the grade corresponding to the duties of the position, and the salary automatically fixed in accordance therewith. This would prevent waste, and would remove a cause of dissatisfaction found among employees who see others drawing larger compensation for less work.

For a third cause of waste, the methods of making, checking and paying demands should be thoroughly considered, and a system installed that will approach nearer that used by the corporations employing large numbers of persons, and buying large quantities of supplies. To accomplish this fully, charter amendments will undoubtedly be required. The present provisions in regard to the approval of demands and the drawing and payment of warrants are so confused and uncertain in their language that they should be revised in order that a businesslike system preserving necessary protection, but vastly less cumbersome, may be installed.

It would seem that civil service and efficiency are so fundamentally related and interdependent, that they should be under one general control. It is probable that the work we have in charge will develop to such an extent as to make advisable and necessary an efficiency commission composed of city officials and representative citizens, but in view of the many

urgent needs now confronting the city it seems wise to defer any large immediate expenditure. A beginning of thorough work should, however, be made, and we recommend that it be made a department of the Civil Service Commission under our direction. We will expend no more than we consider clearly called for by the best interests of the city, but would recommend that the sum of \$10,000 be placed at the disposal of the Committee of Efficiency and Civil Service, to be used at its discretion in the employment of experts, and otherwise, for promoting economy, uniformity and efficiency in the municipal service. Respectfully submitted.

CHAS. A. MURDOCK,
HENRY PAYOT,
A. H. GIANNINI,
ANDREW J. GALLAGHER,
D. C. MURPHY.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Lithographing, Litho-Engraving or Steel Engraving City Hall-Civic Center Bonds.

Proposals for lithographing, litho-engraving or steel engraving City Hall-Civic Center bonds were received, opened, read and referred to *Supplies Committee*, to wit:

1. Pacific Lithograph Co., lithographing, \$1200; certified check, \$120.

2. Myself, Rollins Co., lithographing, \$1299.50; litho-engraving, \$1846; steel engraving, \$3306; certified check, \$330.

3. Britton & Rey, lithographing, \$2050; litho-engraving, \$2600; steel engraving, \$5375; certified check, \$537.50.

4. Schwabacher Frey, lithographing, \$1449; litho-engraving, \$2124; steel engraving, \$4122; certified check, \$450.

5. A. Carlisle Co., lithographing, \$1476; litho-engraving, \$1992; steel engraving, \$3225; certified check, \$325.

Bid of H. S. Crocker Co. Returned.

The Clerk announced that a bid had been received at 3:15 p. m. from H. S. Crocker Co., after other bids for above had been opened, and he requested the Board's instruction with regard to said bid.

Motion.

Supervisor Vogelsang moved that inasmuch as the bid was received after the hour set by the proposal notice, that Clerk be directed to return same to H. S. Crocker Company unopened.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9419 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund.

The Rincon Publishing Co., printing and mailing Municipal Record (claim dated April 19, 1912).....	\$ 600.11
State of California, maintenance of minors Preston School (claim dated April 15, 1912) ..	759.35
W. W. Wymore, basalt blocks to Board of Public Works (claim dated April 12, 1912) ..	594.00
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 1, 1912) ..	663.00
Spring Valley Water Co., water for parks (claim dated March 25, 1912)....	1,580.25

Park Fund.

Rudolph Herald Jr., premium on insurance Spooner collection of pictures (claim dated February 19, 1912)...	\$ 825.00
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.	

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9420 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts for the following purposes, to-wit:

For office furniture for Potrero Police Station, out of item "Appropriation for Construction of Potrero Police Station"	\$290.00
For construction of reviewing stand by Board of Public Works in Marshall square for May Day festival, out of item "For the reconstruction of, repairs to, and equipment of school department buildings"	200.00
For resurvey of Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, and the computations, compilations and mapping of the Market Street Homestead during month of May, 1912, out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." ..	4,000.00
For purchase of pig lead to be used in the construction of	

the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection under contract No. 65, out of item "Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908"18,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Authorizing Appointment of Additional Employees, Fire Department, for Service of Auxiliary System.

Bill No. 2109, Ordinance No. 1889 (New Series), Authorizing an appointment of ten additional employees by the Board of Fire Commissioners and fixing and providing for their compensation.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Fire Commissioners is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint for the purpose of operating the High Pressure Fire Protection System, the following additional employees at the compensation set opposite their respective designations, as follows:

One Chief Engineer, at a salary of \$175.00 a month;

One First Assistant Chief Engineer, at a salary of \$150.00 a month;

One Second Assistant Chief Engineer, at a salary of \$125.00 a month;

Three Firemen, each at a salary of \$100.00 a month;

One Foreman Gateman, at a salary of \$125.00 a month;

Three Gatemen, each at a salary of \$100.00 a month.

Said employment is authorized under the provisions of Section 35 of Article XVI of the Charter, application therefor having been made by the Board of Fire Commissioners and the Mayor having recommended the same to the Board of Supervisors.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$60,000 for Repair and Reconstruction of Streets During May, 1912.

Resolution No. 9421 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of sixty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the item in the bud-

get for "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." account, for cleaning and repairing sewers, and reconstruction and repair on the following streets during the month of May, 1912, to-wit:

Repair.

Powell street, Union to Bay streets.
Mason street, Columbus avenue, to Bay street.

Twelfth street, Market to Mission streets.

Larkin street, McAllister to Post streets.

Post street, Hyde to Larkin streets.

Clay street, Battery to Front streets.

Fifteenth street, Howard to Mission streets.

Folsom street, Fifth to Sixth streets.

Webster street, McAllister to Fulton streets.

Polk street, Market to Post streets.

Pine street, Larkin to Jones streets.

Harriet street, Harrison to Brannan streets.

Eleventh street, Market to Bryant streets.

Turk street, Hyde street to Van Ness avenue.

Eddy street, Jones street to Van Ness avenue.

Ellis street, Jones street to Van Ness avenue.

O'Farrell street, Jones street to Van Ness avenue.

Pacific street, Stockton to Jones streets.

Kentucky street, Fourth to Twenty-second streets.

Haight street, Pierce to Fillmore streets.

Waller street, Webster to Fillmore streets.

Fourteenth street, Church to Sanchez streets.

Sanchez street, Market to Waller streets.

Shotwell street, from Fourteenth street south.

Laguna street, from Haight to Page streets.

Bush street, from Laguna street west.

McAllister street, Fillmore to Divisadero streets.

Post street, Van-Ness avenue to Buchanan street.

Gough street, from Sutter street north.

Pacific street, Franklin to Steiner streets.

Cedar street (formerly Cedar avenue), Polk to Van Ness avenue.

Fifteenth street from Folsom street west.

Folsom street, from Second to Third streets.

Folsom street, First to Steuart streets.

California street, Stockton to Powell streets.

Reconstruction.

Buena Vista avenue, Haight to Waller streets.

Harrison street, Eleventh to Thirteenth streets.

Post street, Powell to Mason streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel—sang—17.

Providing for Issuance and Redemption of Exposition Bonds.

Bill No. 2106, Ordinance No. 1890 (New Series), providing for the issuance and redemption of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount of five million dollars for the purposes of an international exposition to be held in the City and County of San Francisco to celebrate the completion of the Panama Canal in accordance with, and as authorized by the Constitution of the State of California, Article XI, Section 8a, as added by amendment adopted by vote of the people of the State of California, November 8, 1910, and by the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, Article XVI, Section 29a, and Article XII, Section 9, which sections were adopted by amendment by vote of the people of the City and County of San Francisco, November 15, 1910, and approved by the Legislature of the State of California, February 17, 1911.

Whereas, by amendment to the Constitution of the State of California, Article XI, Section 8a, adopted by vote of the people of the State of California, on November 8, 1910, and by amendment to the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, Article XVI, Section 29a and Article XII, Section 9, adopted by vote of the people of said City and County on November 15, 1910, and approved by the Legislature of the State of California, on February 17, 1911, the Supervisors of said City and County were authorized, empowered and directed without further authority to incur a bonded indebtedness of the City and County in the amount of five million dollars and to issue bonds therefor, the proceeds of said bonds to be granted and turned over to the Panama Pacific International Exposition Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of California, March 22, 1910, to be used and disbursed by said Exposition Company for the purposes of an International Exposition to be held in the City and County of San Francisco to celebrate the completion of the Panama Canal.

Now, therefore, be it ordained by

the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. That bonds of the City and County of San Francisco will be issued in accordance with the above amendments to the Constitution of the State and the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

That bonds will be issued as aforesaid to the amount of five million dollars for the purpose of an international exposition to be held in the City and County of San Francisco to celebrate the completion of the Panama Canal; that such bonds shall be called "Exposition Bonds"; shall be five thousand in number and shall be numbered from one to five thousand, both inclusive, and shall be payable Two Hundred Thousand Dollars thereof three years from the date of said bonds, beginning with the lowest numbers, and Two Hundred Thousand Dollars of the next higher numbers on the same day in each succeeding year until all of said bonds shall be paid.

Section 2. All of the bonds issued, as herein provided, shall be of the form and character known as "serials." All of the said bonds shall be dated May 1, 1912, and shall bear interest at the rate of five percentum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of May and November of each year until the maturity thereof; shall be of the denomination of One Thousand (1,000) Dollars each and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County in the city and state of New York.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and by the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, countersigned by the Auditor and attested by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors with the seal of said City and County. Said bonds shall be substantially in the following form:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

City and County of San Francisco.
EXPOSITION BOND.

No. _____ \$1,000.00
For value received, the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer on the first day of May, 19—, One Thousand Dollars, with interest thereon, at the rate of five percentum per annum, payable semi-annually, May 1 and November 1, on presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto

attached as they respectively become due, both principal and interest being payable in Gold Coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York.

This bond is issued under and pursuant to the Constitution and Statutes of the State of California and the charter of said City and County of San Francisco and amendments thereto, and under and pursuant to ordinances and proceedings of said City and County duly adopted and taken, as provided for in Article XI, Section 8a of the Constitution of the State of California, which section was adopted by a vote of the people of the State of California, November 8th, 1910, and by Section 29a of Article XVI and Section 9 of Article XII of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, which sections were adopted by amendment to said charter by a vote of the people of the City and County of San Francisco on November 15th, 1910, and approved by the Legislature of the State of California on February 17th, 1911.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required by law to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have existed, happened and been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City and County, does not exceed any limit prescribed by the Constitution or Statutes of said State or Charter of said City and County, and that provision has been made as required by the Constitution and Statutes of said State and the Charter of said City and County for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on this bond as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of this bond on or before maturity. Full faith and credit of said City and County are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond.

This bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement, stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that this bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of this bond are payable to the registered

owner. Thereafter and from time to time this bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person, or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of this bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon.

This bond is exempt from all taxation within the State of California.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has caused this bond to be executed under its corporate seal, signed by its Mayor and Treasurer, and countersigned by its Auditor; and has caused interest coupons hereto attached to be signed by the engraved or lithographed signature of its Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of May, 1912:

Mayor.

Treasurer.

Countersigned.

Auditor.

Attest: _____
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.
(Seal).

Section 4. Interest coupons shall be attached to each bond to the number of twice the number of years such bond will run until the maturity thereof and in the amount of Twenty-five dollars, which sum will be the amount due for interest on such bonds for six months; such coupons shall be numbered from one upwards and shall state the name and number of the bond to which it is attached. Such coupon shall bear the facsimile signature of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco and be substantially in the following form:

FORM OF COUPON.

No. _____ \$25.00
On _____, 19—, the City and County of San Francisco, California, will pay to bearer at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco, in the City and State of New York, Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) in Gold Coin of the United States, being six months' interest then due on its Exposition bond dated May 1, 1912.

No. _____

Treasurer.

Section 5. Any bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement stamped, printed

or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that the bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of the bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time the bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of the bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon. Such registration shall be substantially in the following form:

FORM OF REGISTRATION.

San Francisco,, 19..

This bond is registered pursuant to Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, in the name of and the interest and principal thereof are hereafter payable to such owner.

Treasurer.

Section 6. For the purpose of providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds, taxes shall be levied and collected as provided in the following section 7 of this Ordinance; and in furtherance of the purposes herein expressed the following fund is hereby created, to-wit: Exposition Bond Redemption and Interest Fund.

Sec. 7. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment of said Five Million Dollars bonds issued under said authorization shall be the sum of Two hundred and fifty Thousand Dollars for each of the first three years from date of said bonds to pay the annual interest on said bonds, and in season to pay such interest as it becomes due, and for the fourth year after the date of said bonds, the sum of Two Hundred and Forty Thousand Dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the Two Hundred Thousand Dollars thereof due three years from their date have been paid, and for the fifth year after the date of said bonds, the sum of Two Hundred and Thirty Thousand Dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the Two Hundred Thousand (200,000) Dollars thereof due four years from their date have been paid, and so on, a sum each year for twenty-three succeeding years and until said bonds are all paid sufficient for interest, and in season to pay interest on all of said bonds outstanding, which sum for interest will diminish each year by the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars, by reason of the payment each year, be-

ginning three years from the date of said bonds of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars of said bonds, and the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars each year, beginning two years from the date of said bonds to pay and in season to pay the principal of such bonds as they respectively become due, and continuing each succeeding year for twenty-four years until the principal of all of said bonds has been paid.

The purpose and intent of the foregoing tax provisions are, and it is hereby expressly provided, that at the time of levying the municipal tax and in the manner provided for such tax levy the Supervisors shall levy and collect annually a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds, and also such part of the bonded indebtedness as will fall due within the succeeding fiscal year. Such taxes shall be in addition to all other taxes levied for municipal purposes, and shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner as other municipal taxes are collected.

Sec. 8. The Board of Supervisors shall sell such bonds at such times and in such amount as it may determine. The proceeds arising from the sale of the exposition bonds shall be payable immediately by the Treasurer of the City and County to the Treasurer of aforesaid Panama Pacific International Exposition Company upon the demand of such Treasurer of said Exposition Company without the necessity of the approval of such demand by the Auditor of the City and County or other authority, the same to be used and disbursed by said Panama Pacific International Exposition Company for the purposes of such exposition, as provided for in Section 29a of Article XVI of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

Section 9. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher; Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Boiler and Laundry Permits.

Resolution No. 9422 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boiler.

Gorham Revere Rubber Company, No. 569 Golden Gate avenue, ten horsepower, for furnishing steam for vulcanizing purposes.

Laundry.

P. Fondacabe, to erect and maintain a laundry at the southerly line of

Geary street, 97 feet west of Twenty-fifth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9423 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Healy-Tibbits Construction Company is hereby granted an extension of ninety days from and after April 9, 1912, within which to complete the construction of the Twin Peaks Reservoir.

This extension is granted for the reason that the work is practically completed and the reservoir can be used by the City and no loss suffered; the only work remaining to be done is the sowing of grass seed on the slopes and cleaning up.

(Communication from Board of Public Works, filed April 6, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Providing \$2,000 for Borings for Fillmore Street Tunnel.

Resolution No. 9424 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2,000.00 is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works, out of the Budget item 1911-12, "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures, excepting school buildings," in making borings along Fillmore street for the purpose of getting reliable data as to the formation of the ground over the proposed tunnel in said street between Sutter and Filbert streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ten-Year Bond Improvement Ordinance.

Bill No. 2107, Ordinance No. 1891 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for work upon streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks within the City and County of San Francisco, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths on Clement Street.

Bill No. 2108, Ordinance No. 1892 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by amending Section one hundred and eighty thereof," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Clement street, between Arguello boulevard and Forty-eighth avenue at fifteen feet, the expense thereof to be borne by property owners.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Indefinitely Postponed.

The following Bill laid over from last meeting was taken up and on motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher *indefinitely postponed*:

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2088, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same", the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit:

That the intersection of Cortland avenue and Wool street be improved by constructing granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the angular corners of the intersection, where not already constructed, and by paving the roadway thereof with an asphalt pavement, consisting of a 6-inch concrete foundation and a 2-inch asphaltic wearing surface, except on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by a railroad company having tracks thereon, and by constructing brick cesspools (catch-basins) with cast iron frames, gratings and traps and 10-inch vitrified salt glazed iron-stone pipe culverts on the angular corners thereof.

That the crossing of Irving street and Forty-second avenue be improved by grading to official line and grade by constructing redwood curbs and broken-rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof with a broken rock pavement.

Final Passage.

The following Resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher *finally passed* by the following vote:

Pipe Line Permit.—Trustees of Leland Stanford, Jr., University.

Resolution No. 9425 (New Series).

Resolved, That the Trustees of Leland Stanford, Jr., University are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to install conduits for carrying steam and electric pipes across under Sacramento street about thirty feet easterly from the easterly line of Webster street; provided that this privilege is granted on condition that said Trustees of Leland Stanford, Jr., University in opening and closing the streets for the laying of conduits and pipes therein, shall act in strict accordance with the provisions of subdivision 9 of section 9 of chapter 2 of article 6 of the charter, wherein the Board of Public Works is required to perform the work necessary in laying the aforesaid conduits and pipes;

Provided, further, That said Trustees of the Leland Stanford, Jr., University, while exercising such privilege, keep in good repair the street pavement over said conduit and pipes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$27,975.30 and entered in Register of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 17,187 to 17,678, inclusive, were presented read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants:

Garbage Incinerators, Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.

Mercer-Fraser Co., final payment, grading, Islais Creek (claim dated April 30, 1912) \$5,351.90

Park Fund.

Oldsmobile Company of California, one touring car and supplies (claim dated April 2, 1912) \$3,566.28

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Contra Costa Construction Co., eighth payment, North Point main sewer, D-1 (claim dated April 17, 1912) \$21,060.82

John Daniel, eighth payment, North Point main sewer, G (claim dated April 20, 1912) 2,087.58

Coast Improvement Co., final payment, Ingleside outlet sewer, B (claim dated April 24, 1912) 6,075.63

Purchase Castiron Pipe Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Union Machine Co., thirteenth payment, contract 36, gate valves (claim dated April 29, 1912) \$10,504.18

Union Machine Co., fourteenth payment, contract 36, gate valves (claim dated April 29, 1912) 2,167.50

U. S. Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Co., fourth payment, contract 55, pipe (claim dated April 15, 1912) 659.92

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Adams & Hollapeter, final payment, lighting fixtures (claim dated March 20, 1912) \$3,598.75

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Smith & Johnson, seventh payment, plastering (claim dated April 30, 1912) \$3,001.50

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.

J. W. Carr, first payment, foundation and excavation (claim dated April 30, 1912) \$4,500.00

Butte Engineering & Electric

Co., sixth payment, electric fixtures, shop building (claim dated April 10, 1912)	789.00
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Central Electric Co., final payment, electric contract, Franklin School (claim dated February 13, 1912) ..	\$610.00
American Air Cleaning Co., first payment, vacuum cleaning, Holly Park School (claim dated April 24, 1912)	505.50
W. S. Hanbridge, final payment, electric wiring, Spring Valley School (claim dated April 3, 1912)	840.00
Chas. E. Thomas, fourth payment, heating and ventilating, Lowell High School (claim dated April 12, 1912)	3,600.00
The J. Looney Co., first payment, plumbing, Girls' High School (claim dated April 2, 1912)	2,400.00
Chas. E. Thomas Co., first payment, heating and ventilating, Girls' High School (claim dated April 30, 1912)	5,257.50
Henning & Burke, sixth payment, general contract, Girls' High School (claim dated April 30, 1912)	28,988.25
Palm Vacuum Cleaning Co., final payment, vacuum cleaning, Visitacion Valley School (claim dated March 28, 1912)	516.00
<i>General Fund.</i>	
Western Rock Products Co., powdered lime rock, asphalt plant (claim dated April 26, 1912)	\$1,744.10
National Electric Co., final payment, electric wiring, Potrero Police Station (claim dated April 5, 1912)	596.00
Patrick Shea, Acting Chief of Police, monthly contingent allowance (claim dated May 1, 1912)	666.66
Pacific Gas and Electric Company, gas and electricity, public streets and public buildings, April, 1912 (claim dated May 2, 1912)	34,051.69
J. W. Schouten & Co., lumber, Board of Public Works (claim dated April 20, 1912)	678.39
Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants, April, 1912 (claim dated April 30,	

1912)	10,947.34
Spring Valley Water Company, water for public buildings (claim dated April 26, 1912)	1,666.66

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:

For setting back to new curb line fire hydrants in various parts of the City, to be expended by Board of Public Works, out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."	\$500.00
For one janitor, Potrero and Bay View Police Stations, and one elevator operator, temporary City Hall, for months of May and June, 1912, additional to \$3530 heretofore appropriated; to be expended by Board of Public Works, out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."	320.00
For furnishing and equipping additional auto pound wagon for month of May, 1912, out of item "for continuance of sanitary measures"	550.00
For payment of salary of Frederick J. Churcill, stenographer - bookkeeper Mayor's office, to June 30, 1912, out of Urgent Necessities Fund	456.00
For general repairs to public buildings during month of May, 1912, to be expended by Board of Public Works, out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."	6,000.00
For reconstruction of, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings during month of May, 1912, to be expended by Board of Public Works, out of item "For the reconstruction of, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings" ...	6,000.00

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Accepting Statements of the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company as to Gross Receipts from Passenger Fares and Percentages Thereon Due City.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. 9426 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the statements heretofore filed by the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company, showing there is due the City and County the sum of \$602.74 on account of percentages of street railroad fares for the six months ending March 31, 1912, be and the same is hereby accepted, and said Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company is hereby directed to deposit with the Treasurer of the City and County the said sum of \$602.74, the same to be placed to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

City Attorney to Obtain Opinion of Dillon, Thompson & Clay as to Legality of Proceedings in Matter of Issuance of Exposition Bonds and Providing for Payment Thereof Out of Premium of Such Bonds.

Also, J. R. No. 209.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be requested to procure the opinion of Dillon, Thompson & Clay, municipal bond attorneys, as to the legality of proceedings and validity of all matters relating to issuance of \$5,000,000 Exposition bonds, and that the City Attorney proceed with this immediately. Payment of fees for this legal opinion and the cost of making the bonds to be out of the premium from the sale of said bonds.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Health to Transfer \$200 from Salary Account to Maintenance Account.

Also, J. R. No. 210.

Resolved, That the Board of Health be, and it is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from its salary account to its maintenance account, for equipment and expense, \$200.00.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Robert C. Storrie & Company is hereby granted permis-

sion, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in the roadways of Sansome street, near Broadway, and Broadway, near Sansome street, during the exercise and progress of his contract No. 44 for the laying of pipe of the Auxiliary Fire Protection System; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of (\$10,000.00) ten thousand dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this Resolution be violated by said above named company, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Extension of Time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Coast Improvement Company is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after May 20, 1912, within which to complete the contract for the work of hauling and laying high pressure mains, conduits and appurtenances under contract No. 48 of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that owing to the inclemency of the weather the contractor was unable to proceed with the work; and

Further Resolved, That the advertising charges for printing this Resolution is hereby remitted.

Oil, Boiler, Laundry and Garage Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted, to wit:

Storage Tanks.

City and County of San Francisco, north side of McAllister street, between Franklin and Gough streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Patrick Noble, east side of Taylor street 100 feet south of Clay street, capacity 1500 gallons.

West Chamberlain, southwest corner of Yerba Buena and Sacramento streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

I. Mensor, southeast corner of California and Leavenworth streets, 1500 gallons.

Sunset Publishing Company, southwest side of Fourth street 150 feet

northwest of Bryant street, capacity 1500 gallons.

J. O. Jellison, north side of Post street, between Polk and Larkin streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

George Gale, north side of Eddy street 175 feet east of Leavenworth street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Boilers.

S. Scrofane, 667 Columbus avenue, two horsepower.

Sterling Laundry Company of San Francisco, Julian avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, 150 horsepower.

Laundry.

Sterling Laundry Company of San Francisco, Julian avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, a steam laundry.

Garage.

F. A. Oehm, southeast corner of Valencia and Seventeenth streets.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was *passed for printing*:

Prohibiting Use of Roller Towel.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Bill No. 2110, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance prohibiting the use of a common towel, such as is known as the 'roller towel,' or any towel for common use in certain places."

Action Deferred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Caglieri and on motion *laid over one week*:

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter described location:

R. H. Farmer, in rear of 1709 Mission street, west side of Thirteenth street, south of Mission street, for the accommodation of 22 additional horses.

Denying Stable Permits.

Supervisor Caglieri presented:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following named persons to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

Albert Bosc, for one horse, in the rear of 2340 Geary street.

H. E. Springer, for one horse, in the rear of 32 Mizpah avenue.

The following minority report was presented and read:

Minority Report, Health Committee.

San Francisco, May 6, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: As a member of the Committee on Public Health, I respectfully present this minority report in favor of granting permission to H. E. Springer to maintain a stable for one horse in rear of 32 Mizpah avenue and dissent from the Committee report recommending that the petition be denied.

After full investigation and due consideration of the facts presented, both by the petitioner and by those who protested against the granting of the petition, I believe that said H. E. Springer is within his legal rights and that his petition should be granted by this honorable Board.

Respectfully submitted,

ADOLF KOSHLAND,

Minority, Public Health Committee.

P. S.—As to all other matters reported by the majority I join in their action.

ADOLF KOSHLAND.

Privilege of the Floor.

W. C. Sheppard, representing H. E. Springer, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that the petitioner was only requesting what he was legally entitled to and asked the members to adopt the minority report.

Motion.

Supervisor George E. Gallagher moved that the H. E. Springer matter be recommitted to the Public Health Committee.

Motion *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Vogelsang—8.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Hayden, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Nolan Payot—9.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Motion.

Supervisor Koshland moved that the H. E. Springer permit be granted.

Motion *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy—8.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Mauzy, Murdock, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—9.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution was adopted as J. R. No. 211.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of A. W. Foster to Sell for \$9720 Certain Land on Le Roy Place Required for Auxiliary Water Supply Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

Resolution No. 9427 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from A. W. Foster (communication from City Attorney filed April 18, 1912), to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land in 50 Vara Block No. 246, which land is required for the purpose of the Auxiliary Water Supply System; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with appraised values thereon; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of A. W. Foster to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land free from all encumbrances, for the sum of nine thousand seven hundred and twenty (\$9720.00) dollars, be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Le Roy place, distant thereon 92 feet six inches northerly from the northerly line of Sacramento street; running thence northerly along said easterly line of Le Roy place 68 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle easterly 70 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 68 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle westerly 70 feet to the said easterly line of Le Roy place and the point of commencement. Being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 246.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes up to and including the current fiscal year are paid, and the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the purpose of procuring the same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed for said land to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$9720 to A. W. Foster for Certain Land on Le Roy Place Required for Auxiliary Water Supply Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. —, (New Se-

ries), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nine thousand seven hundred twenty (\$9720.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the fire protection bonds, issue 1908, in payment to A. W. Foster as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the easterly line of Le Roy place, distant thereon 92 feet 6 inches northerly from the northerly line of Sacramento street, of dimensions 68 feet 6 inches by 70 feet. Being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 246, required for the Auxiliary Water Supply System.

Action Deferred.

The following bill was introduced by Supervisor Hocks and laid over until May 20, 1912:

Taxicab Ordinance.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Regulating the use of hackney carriages, automobiles, taxicabs and other public passenger vehicles, fixing the rates to be charged for the transportation of persons and personal baggage, regulating the use of boats in the waters of the bay, providing a punishment for any violation thereof and repealing Order No. 1611, Ordinances Nos. 446, 1033 and 514 (New Series).

(Supervisor Giannini requested that schedules showing comparative rates for taxicab service in other cities be sent members.)

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Clerk to Advertise for Proposals for Printing Municipal Reports and Municipal Record.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 212.

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to advertise that sealed proposals will be received on Monday, June 10, 1912, at 3 p. m., for the printing of the "Municipal Reports" for the fiscal year 1911-12 and for the printing and distribution of the "Municipal Record" during the coming fiscal year, in accordance with specifications to be prepared by the Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Offer of Jno. T. Burns to Sell for \$3000 Certain Land on Hoffman Avenue Required for Fire Department Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9428 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from John T. Burns (communication from City Attorney, filed April 5,

1912), to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land situate at the westerly line of Hoffman avenue, distant thereon 30 feet 6 inches southerly from Alvarado street, required for firehouse purposes; and

Whereas, the price at which said parcel of land is offered is the reasonable value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of John T. Burns to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all encumbrances, for the sum of three thousand (\$3000.00) dollars, be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Hoffman avenue, distant thereon 30 feet 6 inches southerly from the southerly line of Alvarado street; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Hoffman avenue 25 feet; thence at right angles westerly 100 feet; thence at right angles northerly 25 feet; thence at right angles easterly 100 feet to the said westerly line of Hoffman avenue and point of commencement. Being Lot No. 160 of the Heyman Tract.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes up to and including the current fiscal year are paid, and the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the purpose of procuring the same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed for said land to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

It is hereby further understood and agreed that said owner is hereby authorized and permitted to remove the present improvements from said land.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Offer of Wm. G. Fanning to Sell for \$1500 Certain Land at Corner of Girard and Wilde Streets Required for Fire Department Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9429 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, an offer has been received from William G. Fanning and wife (communication from City Attorney, filed April 27, 1912), to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land in the Paul Tract Homestead Association, which land is required

for Fire Department purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is the reasonable value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of William G. Fanning and wife to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all encumbrances, for the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1500) dollars, be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at the point of intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street; thence running northwesterly along said southwesterly line of Girard street 50 feet; thence at a right angle southwesterly 120 feet; thence at a right angle southeasterly 50 feet to the northwesterly line of Wilde street; thence at a right angle northeasterly along said northwesterly line of Wilde street 120 feet to the southwesterly line of Girard street and the point of commencement. Being lot No. 8 of block 34, Paul Tract Homestead Association, as per map thereof filed in the office of the County Recorder May 16, 1871.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes up to and including the current fiscal year are paid, and the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the purpose of procuring the same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed for said land to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$3000 to John T. Burns for Certain Land on Hoffman Avenue Required as Additional Site for Fire House.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of three thousand (\$3000.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the item in the Budget for the fiscal year 1911-12. "For construction and equipment of Fire Department build-

ings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes", in payment to John T. Burns as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the westerly line of Hoffman avenue, distant thereon 30 feet 6 inches southerly from Alvarado street, of dimensions 25 feet frontage by a uniform depth of 100 feet, being lot No. 160 of the Heyman Tract, required as additional site for firehouse purposes.

Authorizing Payment of \$1500 to Wm. G. Fanning for Certain Land on Girard and Wilde Streets Required for Fire Department Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of fifteen hundred (\$1500) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the item of the Budget of 1911-12, "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes", in payment to William G. Fanning and wife, as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, of dimensions 50 feet frontage on Girard street by a uniform depth of 120 feet along Wilde street. Being Lot No. 8 of Block 34, Paul Tract Homestead Association, required for Fire Department purposes.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans and Specifications for Construction of Sewer in Ocean Avenue from Lee to Phelan Avenues.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 213.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby directed to prepare plans and specifications for the construction of a reinforced concrete sewer in Ocean avenue, from Lee avenue to Phelan avenue, the cost thereof to be borne from the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds of the issue of 1904.

(This cost has been preliminarily estimated at \$4,000.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Pipe Line and Conduit Permit, White Star Laundry.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the White Star Laundry be and is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to install three 2½-inch water pipes, one 1-inch air pipe, one 2-inch steam pipe and one 1½ inch electric conduit pipe in Heron street about 62 feet west of Mariposa street, thence 86 feet west, in a line 6 feet from and parallel to sidewalk from the Metropolitan Laundry Company's power plant to the White Star Laundry; provided that this privilege is granted on condition that said White Star Laundry in opening and closing the streets for the laying of conduits and pipes therein shall act in accordance with the provisions of Subdivision 9 of Section 9 of Chapter 2 of Article 6 of the Charter, wherein the Board of Public Works is required to perform the work necessary in laying the aforesaid conduits and pipes;

Provided, further, that said White Star Laundry, while exercising such privilege, shall keep in good repair the street pavement over said conduit and pipes.

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2114, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specification therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same, the provisions of which order that the intersection of Cortland avenue and Wool street be improved by constructing granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the angular corners of the intersection, where not already constructed, and by paving the roadway thereof with an asphalt pavement, consisting of a 6-inch concrete foundation and a 2-inch asphaltic wearing surface, except on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by the railroad company having tracks thereon, and by constructing brick cesspools (catch basins) with castiron frames, gratings and traps and 10-inch vitrified salt-glazed ironstone pipe culverts on the angular corners thereof.

Ratifying and Confirming Map of Sears Street.

Also, Bill No. 2105, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ratifying and confirming a map of Sears street, between Lawrence avenue (formerly Sherman avenue) and Sickles avenue."

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was in-

roduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Clerk to Advertise For Engraving Exposition Bonds.

J. R. No. 214.

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to advertise for sealed proposals to be received by this Board on Monday, May 20, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the engraving of 5000 Exposition bonds, and that the Supplies Committee prepare the specifications therefor.

Further Resolved, That Journal Resolution No. 190, calling for these bids on May 13th, is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher and referred to *Electricity Committee*:

Extending Underground Conduit System.

Bill No. 2115, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Adding a new section to be numbered Section 1A to Ordinance No. 214 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for placing electrical wires and conductors underground in the City and County of San Francisco", and amending Section 8 hereof.

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. A new section to be numbered Section 1A is hereby added to Ordinance No. 214 (New Series), the title of which is recited in the title of this Ordinance, to read as follows:

Section 1A. An additional district to those described in Section 1 is hereby designated as follows:

Underground District No. 7.

Golden Gate avenue, from the west property line of Polk street to the west property line of Van Ness avenue.

Grant avenue from the north property line of Bush street to the south property line of Broadway street.

Stockton street from south property line of Jackson street to the southerly line of Columbus avenue.

Pacific street from the east property line of Stockton street to the east line of Sansome street.

Broadway from west property line of Powell street to the east property line of Montgomery street.

Bush street from the west property line of Grant avenue to the west property line of Jones street.

Jones street from the north property line of Bush street to the south property line of Pine street.

Pine street from the west property line of Hyde street to the east property line of Mason street.

Kearny street from northerly line of Columbus avenue to the south property line of Broadway street.

Section 2. Section 8 of said Ordinance is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 8. Electric railways are hereby exempted from the provisions of this Ordinance in so far as it affects poles, trolley wires, span wires, guy wires and wires used for track switching purposes.

Clerk to Wire Dillon, Thompson and Clay For Opinion as to Lithographing City Hall Bonds.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Hayden and referred to *Supplies Committee*:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to wire to obtain the views of Dillon, Thompson & Clay as regards the desirability of having the City Hall bonds lithographed and the effect on their saleability in New York and elsewhere and request telegraphic reply.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Clerk to Advertise For Supplies For Institutions.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland: J. R. No. 215.

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board, under the direction of the Supplies Committee, is hereby directed to advertise a proposal notice inviting bids for furnishing and delivering supplies and materials for use by the various boards, officials, departments and institutions during the fiscal year 1912-13, as per schedule prepared therefor by the Supplies Committee.

Adopted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Relative to Transbay Bridge.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: J. R. No. 216.

Whereas, The Congress of the United States has recently seen fit, in its good judgment, to extend to a private individual the privilege of promoting, exploiting, erecting and maintaining a bridge extending from San Francisco to the City of Oakland, across the Bay of San Francisco, and touching at Yerba Buena Island, and

Whereas, The promotion, exploitation, erection and maintenance of said bridge is a matter of the utmost con-

cern and of extreme importance, not only to the City and County of San Francisco, but to the County of Alameda, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee, the Chairman of the Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations and the Chairman of the Committee on Lands and Tunnels of this Board of Supervisors be and they are hereby authorized to investigate and thoroughly examine into all matters concerning the erection and maintenance of the said proposed bridge, and that they shall confer with the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda with a view of proposing and enacting proper legislation tending towards the protection of the people of the two counties to be connected by the said proposed bridge, and be it further

Resolved, That realizing the importance of this great project to the two great counties of San Francisco and Alameda, tending as it does to bring about the cherished realization of a Greater San Francisco, that the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco declare itself in favor of the erection of this proposed bridge, provided, that it can be erected and maintained through proper legislation of the Boards of Supervisors of both the above named counties.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Vacation Period.

His Honor Mayor Rolph recommended the period from July 15 to August 15 as time within which members should take their vacations.

Bion J. Arnold to Report Method of Relieving Street Car Congestion on Lower Market Street.

Supervisor Vogelsang introduced:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That Bion J. Arnold be, and he is hereby, requested to make an immediate report upon existing passenger traffic conditions on lower Market street and to suggest methods whereby congestion may be relieved and such traffic most effectively expedited and handled.

May 6, 1912—Ordered referred to Public Utilities Committee.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board, at the hour of 4:50 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 8, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Wednesday evening, May 8, 1912, 8 p. m. The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of taking testimony and of making such investigations as will enable it to fix and determine water rates for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—10.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph being absent Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher was called to the chair.

Committee of the Whole.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy the Board of Supervisors resolved itself into Committee of the Whole with Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher, chairman of the Water Service and Rates Committee, in the chair.

The Committee of the Whole arose at 10 o'clock p. m., all members before noted being present.

Report of the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee of the Whole, by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher, reported as follows:

The Committee of the Whole reports that it has commenced the investigation preliminary to fixing water rates for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, as required by law.

That it has heard the testimony of W. B. Bourn, president of the Spring Valley Water Company, as to manner of arriving at basis for fixing a rate that would be acceptable to the Spring Valley Water Company.

That certain statements and data have been filed by the Spring Valley Water Company which matters have been duly considered and designated exhibits in the pending investigation, to-wit:

Exhibit 1. Statement of the Spring Valley Water Company showing the receipts from all sources and an itemized list of expenditures made during the year preceding July 1, 1912.

Exhibit 2. Statement of Spring Valley Water Company, showing operating expenses for 1911; operating expenses six months ending December 31, 1911; permanent improvements, inventory of property not actually in use for water supply purposes; receipts from all sources and itemized list of expenditures during year preceding January 1, 1912, also for six months ending De-

ember 31, 1911, and statement of book valuations of properties.

Exhibit 3. Report of the president of the Spring Valley Water Company, San Francisco, California, for the year ending December 31, 1911, presented to the shareholders at the annual meeting held April 10, 1912.

Furthermore, your committee reports progress and begs leave to sit again on Wednesday evening, May 15,

1912, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of continuing the investigation.

Adopted.

Whereupon, on the motion, the above report was adopted as read.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 10:05 o'clock adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors May 13, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, May 13, 1912, 2:30 p. m.
The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot. Vogel-sang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journals of the meetings of May 6 and May 13, 1912, were read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Leave of Absence, Dr. Geo. B. Somers.

The following communication was presented and *read by the Clerk*:

San Francisco, Cal., May 6, 1912.

Honorable Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco, City Hall, San Francisco—Gentlemen: Dr. George B. Somers, member of the Board of Health of this City and County, is desirous of attending a meeting of the American Medical Association, soon to be held at Atlantic City, N. J. Dr. Somers wishes to obtain leave of absence of six weeks, beginning May 15, 1912, and I recommend that such leave be granted. Yours very truly,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced out of order and *adopted by the following vote*:

J. R. No. 217.

Resolved, That Dr. George E. Somers, member of the Board of Health of this City and County, be, and he is hereby granted a leave of absence of sixty days from the state, from and after May 6, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,

Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Report of Advisory Committee on Purchase of Properties of Spring Valley Water Company.

The following report was presented, read and ordered *printed at length in Journal*:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, California—Gentlemen: The Advisory Committee, appointed by your Honorable body to aid in negotiations looking to a purchase by the city of the properties of the Spring Valley Water Works, respectfully reports that as yet no offers or proposals have been submitted. The Committee deemed it of the utmost importance that the city should be advised at the outset of the actual facts regarding that part of the plant of the Water Company known as the Alameda system and to obtain accurate information as to volume of water available from that source as a supplement to that derived from the peninsular system.

To this end, the Committee requested Mr. Freeman the consulting engineer of the city, to investigate and report his conclusions, utilizing the data furnished him by the city engineer and that obtained under the direction of the city attorney's office. Such data as was available has been furnished Mr. Freeman.

On Thursday last Mr. Freeman made a request that the engineers in the employ of this city make an examination and supply certain additional information for the purpose of supplementing and confirming data in his possession. Arrangements are now being made to obtain this information as rapidly as possible, thus enabling Mr. Freeman to present his final report.

City Attorney Long is now in the East conferring with Mr. Freeman. All parties acting in behalf of the city realize the importance of prompt action, and are using all possible diligence to secure the desired results.

As soon as Mr. Freeman's report is received, your Committee will imme-

diately proceed with the matters entrusted to them.

Respectfully submitted.

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,

CURTIS H. LINDLEY,

Advisory Committee on Spring Valley Purchase.

Statement of His Honor the Mayor.

His Honor the Mayor stated, with regard to the above matter, that the Committee was tied up awaiting reports as to the value of the Alameda properties of the Spring Valley Water Company and that the delay so far as the Committee is concerned is unavoidable. He declared that the Committee had held meetings and are trying to get necessary reports so that it can intelligently move in the matter. He assured the Board that things were being pushed as fast as possible and that he thought that in about one month something would be doing.

(Clerk was thereupon instructed to send a transcript of the proceedings in the Water Rates Investigation to the Advisory Committee on the Purchase of the Properties of the Spring Valley Water Company.)

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Gianinni, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guldo E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Report of Supplies Committee on Award of Contract for Engraving City Hall Bonds.

The following report was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, Cal., May 13, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: Your Committee on Supplies, to whom were referred bids for furnishing 8,800 City Hall and Civic Center Bonds, begs to report as follows:

The following bids were received:

Pacific Lithograph Co. (certified check for \$120.00, Italian-American Bank), lithographed, \$1,200.

The Myself-Rollins Bank Note Co. (certified check for \$330.00, Seaboard Bank), lithographed \$1,299.50; engraved, \$3,306.00; combination, \$1,846.

Blitton & Rey (certified check for \$537.50, California Bank), lithographed, \$2,050.00; engraved, \$5,375.00; combination, \$2,600.00.

Schwabacher-Frey Stationery Co. (certified check for \$450.00, Anglo and London-Paris National Bank), lithographed, \$1,449.00; engraved, \$4,122.00; combination, \$2,124.00.

A. Carlisle & Co. (certified check for \$325.00, Anglo and London-Paris National Bank), lithographed, \$1,476.00; engraved, \$3,225.00; combination, \$1,992.00.

The Committee is of the unanimous opinion that the bonds issued by the City and County of San Francisco should be entirely steel engraved. The bonds of this type are considered to possess much greater security against counterfeiting than any other.

It is also expressive, in a measure, of dignity and style, and, while it costs more than bonds of cheaper make, acting upon the advice of bond buyers and banking houses the Committee is convinced that the additional cost is a good form of investment.

In view of this, the Committee recommends unanimously that the contract for furnishing these bonds be awarded to the firm of A. Carlisle & Co. for all-steel bonus as per specifications, for the total sum of \$3,225.00.

Respectfully submitted,

ADOLF KOSHILAND,

FRED L. HILMER,

C. A. MURDOCK,

Supplies Committee.

Whereupon, Supervisor Koshland introduced the following resolution out of order and moved its adoption under suspension of the rules:

Award of Contract, City Hall Bonds.

Resolution No. 9430 (New Series):

Resolved, That the contract for engraving, printing and delivering to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco on or before July 10, 1912, of 8,800 City Hall Bonds for the sum of three thousand two hundred and twenty-five (\$3,225) dollars, be and the same is hereby awarded to A. Carlisle & Co. in accordance with its bid and specifications therefor prepared by the Supplies Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Further Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into the contract hereby awarded and to approve the sufficiency of the sureties upon a bond in the sum of one

thousand (\$1,000) dollars to be furnished by the said A. Carlisle & Co. for the faithful performance of said contract.

All other bids are hereby rejected.

Motion.

Supervisor Hayden moved as a substitute that the contract be awarded to the lowest bidder on litho-engraved bonds.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, McLeran, Nolan—6.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, Giannini, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—10.

Absent—Supervisors Hocks, Jennings—2.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Report of Public Utilities Committee.

The following report was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, Cal., May 13, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco:

Your Committee on Public Utilities begs to report as follows:

A meeting of your Committee was held in the office of the Mayor on the afternoon of May 6, 1912, at which were present your entire Committee, his Honor the Mayor, Assistant City Engineers Hunt and Ransome, and Consulting Engineer A. M. Hunt, formerly connected with the Municipal Railway project. Mr. George C. Holberton, general manager of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, was also in attendance.

The purpose of the meeting was to determine whether or not, in all the circumstances, it is advisable for the city to incur the expense of extensive electrical installation for the purpose of producing or transforming electric current for the operation of the municipal railway.

It will be borne in mind that proposals were invited by the Board of Public Works, and bids received for the installation of necessary apparatus for a sub-station in the municipal car-house for transforming high tension current into direct current, for the operation of the road. The lowest bid received was from the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company

for \$68,900.00. The completion of this work would involve considerable additional expense, and when completed the city would be equipped for the transformation of high tension current, which would probably be purchased, under contract, from some one of the companies engaged in the development and sale thereof. It was represented by Mr. Holberton of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company and by letters from the Great Western Power Company, that they, and one or two other companies in San Francisco, were prepared to furnish the city with direct current for the operation of the road at a rate much less than the city could produce the same. It was also shown that by the erection and establishment of a power house, as contemplated, for the operation of the road, current cannot be developed at a rate economical to the city.

Your Committee having in mind the future necessary and desirable extensions of the municipal railway, and also the fact that the franchise of the Presidio and Ferries System will expire with the year 1913, when it also must be managed and controlled by the city, believes that it is a wise policy to refrain from investment in electrical installation at this time, provided contracts for power may be advantageously made at a figure less than the cost of city production.

It was, therefore, determined to instruct the engineering department to prepare specifications and call for bids for the furnishing of direct current, and, in the event that such bids were at a figure less than the cost of production by the city, a contract for a period of one year, with the option of renewal for four successive years, would be entered into between the city and the successful bidder. The bid for the installation of the sub-station would then be rejected and the sums thus saved would be used in the early completion and extension of the municipal railway.

Specifications for furnishing high-tension and direct current have been prepared, and proposals have been requested by advertisement published on the 10th inst. Bids will be opened on May 17th, 1912.

Your Committee is unanimously of the opinion, after being thoroughly advised by all the interests involved, that this is the proper and businesslike policy which should be followed.

At a meeting of your Committee, held on May 8th, it was determined to recommend for adoption a resolution herewith presented requesting the City Attorney to press forward the litigation against the Sutter Street Railway

Company notwithstanding pending negotiations for settlement thereof.

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG.

PAUL BANCROFT,

GEO. E. GALLAGHER,

BYRON MAUZY,

D. C. MURPHY,

Public Utilities Committee.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced out of order and on motion of Supervisor Vogelsang *adopted* by the following vote:

City Attorney to Press Litigation Pending Between City and Sutter Street Railway Company.

J. R. No. 218.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby requested to press forward the litigation between the City and the Sutter Street Railway Company, notwithstanding pending negotiations for settlement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthv, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote, and numbered as follows. to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9431 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants:

Garbage Incinerators, Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.

Mercer-Fraser Co., final payment, grading, Islais Creek (claim dated April 30, 1912) \$5,351.90

Park Fund.

Oldsmobile Company of California, one touring car and supplies (claim dated April 2, 1912) \$3,566.28

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Contra Costa Construction Co., eighth payment, North Point main sewer, D-1 (claim dated April 17, 1912) \$21,060.82

John Daniel, eighth payment, North Point main sewer, G (claim dated April 20, 1912) 2,087.58

Coast Improvement Co., final payment, Ingleside outlet

sewer, B (claim dated April 24, 1912) 6,075.63

Purchase Castiron Pipe Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Union Machine Co., thirteenth payment, contract 36, gate valves (claim dated April 29, 1912) \$10,504.18

Union Machine Co., fourteenth payment, contract 36, gate valves (claim dated April 29, 1912) 2,167.50

U. S. Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Co., fourth payment, contract 55, pipe (claim dated April 15, 1912) 659.92

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Adams & Hollapeter, final payment, lighting fixtures (claim dated March 20, 1912) \$3,598.75

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Smith & Johnson, seventh payment, plastering (claim dated April 30, 1912) \$3,001.50

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.

J. W. Carr, first payment, foundation and excavation (claim dated April 30, 1912) \$4,500.00

Butte Engineering & Electric Co., sixth payment, electric fixtures, shop building (claim dated April 10, 1912) 789.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Central Electric Co., final payment, electric contract, Franklin School (claim dated February 13, 1912) .. \$610.00

American Air Cleaning Co., first payment, vacuum cleaning, Holly Park School (claim dated April 24, 1912) 505.50

W. S. Hanbridge, final payment, electric wiring, Spring Valley School (claim dated April 3, 1912) 840.00

Chas. E. Thomas, fourth payment, heating and ventilating, Lowell High School (claim dated April 12, 1912) 3,600.00

The J. Looney Co., first payment, plumbing, Girls' High School (claim dated April 2, 1912) 2,400.00

Chas. E. Thomas Co., first payment, heating and ventilating, Girls' High School (claim dated April 30, 1912) 5,257.50

Henning & Burke, sixth payment, general contract, Girls' High School (claim dated April 30, 1912)..... 28,988.25

Palm Vacuum Cleaning Co., final payment, vacuum cleaning, Visitation Valley School (claim dated March 28, 1912) 516.00

General Fund.

Western Rock Products Co., powdered lime rock, asphalt plant (claim dated April 26, 1912)..... \$1,744.10

National Electric Co., final payment, electric wiring, Potrero Police Station (claim dated April 5, 1912) 596.00

Patrick Shea, Acting Chief of Police, monthly contingent allowance (claim dated May 1, 1912) 666.66

Pacific Gas and Electric Company, gas and electricity, public streets and public buildings, April, 1912 (claim dated May 2, 1912) 34,051.69

J. W. Schouten & Co., lumber, Board of Public Works (claim dated April 20, 1912) 678.39

Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants, April, 1912 (claim dated April 30, 1912) 10,947.34

Spring Valley Water Company, water for public buildings, (claim dated April 26, 1912)..... 1,666.66

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9432 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:

For setting back to new curb line fire hydrants in various parts of the City, to be expended by Board of Public Works, out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." \$500.00

For one janitor, Potrero and Bay View Police Stations, and one elevator operator, temporary City Hall, for months of May and June, 1912, additional to \$3530

heretofore appropriated; to be expended by Board of Public Works, out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."..... 320.00

For furnishing and equipping additional auto pound wagon for month of May, 1912, out of item "for continuance of sanitary measures" 550.00

For payment of salary of Frederick J. Churchill, stenographer - bookkeeper Mayor's office, to June 30, 1912, out of Urgent Necessities Fund 456.00

For general repairs to public buildings during month of May, 1912, to be expended by Board of Public Works, out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." 6,000.00

For reconstruction of, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings during month of May, 1912, to be expended by Board of Public Works, out of item "For the reconstruction of, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings" ... 6,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9433 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Robert C. Storrie & Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in the roadways of Sansome street, near Broadway, and Broadway, near Sansome street, during the exercise and progress of his contract No. 44 for the laying of pipe of the Auxiliary Fire Protection System; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of (\$10,000.00) ten thousand dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this Resolution be violated by said above named company, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9434 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Coast Improvement Company is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after May 20, 1912, within which to complete the contract for the work of hauling and laying high pressure mains, conduits and appurtenances under contract No. 48 of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that owing to the inclemency of the weather the contractor was unable to proceed with the work; and

Further Resolved, That the advertising charges for printing this Resolution is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Oil, Boiler, Laundry and Garage Permits.

The following Resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted, to wit:

Storage Tanks.

City and County of San Francisco, north side of McAllister street, between Franklin and Gough streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Patrick Noble, east side of Taylor street 100 feet south of Clay street, capacity 1500 gallons.

West Chamberlain, southwest corner of Yerba Buena and Sacramento streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

I. Mensor, southeast corner of California and Leavenworth streets, 1500 gallons.

Sunset Publishing Company, southwest side of Fourth street 150 feet northwest of Bryant street, capacity 1500 gallons.

J. O. Jellison, north side of Post street, between Polk and Larkin streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

George Gale, north side of Eddy street 175 feet east of Leavenworth street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Boilers.

S. Scrofane, 667 Columbus avenue, two horsepower.

Sterling Laundry Company of San Francisco, Julian avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, 150 horse power.

Laundry.

Sterling Laundry Company of San Francisco, Julian avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, a steam laundry.

Garage.

F. A. Oehm, southeast corner of Valencia and Seventeenth streets.

Motion.

Supervisor Giannini moved that applications of the Sterling Laundry Company be stricken from the resolution and *laid over one week*.

So ordered.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the above resolution, as amended, was *finally passed* as Resolution No. 9435 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Prohibiting Use of Roller Towel.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up:

Bill No. 2110, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance prohibiting the use of a common towel, such as is known as the 'roller towel,' or any towel for common use in certain places."

Amendment.

Supervisor Caglieri moved to amend by making the date of going into effect of above Bill August 1, 1912.

Amendment carried.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon the above Bill, as amended, was *passed for printing*.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizing Payment of \$9720 to A. W. Foster for Certain Land on Le Roy Place Required for Auxiliary Water Supply Purposes.

Resolution No. 9436 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nine thousand seven hundred twenty (\$9720.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the fire protection bonds, issue 1908, in payment to A. W. Foster as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the easterly line of Le Roy place, distant thereon 92 feet 6 inches northerly from the northerly line of Sacramento street, of dimensions 68 feet 6 inches by 70 feet.

Being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 246, required for the Auxiliary Water Supply System.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Authorizing Payment of \$3000 to John T.
Burns for Certain Land on Hoffman
Avenue Required as Additional Site for
Fire House.

Resolution No. 9437, (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of
three thousand (\$3000.00) dollars is
hereby authorized to be made out of
the item in the Budget for the fiscal
year 1911-12, "For construction and
equipment of Fire Department build-
ings and for purchase of lands for
Fire Department purposes", in payment
to John T. Burns as purchase price
of a lot of land situate at the west-
erly line of Hoffman avenue, distant
thereon 30 feet 6 inches southerly
from Alvarado street, of dimensions
25 feet frontage by a uniform depth
of 100 feet, being lot No. 160 of the
Heyman Tract, required as additional
site for firehouse purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Recommended.

The following Resolution heretofore
passed for printing was taken up and
on motion *recommended to the Public
Building Committee*:

Authorizing Payment of \$1500 to Wm. G.
Fanning for Certain Land on Girard
and Wilde Streets Required for Fire
Department Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of
fifteen hundred (\$1500) dollars is
hereby authorized to be made out of
the item of the Budget of 1911-12, "For
construction and equipment of Fire
Department buildings, and for pur-
chase of lands for Fire Department
purposes", in payment to William G.
Fanning and wife, as purchase price
of a lot of land situate at the inter-
section of the southwesterly line of
Girard street with the northwesterly
line of Wilde street, of dimensions 50
feet frontage on Girard street by a
uniform depth of 120 feet along Wilde
street. Being Lot No. 8 of Block 34,
Paul Tract Homestead Association, re-
quired for Fire Department purposes.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore

passed for printing, were taken up,
finally passed by the following vote
and numbered as follows, to wit:

Pipe Line and Conduit Permit, White
Star Laundry.

Resolution No. 9438 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the White Star
Laundry be and is hereby granted
permission, revocable at will of the
Board of Supervisors, to install three
2½-inch water pipes, one 1-inch air
pipe, one 2-inch steam pipe and one
1½ inch electric conduit pipe in
Heron street about 62 feet west of
Mariposa street, thence 86 feet west,
in a line 6 feet from and parallel to
sidewalk from the Metropolitan Lau-
ndry Company's power plant to the
White Star Laundry; provided that
this privilege is granted on condition
that said White Star Laundry in open-
ing and closing the streets for the lay-
ing of conduits and pipes therein shall
act in accordance with the provisions
of Subdivision 9 of Section 9 of Chap-
ter 2 of Article 6 of the Charter,
wherein the Board of Public Works is
required to perform the work neces-
sary in laying the aforesaid conduits
and pipes;

Provided, further, that said White
Star Laundry, while exercising such
privilege, shall keep in good repair the
street pavement over said conduit and
pipes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2114, Ordinance No. 1893
(New Series). Ordering the perform-
ance of certain street work to be done
in the City and County of San Fran-
cisco, approving and adopting specifi-
cation therefor and authorizing the
Board of Public Works to enter into
contract for doing the same, the pro-
visions of which order that the inter-
section of Cortland avenue and Wool
street be improved by constructing
granite curbs and artificial stone side-
walks on the angular corners of the
intersection, where not already con-
structed, and by paving the roadway
thereof with an asphalt pavement, con-
sisting of 6-inch concrete foundation
and a 2-inch asphaltic wearing surface,
except on that portion thereof required
by law to be kept in repair by the rail-
road company having tracks thereon,
and by constructing brick cesspools
(catch basins) with castiron frames,
gratings and traps and 10-inch vitri-
fied salt-glazed ironstone pipe culverts
on the angular corners thereof.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-

eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Ratifying and Confirming Map of Sears Street.

Bill No. 2105, Ordinance No. 1894 (New Series), entitled, "Ratifying and confirming a map of Sears street, between Lawrence avenue (formerly Sherman avenue) and Sickles avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$192,923.44 and entered in Register of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 17,681 to 18,074, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

Library Fund.

The Emporium, books, S. F. Public Library (claim dated April 30, 1912)..... \$766.49

J. B. McIntyre Bindery Co., binding books, S. F. Public Library (claim dated April 30, 1912)..... 632.35

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

McLeran & Peterson, tenth payment, general construc-

tion, Polytechnic School shop (claim dated April 25, 1912)..... \$3,070.50

Butte Engineering and Electric Co., final payment, electric work, Polytechnic School shop (claim dated April 10, 1912)..... 1,323.00

McLeran & Peterson, full and final payment, general construction Polytechnic School shop building (claim dated May 11 1912) 23,545.50

Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

The Fay Improvement Co., first payment, street work, O'Farrell street, Powell to Jones streets (claim dated May 4, 1912)..... \$2,490.03

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

J. T. O'Brien Co., third payment, sewer construction, Brannan street, First to Embarcadero (claim dated May 7, 1912)..... \$9,675.44

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

F. Rolandi, sixth payment, North Point main sewer "B" (claim dated May 7, 1912)..... \$26,092.98

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., eighth payment, North Point main sewer "D-2" (claim dated May 7, 1912). 3,743.25

Contra Costa Construction Co., second payment, Ingle side outlet sewer "C" (claim dated May 8, 1912) 9,707.54

Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co., Assignee Keystone Construction Co., twelfth payment, Mission street sewer, Silver avenue to Bosworth street (claim dated May 8, 1912) 1,384.50

Hauling and Laying Pipe, Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

R. C. Storrie & Co., second payment, contract 44 (claim dated May 8, 1912)..... \$21,953.70

Coast Improvement Co., sixth payment, contract 48 (claim dated May 6, 1912)..... 17,132.96

Michael Murphy, sixth payment, contract 50 (claim dated May 7, 1912)..... 11,747.72

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

General Electric Construction Co., fourth payment, electrical work, Lowell High School (claim dated April 29, 1912)..... \$510.00

National Surety Co., assignee of G. D. Patterson Co., final payment, general construc-

tion, Franklin School (claim dated February 23, 1912)	3,875.00	Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., eleventh payment, construction Mission street viaduct, northerly section (claim dated May 7, 1912)	3,349.98
The J. Looney Co., second payment, plumbing, Girls' High School (claim dated May 1, 1912)	2,000.25	The Rincon Publishing Co., printing Municipal Record (claim dated May 3, 1912)	609.17
Ralston Iron Works, final payment, structural steel, Girls' High School (claim dated April 23, 1912)	15,460.00	M. G. West Co., metal book racks, Recorder's office (claim dated March 20, 1912)	970.65
San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.		Reliance Automobile Co., two Knox motor-driven police patrols (claim dated April 26, 1912)	8,300.00
Robert Dalziel, Jr., final payment, boiler and boiler room auxiliaries, San Francisco hospitals (claim dated April 29, 1912)	\$1,999.50	The Fay Improvement Co., in full, street work, California street, Battery to Front street (claim dated May 4, 1912)	3,274.59
Jno. A. Roebling's Sons Co., final payment, electric work, San Francisco Hospitals (claim dated April 19, 1912)	926.00	Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli- eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15. Excused from voting—Supervisor McLeran—1. Absent—Supervisors Hocks, Jennings —2.	
Otis Elevator Co., first payment, elevators, San Francisco hospitals (claim dated May 1, 1912)	2,250.00		
General Fund.		Appropriations.	
W. W. Wymore, basalt blocks (claim dated May 2, 1912) ..	\$606.00	Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:	
John Cassaretto, hauling, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated May 1, 1912) ..	790.00	Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:	
Walter Hough & Co., fifth payment, general construction, Bay View Police Station (claim dated April 25, 1912)	2,995.50	For plans and specifications, and for inspection during construction of the Washington Irving School, to be expended by the Board of Public Works, out of school construction account, public building fund, bond issue 1908	\$ 4,000.00
Spring Valley Water Co., water for street sprinkling, month of April, 1912 (claim dated May 4, 1912) ..	579.60	For permanent construction at Lake Eleanor and Hetch Hetchy valley; to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of water construction fund, bond issue July 1, 1910	12,500.00
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated May 1, 1912) ..	1,152.28	For moving and fitting up departments in Temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice, additional appropriation; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc., account	5,000.00
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated May 1, 1912)	1,015.10	Providing \$1245 for Construction of Septic Tank in Golden Gate Park.	
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, Relief Home (claim dated April 30, 1912)	1,925.29	Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:	
Phillips & Van Orden Co., printing precinct supplement to Great Register (claim dated May 3, 1912) ..	4,011.51	Resolved, That the sum of \$1245 be and the same is hereby set aside and made available out of the general fund for the construction of a septic tank	
Phillips & Van Orden Co., printing sample and official ballots (claim dated May 2, 1912) ..	1,170.00		
Peter Caubu, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated May 1, 1912)	643.50		
Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., assignee Keystone Construction Co., eleventh payment, construction Mission street viaduct, southerly section (claim dated May 8, 1912) ..	13,572.64		

in Golden Gate Park to take care of flow of sewage from adjacent streets, the said amount having been subscribed and deposited with the treasurer to the credit of the general fund; to be expended by the Board of Public Works.

Oil, Garage and Laundry Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted, to-wit:

Storage Tanks.

German Savings and Loan Society, southwest corner of Haight and Belvedere streets; capacity 1800 gallons.

Knights of Columbus Hall Association, north side of Golden Gate avenue, 200 feet west of Jones street; capacity 1500 gallons.

A. B. Spreckels, west side of Front street, 30 feet north of Market street; capacity 1500 gallons.

Garage.

Pacific Taximeter Cab Company, north side of Bush street, between Polk and Larkin streets.

Laundries.

Gee Oak Sin, hand laundry, south side of St. Charles Place, 68 feet 9 inches east of Kearny street.

Lee Loy, 1508 Lyon street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher explained his vote by saying he voted No on the Chinese Laundries and Aye on the remainder of the Resolution.

Blasting Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That C. L. Huggins is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in premises situate east of Corbett avenue and Sloat Boulevard in the Sutro Forest property, for the purpose of clearing off said property; provided that said committee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of

the conditions of this resolution be violated by said above named company, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Giannini, and on his motion *indefinitely postponed*:

Denying Laundry Permit.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Lee Hong to erect and maintain a laundry at premises situate on west line of Shotwell street, 74 feet north of Fifteenth street.

Action Deferred.

The following Resolution laid over from last meeting was taken up and on motion *laid over one week*:

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter described location:

R. H. Farmer, in rear of 1709 Mission street, west side of Thirteenth street, south of Mission street, for the accommodation of 22 additional horses.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

Frank Denatale, at corner of Whittier and Mission streets (rear), for one horse.

S. Travessare, in north side of Bay street, 30 feet west of Leavenworth street (rear), for two horses.

Clarence Sheffer, in north side of Fairmount street, 165 feet 3 inches west of Chenery street (rear), for two horses.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 219.

Resolved, That in the exercise of

the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied J. Louhoo to maintain a stable for one horse at 2731 Twenty-third street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-Sang—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Traffic Ordinance Amended.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

Bill No. 2116, Ordinance No. — (New Series), amending sections 42, 43, 54 and 83 of Ordinance No. 1857 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating moving travel and traffic upon the streets and other public places" etc., approved March 26, 1912.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans and Advise as to Lands Necessary to be Acquired for Twin Peaks Tunnel.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

Resolution No. 9439 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco be and it is hereby requested to prepare a plan, longitudinal and cross-section of the tunnel construction provided for by a certain resolution of intention of the Board of Supervisors, being Resolution No. 9350 (New Series), approved March 20, 1912, showing the gradients of approaches to and of the passageway through such proposed tunnel, in the manner specified, and set out in the report of Bion J. Arnold upon the subject of the Twin Peaks tunnel, filed with the Board of Supervisors May 3, 1912, and in conformity to Plan No. 5B as therein set forth and described, and delineated upon the drawing filed with said report and made a part thereof. And that the Board of Public Works do thereupon cause a copy of such plan, longitudinal and cross-section to be filed with the clerk of said Board of Supervisors.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby requested to furnish to the Board of Supervisors at the earliest practicable time a description of the lands necessary to be acquired and of the rights of way necessary to be acquired in and for the construction of such tunnel.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,

Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Nolan and *laid over one week*:

Finance Committee to Provide that Appropriations for All Public Lighting be Included in One Fund.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be requested to provide in the budget, that appropriations for the lighting of all public streets, parks, public buildings, including school-houses, be included in one fund, so as to permit of only one monthly demand for all public lighting from and after July 1, 1912.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Extensions of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That extensions of time are hereby granted to the following contractors for the construction of the Lowell High School building, to-wit:

To Elmer Carlson, ninety days' time from and after May 24, 1912, for the general construction of said building, for the reason of the site being occupied by buildings which were not removed for three months.

To V. J. Belknap, ninety days' time from and after May 5, 1912, for plumbing work on said school building, for the reason that the finishing plumbing cannot be installed until the contractors on the building complete their work; and further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution be and is hereby remitted.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

City Attorney to Solicit Offers for Purchase of Lands for Cooper School Purposes and to Institute Condemnation Proceedings if Price Exceeds Assessed Valuation.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9440 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, It is deemed expedient and necessary that the following herein described land be acquired for a school site, to-wit., the Cooper School; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Attorney is hereby requested to solicit offers from the owners for sale to the city of the following described land, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line

of Lombard street with the westerly line of Jones street; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Jones street 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle westerly 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 137 feet 6 inches to the southerly line of Lombard street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Lombard street 137 feet 6 inches to the said westerly line of Jones street and point of commencement; being a portion of 50-vara Block No. 236.

The City Attorney is requested to submit the said offer to the Board of Supervisors, and if the same is found to be in excess of the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it further

Resolved, That the City Attorney is hereby authorized and requested to institute condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of the said hereinabove described land.

Recommitted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft, and on motion recommitted to the Buildings and Lighting Rates Committee:

Disposal of Gas Lamp Standards Around City Hall Site. J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and requested to transfer and install ten of the gas standards including the granite base at present on the coping surrounding the City Hall site, to the following locations:

Four of said gas standards at the easterly line of the Park Panhandle and westerly line of Baker street, between Oak and Fell streets.

Two of said standards at the entrance to Golden Gate Park; on the westerly line of Stanyan street, between Oak and Fell streets.

Two of said standards at the entrance to Golden Gate Park, on the westerly line of Stanyan street opposite Haight street.

Two of said standards at the entrance to Golden Gate Park, on the southerly line of Fulton street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth avenues; and be it further

Resolved; That the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and requested to allow the transfer of six of said gas standards, including the granite base, to the Mission Promotion Association for erection and installation in the Mission Park, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, provided the consent of the Park Commissioners is obtained.

It is hereby understood and agreed that the expense of their removal, transportation and erection shall be defrayed by the said Mission Promo-

tion Association without expense of any kind to the city; and further

Resolved, That the Lighting and Rates Committee of this Board is hereby requested to provide gas service for these lamps when the same are installed; and be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and requested to allow the transfer of six of said gas standards, including the granite base, to the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce for erection and installation in Union Square, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, provided the consent of the Park Commissioners is obtained.

It is hereby understood and agreed that the expense of their removal, transportation and erection shall be defrayed by the said San Francisco Chamber of Commerce without expense of any kind to the city; and further

Resolved, That the Lighting and Rates Committee of this Board is hereby requested to provide gas service for these lamps when the same are installed.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Construction of Geary Street Railway Car House.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

J. R. No. 220.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the construction of the Geary Street Railway car house on plans filed with the Board of Supervisors, which are hereby approved;

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to receive bids on three types of buildings, the plans and specifications for which have been prepared and are on file in the Clerk's office;

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the opening of the bids, the amounts bid and the type of building to be approved and constructed. When this is done the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors will set aside a sum sufficient from the Geary Street Railway funds to cover the award of contract.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Payot, and on

motion referred to Finance Committee:

Terms of Which City Will Take Over Lick Baths and City Attorney's Instruction in Regard to Same.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, The trustees of the James Lick Baths have offered to transfer its trust to the city, and the Board of Supervisors by resolution has signified its intention to accept the offer of the James Lick Baths situate at Tenth and Howard streets; and

Whereas, There are certain legal formalities which must be observed to comply with the Lick trust; therefore be it

Resolved, That the city and county will take over the James Lick Baths property under precisely the same title as the present trustees hold it, subject to the terms of the Lick trust.

Further Resolved, That the City and County Attorney be advised of this intention on the part of the Board of Supervisors that he may proceed with the preparation of the necessary legal papers looking to the transfer of the trust from the Lick trustees to the City and County of San Francisco.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Clerk Directed to Request United Railroads to Establish Waiting and Convenience Station for Patrons of its San Mateo Cars at Fifth and Market Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 221.

Whereas, The patrons of the San Mateo line are required at times to wait for a car at the corner of Fifth and Market streets, and as there are no depot or sanitary conveniences at that point, be it

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be directed to request the United Railroads to establish a waiting and convenience station at the terminus of its interurban railway at the corner of Fifth and Market streets for the comfort and convenience of its patrons.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Mayor to Ascertain From Board of Public Works Why Lumber Has Not Been Removed From Berry Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 222.

Resolved, That the President of this

Board be requested to ascertain from the Board of Public Works why said Board has not complied with the provisions of Journal Resolution No. 136, adopted March 25, 1912, wherein and whereby the Board of Public Works was requested to cause the removal of the lumber from the roadway of Berry street, between Second and Third streets, and to grant no extensions of time.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Board of Public Works to Cause Removal of Gum Trees on Hancock Street.

J. R. No. 223.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to remove two gum trees from the roadway of Hancock street, between Sanchez and Noe streets, as the curbs cannot be laid on said street without the removal of the trees.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Recommitted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on motion of Supervisor Giannini *recommitted to the Streets Committee*:

Board of Public Works to Enter Into Agreement With Ocean Shore Railroad Company for Construction of Spur Track Across Vermont and Kansas Streets Into Garbage Incinerator Plant.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Board of Public Works (in communication filed May 4, 1912) requested authority to enter into an agreement with the Ocean Shore Railroad Company for the construction of a spur track across Vermont and Kansas streets, connecting the main tracks of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company with the garbage incinerator which the City is now constructing on the lot situate at the south side of Army street, between Kansas and Rhode Island streets; therefore,

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is authorized and empowered to enter into an agreement with the Ocean Shore Railroad Company for the construction of a spur track across Vermont and Kansas streets, connecting the main tracks of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company with the City's garbage incinerator to be erected on the south side of Army street,

between Kansas and Rhode Island streets, the said spur track to be constructed under the following provisions:

1. The Ocean Shore Railroad Company shall construct said spur track without any cost to the City for the labor or material involved thereby;

2. The City shall relieve the Ocean Shore Railroad Company of all expense connected with the construction and maintenance of the pavements on such streets as said spur track may cross;

3. All materials of every character which may be used by the Ocean Shore Railroad Company in the construction of said spur track shall remain the property of the railroad company, and if use of said track shall at any time be discontinued, said materials may be removed by the said railroad company without notice to anyone.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2117, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Geary street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third avenues; crossing of Coleridge street and Virginia avenue; Dolores street, between Twenty-sixth and Army streets, except that portion thereof reserved for parking; crossing of Greenwich and Scott streets."

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2118, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Henry street, between Castro street and its westerly termination; crossing of Anza street and Twentieth avenue; Tenth avenue, between Balboa and Cabrillo streets."

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2119, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Alabama street, crossing of Precita avenue, and on Precita avenue, between Florida and Harrison streets."

Also, Bill No. 2120, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Precita avenue and on Army street, between York and Bryant streets."

Also, Bill No. 2121, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Parker avenue, between a line 450 feet northerly from Turk street and Geary street, and in St. Rose's street, between Boyce street and Johnston avenue."

Also, Bill No. 2122, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Clement street, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth avenues, and on Seventeenth avenue at the crossing of Clement street."

Also, Bill No. 2123, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Flood avenue, between Circular avenue and Detroit street, and on Congo street, between Hearst and Circular avenues."

Also, Bill No. 2124, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Hearst avenue, between a line parallel with and 300 feet easterly from the easterly line of Edna street and Foerster street; and on Edna street, between Sunnyside and Flood avenues."

Also, Bill No. 2125, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Detroit street, between Staples and Circular avenues; on Judson avenue, between Circular avenue and Detroit street; and on Circular avenue, between Staples avenue and Detroit street."

Also, Bill No. 2126, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Wayland street, between Bowdoin street and the westerly line of Dartmouth street, and on Dartmouth street, between a line 200 feet southerly from the southerly line of Wayland street and a line 175 feet northerly from the northerly line of said Wayland street."

Dedicating Parked Portions of Dolores Street.

Also, Bill No. 2127, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), entitled, "Dedicating the parked portions of Dolores street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets; Twenty-fifth to Twenty-sixth streets, and between Twenty-seventh and Thirtieth streets."

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and *adopted*:

Change of Grades, Polk Street.

Resolution No. 9441 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Polk street in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office May 13, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

Ordering Sewer Work, Ocean Avenue,
Between Lee and Phelan Avenues.

Also, Bill No. 2128, Ordinance No.
— (New Series), entitled, "Order-
ing the construction of sewers and ap-
purtenances in Ocean avenue from Lee
avenue to Phelan avenue, approving
and adopting plans and specifications
therefor, and authorizing the Board
of Public Works to enter into contract
for doing of said work at an estimated
cost of four thousand (\$4000) dollars,
out of the proceeds of sale of sewer
bonds, issue of 1904, for the doing of
said work, and authorizing progres-
sive payments therefor to be made in
the manner set forth in the specifica-
tions for said work.

Ordering Street and Sewer Work.

Also, Bill No. 2129, Ordinance No.
— (New Series), entitled, "Order-
ing the performance of certain street
work to be done in the City and Coun-
ty of San Francisco, approving and
adopting specifications therefor, and
authorizing the Board of Public Works
to enter into contract for doing the
same," the provisions of which order
the following work:

That the intersection of Sickles ave-
nue and Sears street be improved by
constructing granite curbs and arti-
ficial stone sidewalks on the angular
corners thereof, by paving the road-
way thereof with an asphalt pavement,
consisting of a 6-inch concrete founda-
tion and a 2-inch asphaltic wearing
surface; and by constructing a brick
cesspool (catchbasin) with castiron
frame, grating and trap and 10-inch
vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe cul-
vert on the easterly corner thereof.

That the crossing of Bosworth and
Cuvier streets be improved by con-
structing granite curbs and artificial
stone sidewalks on the angular corners
thereof, and by paving the roadway
thereof with an asphalt pavement,
consisting of a six (6) inch concrete
foundation and a two (2) inch asphal-
tic wearing surface, excepting on that
portion thereof required by law to be
kept in repair by the railroad com-
pany having tracks thereon.

That the following vitrified, salt-
glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and ap-
purtenances be constructed:

An eighteen (18) inch with opening
brick manhole with castiron frame and
cover and galvanized wrought-iron
steps along the center line of Twen-
tieth avenue, between the northerly
and center lines of Balboa street; an
eight (8) inch along the center line of

Twentieth avenue, between the center
and southerly line of Balboa street;
and an eight (8) inch along the center
line of Balboa street, between the east-
erly and westerly lines of Twentieth
avenue.

That Eighth avenue, between Mo-
raga and Noriega streets, be improved
by grading to official line and grade.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION
OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MO-
TIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR RE-
PORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

. Adopted.

The following resolutions were intro-
duced under suspension of the rules
and adopted:

Clerk to Advertise for Proposals for
Lighting Streets and Public Build-
ings.

J. R. No. 224.

Resolved. That the Clerk of this
Board be, and he is hereby, authorized
and directed to advertise for proposals
for lighting the streets and outlying
districts, and for lighting public build-
ing of the City and County for the
year commencing July 1, 1912, and
ending June 30, 1913, in accordance
with specifications prepared under the
direction of the Lighting and Rates
Committee of this Board.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

**Panama-Pacific International Exposition
Company to Set Aside One Million Dol-
lars for Construction of Auditorium and
Buildings and Exposition Committee to
Confer In Matter and Report Plan of
Procedure for Design and Construction
of Auditorium.**

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
Resolution No. 9442 (New Series),
as follows:

Whereas, the Panama-Pacific Inter-
national Exposition Company has of-
fered, by resolution of its Board of
Directors, to expend the sum of one
million dollars for the erection of an
auditorium, provided that the City and
County of San Francisco would set
aside a site therefor in the Civic Cen-
ter, said auditorium to be turned over
absolutely to the City and County of
San Francisco upon the closing of the
exposition; and

Whereas, the city is prepared to im-
mediately designate and set aside an
entire block of land for the purposes
of an auditorium; now, therefore, be it

Resolved as follows, That the Pana-
ma-Pacific International Exposition
Company be, and is hereby, requested
to provide and set aside one million
dollars in accordance with its offer,

for the purpose of erecting an auditorium on said site; that the Board of Supervisors hereby appoint the Public Buildings Committee and the Exposition Committee to jointly confer with the directors of the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company, said committees to report to the Board of Supervisors upon a plan of procedure for the design and construction of said Auditorium.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
Vogelsang—16.

(Clerk was thereupon instructed to
arrange for meeting with Exposition
Committee.)

Amending Traffic Ordinance.

Supervisor Hayden presented:

Bill No. 2130, Ordinance No. —

(New Series), entitled, "Amending
Section 21 of Ordinance No. 1857 (New
Series), entitled 'Regulating moving
travel and traffic upon the streets and
other public places,' etc., approved
March 26, 1912."

Ordered referred to the Streets Com-
mittee:

**Regulating Use of Gasoline Pumps on
Sidewalks.**

Supervisor Nolan presented:

Bill No. 2131, Ordinance No. —
(New Series), entitled, "Regulating
the use of gasoline pumps used by
garages on streets curbs and side-
walks."

Ordered referred to Fire Committee.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the
Board at the hour of 5:10 o'clock p. m.
adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors May 20, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisor
of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that
the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said
Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

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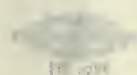
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1912, 8 P. M.

In Board of Supervisor, San Francisco, Wednesday, May 15, 1912, 8 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of taking testimony and of making such investigations as would enable it to fix and determine water rates for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913.

The Roll was called and a quorum being present, the investigation was proceeded with.

His Honor Mayor Rolph, being absent, Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher, Chairman of the Water Rates Committee, was called to the Chair.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy, the Board resolved itself into Committee of the Whole for the purpose of continuing the investigation preliminary to the fixing of water rates for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, with Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher in the Chair.

The Committee of the Whole arose at 9:45 o'clock p. m. and reported as follows:

Report of the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee of the Whole reports that it has continued the inquiry preliminary to fixing and determining rates to be collected for water supplied to the City and County of San Francisco and the inhabitants thereof for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, as required by law.

That the following matter heretofore filed with the Board of Supervisors has been admitted in evidence, duly considered and designated an exhibit, as follows:

Exhibit No. 4—Communication from the City Engineer submitting statement as to amount of water furnished consumers during year 1911. (Filed May 15, 1912.)

That it has heard the testimony of E. J. McCutchen, attorney representing Spring Valley Water Company, and L. P. Eastman, vice-president of the Spring Valley Water Company.

That it has also heard the complaint of Mrs. E. H. McDonnell, secretary of the Richmond Women's Club, against inadequacy of water service in the Richmond District; also the complaint of Daniel O'Connell, representing Richmond Heights Improvement Club, against the inadequacy of water supply for domestic purposes and fire protection in the Richmond Heights District; also the complaint of Mrs. Minnie Bode of 1035 Santa Barbara avenue, against J. W. Bloom, who has refused to supply her with water at above premises.

Furthermore, your Committee reports progress and begs leave to sit again on Wednesday evening, May 23, 1912, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of continuing the investigation.

Report Adopted.

Whereupon, the above report was on motion adopted.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board, at the hour of 9:45 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, May 20, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang--17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of May 13, 1912, was read and approved.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murphy under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Amending Journal of April 8, 1912.

J. R. No. 225.

Resolved, That the Journal of Proceedings of this Board of April 8, 1912, be corrected by adding the roll call on passage to print of Bill No. 2087, viz.:

"Passed for Printing by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
Absent—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Jennings—2."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Leave of Absence, Auditor Boyle.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Hon. James Rolph Jr., Mayor

City and County of San Francisco.

Dear Sir:—I hereby make application for a leave of absence for a period of thirty days beginning Saturday, June 1st, for the purpose of attending the Convention of the National Association of Auditors and Comptrollers to be held in Buffalo, N. Y.

I have consulted with Supervisor Murdock, Chairman of the Public Efficiency Committee, who has recommended that I attend this Convention.

Very truly yours,

THOS. F. BOYLE, Auditor.

May 20, 1912.

To the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen:—I hereby recommend the leave of absence be granted Auditor Thos. F. Boyle for a period not exceeding sixty days, with permission to leave the state.

Yours respectfully,

JAMES ROLPH JR., Mayor.

Whereupon, the following resolution was adopted:

J. R. No. 226.

Resolved, That Auditor Thomas F. Boyle be and he is hereby granted leave of absence from the State for a period not to exceed sixty days beginning June 1st, 1912, for the purpose of attending the convention of the National Association of Auditors and Comptrollers to be held in Buffalo, New York.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Publicity and Interurban Relations Committee—J. Emmett Hayden, Chairman.

Report of Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee.

The following report was presented by Supervisor Murdock and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, Cal., May 20th, 1912.
To the Board of Supervisors:

The Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service takes pleasure in reporting increasing co-operation by various departments and in calling attention to a number of economies effected. The sum of \$1000 is usually spent in conducting the annual rate-fixing, \$500 of which has been heretofore paid for a useless duplicate list of water-rate payers required to be filed with the auditor. This year the Spring Valley Water Company offered to supply this at the cost of the material and this expense to the city was \$25. The customary cost of the stenographic report of the proceedings will be reduced by more than a half.

The movement to substitute in the Fire Department motor-driven apparatus for horse-driven will greatly promote economy, while increasing efficiency. The cost of maintenance of the recently installed chemical engines is reported by the Chief to be in comparison with horse-driven as one to four.

The Auditor has secured allowance from the State of \$24,017 for the maintenance of minors for the period of six months as against \$45,000 for the previous two years.

It is felt that the employment of one person of character, judgment, and

firmness is absolutely demanded to prevent abuses in the rapidly increasing expenditures for the support of dependent children in institutions and in families, and also in securing from the State its just proportion of the money disbursed, and it is recommended that he be placed under the control of the Probation Officer.

This expenditure, while in principle just and called for, is in need of thorough supervision and wise discrimination. In five years the appropriation has increased from \$70,000 per annum to \$220,000 and unless guarded it constitutes a danger and a wrong to both the recipient and the municipality.

Very sincerely,

CHAS. A. MURDOCK,
HENRY PAYOT,
ANDREW J. GALLAGHER,
D. C. MURPHY.

Report of Public Utilities Committee.

The following report was presented by Supervisor Vogelsang and read by the Clerk:

May 20th, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Public Utilities begs leave to report as follows:

On Friday May 17th, your Committee held a meeting in the office of the Mayor, at which were also present his Honor, the Board of Public Works, the Engineer Department, Mr. Holberton, the engineer of the Pacific Gas & Electric Co., and Mr. J. W. Riess of the Holman Company.

The purpose of the meeting was to consider the proposals received for construction of cars and also for furnishing power for the municipal railway.

W. L. Holman Co. of San Francisco were the lowest bidders for cars. Mr. J. W. Riess announced his willingness to undertake the contract according to the specifications and it was unanimously decided to recommend the award of said contract to the W. L. Holman Company.

For power for operation of municipal street railways the following bids were received by the Board of Public Works:

	Alter- nating	Direct
	Cur- rent.	Cur- rent.
Sierra & S. F. Power Co.	.009	.014
Great Western Power Company .....	.011	.024

Pacific Gas & Electric

Co.0085 .01

Note—These prices are per kilowatt hour.

After full consideration and consultation it was shown that the price tendered by the Pacific Gas & Electric Company was much lower than any price that has ever heretofore been quoted to private or public consumers. It was also shown to be much lower than the City could hope to produce or transform it.

Whereupon, it was unanimously decided to recommend the acceptance of said bid for a period of one year with the option of renewal each year for four additional years with suitable and binding penalty clauses and a good and sufficient bond to guarantee performance of the contract.

Your Committee feels that the City should be congratulated upon the outcome of both these matters. The one is a large contract awarded to a home concern in fair competition; the other enables the City to undertake the operation of her railway, so far as power is concerned, under the most favorable circumstances. This power contract will enable the City to more leisurely examine the question of power needs, thus avoiding the error of premature investment in or installation of expensive and perishable machinery.

In the opinion of your Committee, the money saved to the funds by this means can be more advantageously used in track extension or car construction.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG,
Chairman.

PAUL BANCROFT,
GEO. E. GALLAGHER,
BYRON MAUZY,
D. C. MURPHY.

Motion.

Supervisor Vogelsang moved that that report be adopted and filed.

Amendment.

Supervisor Giannini moved as an amendment that the report be *filed*. Amendment carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Vogelsang—2.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE ON BUDGET, 1912-13.

The following report and budget was presented and read by Clerk:

San Francisco, May 20, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Finance Committee today presents the budget estimate for the fiscal year 1912-13, in which the absolutely necessary funds required for the year aggregate \$12,887,626.

On an estimated assessment roll of \$500,000,000 the tax rate on this sum will be \$2.05 per \$100.00.

To this rate must be added a 5 cent State tax levy for the purposes of the Panama Pacific International Exposition of 1915.

The total tax rate, therefore, if this budget estimate is adopted, will be \$2.10 per \$100.00.

For many weeks the Finance Committee endeavored to find places where reductions could be made so that San Francisco would continue to enjoy the lowest tax rate of any city of its importance in the United States. Conditions which exist, and which cannot be changed, compel your Finance Committee to report its inability to reduce the tax rate, and also to inform this Board that it is absolutely impossible to conduct this city within the dollar limit proscription.

Analysis of the budget estimate herewith presented, and the accompanying reports demonstrate that a supplemental bond issue must be made to complete certain great projects now under way, and in view of this necessity for additional bond funds, these projects, namely, completion of the Auxiliary Fire Protection System, Hall of Justice, County Jail, City and County Hospital, are not included in the proposed tax levy.

Numerous urgent and logical appeals were made to your Committee to make large appropriations for parks and playgrounds. In view of the magnitude of these sums asked, and recalling the result of the bond election two years ago when the people expressed their opinion on these subjects, your Committee most urgently recommends that these projects be collated and submitted to the people at a bond election, and let the people themselves determine to what extent they wish to go in extending playgrounds and parks at this time.

In submitting this budget estimate, your Committee wishes to report that it held daily and nightly sessions at which all the City and County officers were asked for advice, and in addition 160 improvement clubs, benevolent organizations and many citizens interested in the City were heard in great detail as to requirements now confronting the City.

Chairman Jennings has devoted day and night to compilation of data submitted to the Board, and has been in daily conference with the other members of the Committee and members of the Board.

At the outset in analyzing this budget it would be apparent to everyone that there has been a marked increase in the overhead expenses which must be made before appropriations can be made for public improvements. These expenses are shown in detail in an accompanying table.

Assuming that the people are willing to pay a liberal tax rate on their property provided that the public moneys are economically and efficiently expended, your Committee after compiling all the statistics available, and learning that the overhead charge, including continuance of public work on an effective scale, would approximate \$2.00, decided to add 5 cents for urgent needs in various districts. The budget shows that this 5 cent appropriation, which aggregates \$250,000, is divided between the improvement of San Bruno road and other highways, the pavement of Howard street, improvement of Mission and Buena Vista parks, and the putting in order of important down town streets.

These appropriations will go a long way towards doing the work requested by the different district improvement clubs, and in any event will be as much money as can be economically expended on these projects within the fiscal year.

Your Committee is unanimous in the opinion that the budget estimates

here presented will be sufficient for the needs of the City, and are adequate to carry on the work of rehabilitating the streets and other improvements, provided of course that these moneys are economically expended and that a higher efficiency is obtained in the departments which have the spending of the funds.

Increases which your Finance Committee allowed in this estimate are as follows:

In the Supervisors' Office:

For an efficiency bureau, the enlargement of the work of the Supplies Committee, for investigation of various problems by the Finance Committee, and other salaries heretofore charged to other accounts	\$18,680
For the investigation of public utilities, street railway problems and payment of Blon J. Arnold under contract provisions.....	25,000
For water for municipal purposes.....	3,000
For increased expenses in Detention Home and Probation office.....	50,000
For maintenance of criminal insane.....	700
Examination of insane persons.....	2,000
For increased gas lighting streets and public buildings.....	35,000
For improvements of highways and parks.....	250,000
For street sweeping and sprinkling.....	25,000

Other increases are:

Mayor's office	5,640
Auditor's office	5,400
Tax Collector's office	250
Treasurer's office	2,400
Superior Courts	12,500
County Clerk and jury.....	5,500
Justices' Court	300
Police Department	24,050
Civil Service Commission.....	6,300
Fire Department	21,901
Department of Elections.....	115,000
Playground Commission	5,000
Board of Public Works.....	71,796
School Department	35,000
Library Fund	2,000
Park Fund	10,000
Bond and Redemption Fund.....	428,615
Total	\$1,161,032

The decreases are as follows:

Printing, advertising, etc.....	\$10,250
Rents	15,000
Purchase of right of way.....	3,000
Special appropriation for Fire Department, school and police buildings and sanitation.....	175,000
City Attorney's office.....	1,100
Health Department	4,232
Department of Electricity.....	1,074
Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund.....	2,500
Total	\$212,156

Which shows the net increase to be..... \$948,876

It is thus shown that nearly a million dollar increase occurs in the added bond interest and redemption charge, the improvement of highways, the numerous increases in the maintenance of minors and the Juvenile Court, cost of lighting the City and the Board of Public Works.

In the past six years there have been so many accretions and additional expenses put upon the City which were not contemplated when the dollar

limit provision was placed in the Charter that the preparation of a budget is a most difficult task.

Without the dollar limit provision it is of course desirable to keep the taxes at the lowest rate possible.

Recent legislative enactments, bond issue projects, which require maintenance after construction, special elections, increases in pension funds, additional playground expenses, the tremendous increase in the Juvenile Court, and in fact every phase of City maintenance has increased the tax burden to its present point.

And when this condition is observed, together with the fact that the receipts from outside sources have diminished \$150,000, and the added overhead for bond interest and redemption and other expenses, it will be seen that the increase in the assessment roll does not proportionately absorb the increases in expense. Thus it is necessary to exceed the dollar limit.

Earnest efforts were made to segregate the budget and put outside of the dollar limit such items as might be omitted in the event that the Board did not wish to suspend that provision of the Charter. It was found utterly impossible to make this segregation, and the Board is confronted with the situation that the dollar limit must be exceeded. To remain within the narrow limitations of that law would absolutely suspend rehabilitation work which must go forward.

For the information of your Honorable Board, attention is called to a few of the increases which have occurred recently.

The care of minors has run up from \$6,000, six years ago, to \$180,000 at the present time.

The maintenance of the insane has increased \$3,000 a year.

The Juvenile Court is increased \$37,000.

The operation and maintenance of the Health Department is now \$300,000 more than it was in 1908.

There must be provided also approximately \$50,000 or more a year for the operation of the Auxilliary Fire Protection System.

When the Charter was framed playgrounds were not contemplated, and in this laudable department there is an expense of \$80,000 a year, which will necessarily increase with the equipment and maintenance of grounds already purchased and to be purchased.

It costs half a million dollars a year more to maintain and operate the Police and Fire Departments.

More than half a million dollars additional is spent upon the upkeep of streets.

Take the Firemen's Pension Fund. It has increased from \$16,000 a few years ago to \$70,000, the present expense.

Bond interest and redemption this year is nearly two million dollars.

So from these fragmentary items selected at random from the budget estimate it will be ascertained that economies must be practiced in every direction to keep the City on a working basis within a reasonable tax rate.

Much urgent stress is laid upon the necessity for a big increase in the number of patrolmen required in the City. While the Finance Committee realizes and asks the Board to appreciate that more policemen are to be needed in the near future, it feels that the financial conditions this year and the sociological conditions of the City do not require at this time the increased number of men.

The members of the Police Commission and executive officers of the Police Department all appeared before your Committee and unanimously agreed that the equipment of the Police Department with as many motorcycles as possible would multiply efficiency four or five fold.

President Cook, Chief White, Captain Mooney and the other police captains represented to your Committee that one motorcycle would increase the efficiency of an individual officer at least four times, and that included the mounted officers.

It was therefore decided by your Committee to recommend the immediate purchase of 50 motorcycles for the Police Department. Efficiency by this means has been demonstrated in other cities according to the police officials,

and recent investigations in this City show conclusively that the outside districts, the boulevards, the parks and in fact nearly every part of the City, except the congested center, can be thoroughly patrolled by motor officers. Feeling that this would insure a great percentage of progress in the department the Committee urges the adoption of this recommendation, and it is kept in mind that in the next two or three years to come additional men should be and will be provided.

Numerous petitions have been filed with the Board of Supervisors requesting the creation of municipal bands. Members of the Board also urge that music be provided in different sections of the City so that each park will have its attractive Sunday afternoon concerts. Because of the extraordinary expenses in all departments, your Committee did not recommend the creation of municipal bands in this year's budget, and the subject matter is respectfully referred to the Board for consideration and action by the Supervisors themselves. It must not be understood from this action that the Committee is opposed to the municipal band. The Committee agrees that it is a desirable and commendable municipal activity, and regret can only be expressed that financial conditions do not permit of a recommendation at this time.

Urgent requests have been made for a specific appropriation to change the grade of Hayes street and open one of the main arteries to one of the important sections of the City. Your Committee has given this matter full and detailed consideration, and begs to report that when a plan and estimate of the projected work is agreed upon, that with the assistance and advice of the Street Committee, the work can be done without a specific appropriation. In other words, that there will be sufficient money in the Treasury to carry this project through without delay.

Another item which is not specifically mentioned in the budget, but for which the Finance Committee will urge an immediate appropriation after July 1st, is \$15,000 for the erection of a chapel at the Relief Home. Provision was made for this chapel in the last budget, but because of the numerous deficits and the necessity for conserving every dollar in the Treasury, work on this chapel was delayed. It is now proposed, and the Finance Committee asks the Board to approve the immediate construction of the chapel at the Relief Home as soon after July 1st as possible.

Since January 8th your Finance Committee has been requested frequently to make provisions of \$2500 per year for the San Francisco Relief Agency for homeless men. When the budget hearings were on that request was augmented and \$10,000 was asked for the maintenance of this eleemosynary institution. The Finance Committee while commending the charitable and benevolent character of the institution, does not feel justified in recommending an appropriation. The Committee is advised that there is a legal question involved, and also the Committee wishes to inform the Board that numerous protests by the great labor organizations of this City have been made against allowing appropriations to this and similar institutions.

Without arguing the merits of these conditions, your Committee feels, because of the urgent need of money in absolutely necessary things, this appropriation should not be included in the budget.

The Finance Committee regrets also that it was unable to find sufficient financial leeway to provide for the maintenance of the Lick Baths which have been offered to the City. While the free bathing institution would be approved by everyone, it is felt that this is one matter than can wait until financial conditions are easier, or until the matter can be submitted to the people at a bond election, together with the aquatic park at Harbor View, and other similar projects. It is felt that these particular matters, involving as they do perpetual increases for maintenance, should be submitted to and approved by the people before the burden is placed upon the present and future taxpayers of this community.

In conclusion the Board is asked to give earnest thought to the work performed by the Finance Committee and the days and nights they have spent in preparing this report.

You are reminded that the total estimates from the city departments

and from the improvement clubs, citizens and from all directions aggregate between twenty-six and twenty-seven million dollars.

The Committee is not boasting when it informs this Board that every subject brought before the Board has been given thorough investigation and careful consideration, and in reporting the budget of approximately \$13,000,000 we feel that extreme liberality has been shown in handling the City's funds and that no section of the City has been slighted, and further that real progress will be made within the year with the money which is provided by this estimate.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS JENNINGS.

D. C. MURPHY,

WM. H. MCCARTHY,

Finance Committee.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT, BUDGET ITEMS.

	Asked, 1912-13.	Allowed, 1911-12.	Recommended, 1912-13	Increase.	Decrease.
Supervisors and Employees, Finance Committee.....	\$ 110,320	\$ 86,640	\$105,320	\$18,680	
Printing, stationery, books and advertising	100,200	110,450	100,200	—	\$10,250
Interment, U. S. soldiers and sailors	2,500	2,500	2,500		
Maintenance, pound	12,000	9,000	9,000		
Public utilities, including payments under contract to Blon J. Arnold	27,500	2,500	27,500	25,000	
Fourth of July and Memorial Day.	3,000	3,000	3,000		
Grand Jury, expense	3,000	3,000	3,000		
Urgent necessities	100,000	100,000	100,000		
Premiums on official bonds.....	4,500	4,500	4,500		
Rents	85,000	100,000	85,000	—	15,000
Water for municipal purposes.....	292,000	152,000	155,000	3,000	
Maintenance of Minors, Juvenile Detention Home and probation officers	276,610	222,800	272,800	50,000	
Maintenance, criminal insane.....	2,500	1,800	2,500	700	
Examination of insane	8,000	6,000	8,000	2,000	
Lighting streets and public buildings	435,000	400,000	435,000	35,000	?
Purchase of rights of way.....	3,000	6,000	3,000	—	3,000
Furniture for public buildings.....	7,500	7,500	7,500		
Special fund for streets, highways and parks	250,000	.....	250,000	250,000	
Street sweeping and sprinkling....	362,600	305,000	330,000	25,000	
Special appropriation for Fire Department, Schools, Police Department and sanitations	1,260,000	1,435,000	1,260,000	—	175,000
Mayor's office	22,740	17,100	22,740	5,640	
Auditor	41,300	35,300	40,700	5,400	
Assessor	101,200	101,200	101,200		
Coroner	25,180	25,180	25,180		
Recorder	82,600	76,600	76,600		
Tax Collector	69,890	69,640	69,890	250	
Treasurer	24,100	21,700	24,100	2,400	
Superior courts	83,600	76,100	88,600	12,500	
City Attorney	40,700	40,800	39,700	—	1,100
District Attorney	68,000	58,000	58,000		
County Clerk and juries	128,800	128,800	134,300	5,500	
Justices	28,800	28,500	28,800	300	
Law Library	3,600	3,600	3,600		
Sheriff	159,700	149,400	149,400		
Police Department	1,802,072	1,480,970	1,505,020	24,050	
Police Courts	24,000	24,000	24,000		
Civil Service Commission	16,000	9,700	16,000	6,300	
Health Department	703,500	622,320	618,088	—	4,232
Fire Department	2,622,639	1,561,000	1,582,901	21,901	
Department of Electricity	456,145	105,000	103,926	—	1,074
Department of Elections	324,081	200,000	315,000	115,000	
Playground Commission	110,000	54,000	80,000	—	5,000
Playground Commission, Lands.....	.....	21,000	.....	.....	.....

Relief, exempt firemen	5,000	5,000	5,000		
Board of Public Works.....	5,662,044	264,200	335,996	71,796	
Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund	82,890	72,500	70,000	—	2,500
Common School Fund	2,471,055	1,777,500	1,812,500	35,000	
Library Fund	127,750	78,000	80,000	2,000	
Park Fund	685,320	340,000	350,000	10,000.	
Bond, Interest and Redemption Fund	1,962,565	1,533,950	1,962,565	428,615	
	\$21,280,501	\$11,938,750	\$12,887,626	\$1,161,032	\$212,156

TAX LEVY ESTIMATED ON ASSESSMENT ROLL OF \$500,000,000.

	Expenditures.	Receipts, Other Sources.	Rate on 500 Million.
General Fund	\$8,612,561	\$1,828,000	\$6,784,561 1.356
Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund.....	70,000	.....	70,000 .014
Common School Fund	1,812,500	689,000	1,123,500 .224
Library Fund	80,000	.....	80,000 .016
Park Fund	350,000	.....	350,000 .070
Interest and Redemption:			
City and County proportion.....	752,871	.....	752,871 .15
State, City and County proportion on 550 million	1,209,694	.....	1,209,694 .22
	\$12,887,626	\$2,517,000	\$10,370,626 2.05

STATEMENT SHOWING DEPARTMENT INCREASES.

	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.
Fire Department.					
	\$1,205,000	\$1,262,440	\$1,293,210	\$1,561,000 Supplies, \$80,000.	\$1,582,901
Police Department.					
	1,335,748	1,389,188	1,413,000	1,480,970	1,505,020
School Department.					
	1,600,800	1,584,300	1,640,910	1,777,500	1,812,500
Board of Public Works.					
	696,500	570,380	550,500	569,200	666,996 Including Sweeping.

STATEMENT OF INCREASES FOR CARE OF MINORS, ETC.

	Magdalen Asylum.	State Schools.	Feeble-Minded Children.	Juvenile Detention Home and Rent.	Probation Officers and Court Expenses.	Non-Sectarian Institutions.	Totals.
1901-02	\$6,998.00	\$ 6,517.18	\$21,200.00	.....	.....	\$ 7,525.00	\$ 42,240.18
1902-03	7,121.50	6,886.49	20,715.00	.....	.....	7,000.00	41,692.99
1903-04	6,569.50	6,543.96	20,490.00	.....	.....	6,884.72	40,488.18
1904-05	6,897.00	9,993.21	20,910.00	\$ 4,659.76	.....	11,897.92	54,357.89
1905-06	9,322.00	10,254.11	20,885.00	3,964.56	.....	26,343.27	70,768.94
1906-07	8,396.00	9,745.98	21,420.00	3,357.28	.....	40,773.77	83,693.03
1907-08	10,152.00	11,581.11	22,210.00	4,972.36	.....	59,330.47	108,245.94
1908-09	9,220.50	13,162.92	23,075.00	5,163.07	\$ 4,575.00	95,429.91	150,631.40
1909-10	8,150.50	10,850.62	24,850.00	8,800.70	18,300.00	127,989.57	198,941.39
1910-11	5,750.00	9,026.53	27,567.50	9,387.44	18,100.00	151,010.82	230,842.29
1911-12	5,000.00	9,600.00	28,350.00	17,300.00	24,500.00	181,000.00	265,750.00
	<u>\$83,577.00</u>	<u>\$104,132.11</u>	<u>\$251,672.50</u>	<u>\$57,610.17</u>	<u>\$65,475.00</u>	<u>\$715,185.45</u>	<u>\$1,277,652.23</u>

1911-12 is estimated on ten-month basis.

BILL NO. —, ORDINANCE NO. — (NEW SERIES):

An Ordinance fixing and appropriating the aggregate sum and the items thereof allowed to each Department, Office, Board and Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, and making a Budget of the same.

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The aggregate sums and the items thereof hereinafter set forth are hereby fixed, designated and appropriated for the respective purposes set opposite the same, to be expended during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, in accordance with the provisions of Article III, Chapter I of the Charter of the City and County, to wit:

GENERAL FUND.

SUPERVISORS.

Budget

Item No.

1	18 Supervisors at \$2,400.....	\$ 43,200
2	1 Clerk	3,600
3	Expert to Board	3,600
4	Chief Assistant Clerk	2,700
5	Bond and Ordinance Clerk	3,000
6	Assistant Clerk and Superintendent of Supplies.....	3,000
7	3 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,100 each.....	6,300
8	Stationery Clerk	1,920
9	2 Assistant Clerks, at \$1,800 each.....	3,600
10	Stenographer to Finance Committee.....	1,800
11	3 Assistant Clerks, at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
12	2 Stenographers, at \$1,200 each.....	2,400
13	Filing Clerk and Telephone Operator.....	1,200
14	1 Telephone Operator.....	960
15	Sergeant at Arms.....	1,440
16	1 Chauffeur	1,500
17	Finance Committee expenses.....	10,000
18	Printing Public Documents.....	10,000
19	Clerks, Board of Equalization.....	600
20	Advertising	30,000
21	Interment U. S. Soldiers and Sailors.....	2,500
22	Printing Law and Motion Calendar.....	4,100
23	Maintenance Public Pound.....	9,000
24	Municipal Reports for 1911-12.....	4,000
25	License Tags	2,000
26	Bureau of Efficiency and Supplies Committee (to be expended by Supervisors and Civil Service Commission).....	10,000
27	Stationery, Books, Printing, Stamps.....	42,000
28	Stationery for Assessor	5,500
29	Purchase of Directories	600
30	Purchase and repair of book-typewriters.....	500
31	Rebinding books	500
32	Supplies, Stationery Department	1,000
33	Furniture, Public Buildings	7,500
34	Investigation of Public Utilities, Transportation Problems and Extensions of Municipal Street Railways.....	27,500
35	Celebration Fourth of July.....	2,500
36	Observance of Memorial Day.....	500
37	Grand Jury expenses	3,000
38	Premiums on Official Bonds.....	4,500
39	Urgent Necessities	100,000
40	Rents, Repairs and Equipment of Buildings.....	85,000
41	Water for Municipal purposes, Hydrants.....	132,000
42	Water for Public Buildings.....	23,000

43	Maintenance of Minors in non-sectarian Institutions.....	190,000
44	Maintenance of Minors in Magdalen Asylum.....	7,500
45	Maintenance of Minors in State Schools.....	10,000
46	Maintenance of Feeble Minded Children.....	28,000
47	Maintenance of Criminal Insane.....	2,500
48	Juvenile Detention Home	14,000
49	Juvenile Court Incidentals, Demands to be drawn through Board of Supervisors	5,000
50	Probation Officers Salaries.....	18,300
51	Lighting Streets and Public Buildings	435,000
52	Purchase of rights of way.....	3,000
53	Examination of insane persons	8,000
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		\$1,323,820

SPECIAL FUND.

For Improvement of Highways, Parks and Streets. To be Expended Under the Direction of the Board of Supervisors.

54	For improvement of Lincoln Way.....	\$40,000
55	For paving of Howard street.....	60,000
56	For improvement of Sansome street.....	25,000
57	For improvement of California street.....	10,000
58	For improvement of Kearny street.....	10,000
59	For improvement of Buena Vista Park.....	15,000
60	For Convenience Station and other improvements in Mission Park	15,000
61	For improvement of San Bruno Road and other highways and opening streets	75,000
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		\$250,000

MAYOR.

62	Mayor's salary	\$6,000
63	Secretary	2,400
64	Assistant Secretary	2,100
65	Stenographer	1,500
66	Stenographer	1,200
67	Stenographer	900
68	Telephone Operator	900
69	Usher	900
70	Chauffeur	1,500
71	Mayor's Contingent expenses, Charter.....	3,600
72	Mayor's Incidentals	1,740
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		\$22,740

AUDITOR.

73	Auditor	\$4,000
74	Deputy Auditor	2,400
75	2 Assistant Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
76	Clerk	1,200
77	Attorney's Fees	1,800
78	1 Deputy and Statistician	2,100
79	1 Deputy and Book-keeper.....	2,100
80	1 Chief Clerk	2,100
81	1 Redemption Clerk	1,800
82	4 Clerks at \$1,800 each.....	7,200
83	1 Stenographer and Bond Clerk.....	1,500

84	1 Clerk	1,200
85	1 Telephone Operator	900
86	1 Expert, Minors' refund from State.....	1,500
87	Solely for computing and extending the Assessment Roll and De- linquent Tax List	7,500
88	Incidentals	400

\$40,700

ASSESSOR.

89	Assessor	\$8,000
90	Chief Deputy	2,400
91	Cashier	1,800
92	6 Assistant Deputies at \$1,800 each.....	10,800
93	21 Clerks at \$1,200 each.....	25,200
94	Extra Clerks	46,000
95	Poll Tax Collectors.....	5,000
96	Field Deputies expenses	2,000

\$101,200

CORONER.

97	Coroner	\$4,000
98	Autopsy Physician	2,400
99	Chief Deputy.....	2,400
100	3 Assistant Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
101	Stenographer	1,800
102	Messenger	900
103	Toxicologist, Ordinance No. 1863.....	1,200
104	Assistant Stenographer and Typewriter, Ordinance No. 1863.....	1,500
105	Assistant Deputy and Driver, Ordinance No. 1863.....	1,080
106	Night Clerk-Matron, Ordinance No. 1863.....	900
107	Clerk Matron	900
108	Morgue tender	900
109	Coroner's expenses	2,700

\$25,180

RECORDER.

110	Recorder	\$4,000
111	Chief Deputy	2,400
112	5 Assistant Deputies, at \$1,800 each.....	9,000
113	9 Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	13,500
114	1 Machinist	1,500
115	1 Messenger	1,200
116	Copyists	45,000

\$76,600

TAX COLLECTOR.

117	Tax Collector	\$4,000
118	Chief Deputy	2,400
119	Cashier	2,400
120	15 Deputies at \$1,500 each	22,500
121	2 Assistant Cashiers at \$1,800 each.....	3,600
122	Expert Searcher	1,800
123	Accountant	2,400
124	6 Temporary Cashiers (2 months) at \$150 each.....	1,800
125	1 Block book man	1,500
126	Acting Deputies as per Ordinance 821.....	18,000
127	Stenographer	1,380
128	Extra Clerks	5,520
129	Printing Delinquent Tax List	1,800
130	Horse and buggy hire.....	540

131	Incidentals	250
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		\$69,890

TREASURER.

132	Treasurer	\$4,000
133	Chief Deputy	2,400
134	2 Deputies at \$1,800 each	3,600
135	1 Clerk	1,200
136	1 Coupon Clerk (Ordinance)	1,800
137	1 Book-keeper	2,100
138	1 Assistant Book-keeper	1,800
139	1 Cashier	3,600
140	1 Clerk	1,800
141	1 Clerk	1,800
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		\$24,100

SUPERIOR COURTS.

142	12 Judges at \$3,000 each	\$36,000
143	1 Secretary	3,000
144	Superior Court Stenographers	20,000
145	Superior Court Orders	20,000
146	Superior Court Interpreters	9,600
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		\$88,600

CITY ATTORNEY.

147	City Attorney	\$5,000
148	1 Assistant	3,600
149	1 Assistant	3,000
150	1 Assistant	2,400
151	1 Assistant	1,800
152	1 Chief Clerk	1,800
153	1 Assistant Clerk	900
154	1 Stenographer-typewriter	900
155	1 Messenger	900
156	1 Assistant, Ord.	3,600
157	3 Assistants at \$3,000 each, Ord.	9,000
158	1 Stenographer-Typewriter, Ord.	900
159	1 Stenographer, Ord.	900
160	For general litigation, Ord.	5,000
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		\$39,700

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

161	District Attorney	\$5,000
162	3 Assistants at \$3,600 each	10,800
163	4 Assistants at \$2,400 each	9,600
164	1 Chief Clerk	1,800
165	1 Assistant Clerk	1,200
166	1 Stenographer-typewriter	900
167	1 Warrant and Bond Clerk	2,400
168	3 Assistant Warrant and Bond Clerks at \$1,500 each	4,500
169	1 Bookkeeper, Ord.	1,200
170	1 Warrant and Bond Clerk, Ord.	2,100
171	2 Assistants at \$3,000 each, Ord.	6,000
172	Messenger, Ord.	1,500
173	1 Assistant, Ord.	3,600
174	1 Assistant, Ord.	2,400
175	For extraordinary expenses of the District Attorney's Office, subject to the orders of courts through the Board of Super-	

visors	5,000
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	\$58,000

COUNTY CLERK.

176	County Clerk	\$4,000
177	1 Chief Register Clerk.....	2,400
178	1 Cashier	1,800
179	12 Court room Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	18,000
180	5 Register Clerks at \$1,800 each.....	9,000
181	10 Assistant Register Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	15,000
182	16 Copyists at \$1,200 each.....	19,200
183	4 Clerks, Police Courts, at \$1,500 each	6,000
184	1 Messenger, Ord.	1,200
185	6 Deputies at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	7,200
186	15 Copyists at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	18,000
187	4 Court room Clerks at \$1,500 each, Ord.....	6,000
188	Jury and witness fees in criminal cases.....	25,000
189	Jury expenses in criminal cases.....	1,500
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		\$134,300

JUSTICES' COURT.

190	5 Justices at \$3,600 each.....	\$18,000
191	1 Clerk	3,000
192	1 Cashier	1,800
193	1 Chief Deputy	1,800
194	2 Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
195	1 Messenger	1,200
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		\$28,800

LAW LIBRARY.

196	Librarian	\$2,400
197	Messenger	1,200
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		\$3,600

SHERIFF.

198	Sheriff	\$8,000
199	Undersheriff	2,400
200	Attorney	1,800
201	Chief Bookkeeper	1,800
202	2 Assistant Bookkeepers at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
203	10 Office Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	15,000
204	14 Bailiffs at \$1,200 each.....	16,800
205	1 Chief Jailer	1,800
206	10 Jailers at \$1,200 each.....	12,000
207	1 Superintendent of Jails.....	1,800
208	16 Guards, Jail No. 2, at \$600 each.....	9,600
209	6 Guards, Jail No. 3, at \$600 each.....	3,600
210	1 Matron	900
211	1 Commissary	1,500
212	1 Driver of van.....	900
213	1 Bookkeeper, all Jails.....	1,500
214	1 Stenographer, Ord.	900
215	1 Driver, Ord.	900
216	2 Cooks at \$900 each, Ord.....	1,800
217	6 Road guards at \$900 each, Ord.....	5,400
218	1 Druggist, Ord	1,200
219	3 Office Deputies at \$1,500 each, Ord.....	4,500
220	4 Bailiffs at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	4,800

221	Subsistence of prisoners	45,000
222	Sheriff's expenses, horse-keeping, etc.....	2,500
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		\$149,400

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

223	4 Commissioners at \$1,200 each	\$ 4,800
224	1 Secretary	1,500
225	1 Stenographer	1,800
226	1 Surgeon	1,500
227	1 Chief	4,000
228	1 Clerk	2,400
229	1 Property Clerk	2,400
230	1 Captain of Detectives	3,000
231	9 Captains at \$2,400 each	21,600
232	18 Lieutenants at \$1,920 each	34,560
233	25 Detective Sergeants at \$1,800 each.....	45,000
234	53 Sergeants at \$1,680 each	89,040
235	57 Corporals at \$1,560 each	88,920
236	725 Patrolmen at \$1,464 each	1,061,400
237	26 Patrol Drivers at \$1,200 each.....	31,200
238	4 Telephone Operators at \$900 each.....	3,600
239	4 Matrons at \$1,020 each	4,080
240	9 Hostlers at \$1,080 each	9,720
241	1 Cook	1,200
242	3 Engineers, Launch, at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
243	Contingent expenses	8,000
244	Maintenance of Police Patrol and Mounted Police.....	42,000
245	Photographic supplies, laundry work and fuel.....	2,500
246	Maintenance of automobiles	3,500
247	Maintenance of police launch	1,500
248	Subsistence of prisoners	7,300
249	Equipment of Dept. with motorcycles, purchase and maintenance	15,000
250	Purchase of 2 auto patrol wagons	9,000
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		\$1,505,020

POLICE COURTS.

251	4 Judges at \$3,600 each.....	\$ 14,400
252	4 Stenographers at \$2,400 each	9,600
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		\$ 24,000

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

253	3 Commissioners at \$1,200 each	\$ 3,600
254	1 Examiner and Secretary	2,400
255	1 Assistant Secretary, Ord.....	1,500
256	2 Clerk Stenographers at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	2,400
257	1 Stenographer-typewriter, Ord	900
258	1 Counter Clerk, Ord.....	1,200
259	Extra Clerks and Special Examiners, Ord.....	4,000
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		\$ 16,000

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

260	1 Health Officer	\$ 3,000
261	1 Chief Clerk	2,100
262	1 Bookkeeper-Auditor	1,800
263	1 Clerk	1,800
264	1 Clerk	1,200
265	1 Clerk	1,080
266	1 Stenographer	1,200

267	2 Stenographers at \$1,080 each	2,160
268	1 Telephone Operator	960
269	1 Messenger	480
270	1 City Physician	2,400
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		\$ 18,180

Inspectors.—

271	1 Chief Sanitary Inspector	\$ 2,700
272	4 Sanitary Inspectors at \$1,500 each.....	6,000
273	2 Industrial Inspectors at \$1,200 each	2,400
274	6 Plumbing Inspectors at \$1,800 each.....	10,800
275	15 Market Inspectors at \$1,200 each	18,000
276	1 Dairy Veterinary Inspector	1,800
277	3 Dairy Inspectors at \$1,200 each.....	3,600
278	3 Food Inspectors at \$1,200 each	3,600
279	2 Disinfectors at \$1,380 each	2,760
280	1 Medical School Inspector	1,800
281	1 Medical School Inspector	1,500
282	14 Health Inspectors of Schools at \$900 each.....	12,600
283	1 Inspector of Indigents	1,200
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		\$ 68,760

Laboratory.—

284	1 Director of Laboratories	\$3,000
285	1 Assistant Director of Laboratories.....	1,500
286	1 Helper	600
287	1 Chemist	1,500
288	1 Assistant Chemist	1,320
289	1 Helper	1,080
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		\$9,000

Main Hospital.—

290	1 Resident Physician.....	\$1,500
291	9 Internes at \$480 each.....	4,320
292	1 Commissary Clerk.....	1,800
293	1 Secretary Clerk	1,800
294	1 Ambulance Driver	1,080
295	1 Watchman	720
296	1 Superintendent of Nurses	1,200
297	1 Operating Room Nurse	1,080
298	5 Graduate Nurses at \$720 each.....	3,600
299	50 Pupil Nurses at \$144 each	7,200
300	12 Pupil Orderlies at \$360 each	4,320
301	1 Druggist	1,500
302	1 Druggist Helper.....	600
303	1 Telephone Operator	780
304	1 Recording Clerk.....	1,200
305	1 Telephone Operator, night	420
306	1 X Ray Operator.....	480
307	1 Watchman-Storekeeper	960
308	1 Surgical Dresser	900
309	1 Teamster	960
310	3 Elevatormen at \$600 each	1,800
311	1 Chief Cook	1,200
312	1 Cook-Butcher	1,200
313	1 Cook	1,080
314	3 Waiters at \$672 each.....	2,016
315	1 Relief Waiter	420
316	1 Seamstress	600
317	1 Housekeeper	480
318	10 Kitchen Helpers at \$240 each.....	2,400

319	12 Orderlies at \$240 each.....	2,880
320	10 Pantrymen at \$240 each.....	2,400
321	10 Wardmen at \$120 each.....	1,200
322	20 Porters and Helpers at \$240 each.....	4,800
323	1 Ironer	420
324	1 Anaesthetist	900
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		\$60,216

Tubercular Hospital.—

325	1 Resident Physician	\$ 1,500
326	2 Internes at \$480 each.....	960
327	3 Gatemen at \$600 each.....	1,800
328	2 Graduate Nurses at \$720 each.....	1,440
329	1 Druggist	600
330	1 Telephone Operator.....	600
331	1 Chambermaid	420
332	2 Male Nurses at \$360 each.....	720
333	1 Superintendent of Nurses.....	900
334	2 Yardmen at \$240 each.....	480
335	1 Waiter	672
336	1 Waiter	480
337	4 Waiters at \$144 each.....	576
338	1 Cook.....	1,080
339	12 Pupil Nurses at \$144 each.....	1,728
340	6 Orderlies at \$240 each.....	1,440
341	3 Pantrymen at \$300 each.....	900
342	6 Helpers at \$216 each.....	1,296
343	1 Helper	120
344	1 Mattress Maker.....	240
345	1 Morgue Tender.....	240
346	6 Wardmen at \$144 each.....	864
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		\$19,056

Isolation Hospital.—

347	1 Resident Physician	\$ 2,400
348	1 Stenographer-Bookkeeper	1,080
349	1 Nurse	1,080
350	1 Male Nurse.....	960
351	1 Nurse	900
352	2 Cooks at \$1,080 each.....	2,160
353	6 Pupil Nurses at \$144 each.....	864
354	1 Interne	480
355	1 Waitress	480
356	1 Night Watchman.....	960
357	1 Day Watchman.....	720
358	3 Wardmen at \$360 each.....	1,080
359	1 Helper	480
360	1 Helper	120
361	1 Laundryman	240
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		\$14,004

Emergency Hospitals.—

362	1 Chief Surgeon.....	\$ 2,400
363	1 Chief Steward	1,800
364	1 Clerk Stenographer.....	960
365	15 Assistant Surgeons at \$1,200 each.....	18,000
366	18 Stewards at \$1,080 each.....	19,440
367	3 Nurses at \$960 each.....	2,880
368	6 Matrons at \$840 each.....	5,040
369	3 Pupil Nurses at \$144 each.....	432
370	1 Seamstress	720

371	15 Drivers at \$1,080 each.....	16,200
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372	Relief Home Salaries.....	\$ 64,000
373	Relief Home Expenses.....	180,000

\$194,000

374	Health Department Expenses.....	\$ 13,000
375	Main Hospital Maintenance.....	74,000
376	Tubercular Hospital Maintenance.....	40,000
377	Isolation Hospital Maintenance.....	10,000
378	Emergency Hospital Maintenance.....	15,000
379	1 Motor Ambulance—Emergency Hospital.....	5,000
380	1 X Ray Equipment—Emergency Hospital.....	500
381	1 Motor Oil Wagon—Relief Home.....	5,500
382	Burial Indigent Dead.....	4,000

\$167,000

To Be Expended by the Board of Health and the United States Marine
Hospital Service Under the Direction of the Board of Supervisors—

382a	For Special Emergency Sanitary Measures.....	\$ 15,000
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

383	4 Commissioners at \$1,200 each.....	\$ 4,800
384	Secretary	2,400
385	Physician	1,800
386	Stenographer	1,800
387	Chief Engineer	5,000
388	1 First Assistant Engineer.....	3,600
389	1 Second Assistant Engineer	3,000
390	11 Battalion Chiefs at \$2,700 each.....	29,700
391	14 Operators at \$1,500 each.....	21,000
392	45 Engine Companies	741,690
393	2 Relief Companies	8,130
394	11 Chemical Engine Companies.....	70,710
395	12 Truck Companies.....	209,640
396	2 Fire Boats	65,552
397	3 Monitors	4,320
398	2 Water Towers.....	12,900

\$1,186,042

Corporation Yard.—

399	1 Superintendent of Engines.....	\$ 2,700
400	1 Clerk and Commissary.....	1,800
401	1 Night Watchman.....	1,200
402	4 Watchmen at \$1,200 each.....	4,800
403	3 Draymen at \$1,200 each.....	3,600
404	1 Helper	1,200
405	7 Machinists at \$4.50 per day.....	9,828
406	1 Foreman, wagon and carriage shop.....	1,560
407	5 Blacksmiths at \$4.50 per day.....	7,020
408	5 Blacksmith Helpers at \$3.75 per day.....	5,015
409	1 Woodworker at \$4.50 per day.....	1,404
410	1 Pattern Maker at \$5.25 per day.....	1,638
411	1 Brass Finisher at \$4.50 per day.....	1,404
412	2 Boiler Makers at \$4.50 per day.....	2,808
413	1 Steam Fitter at \$6.00 per day.....	1,872

Paint Shop.—

414	1 Foreman Painter at \$5.00 per day.....	1,560
415	3 Carriage Painters at \$4.50 per day.....	4,212

Harness Shop.—

416	1 Foreman at \$5.00 per day.....	1,560
417	3 Harness Makers at \$4.25 per day.....	3,978

Horse Shoeing Shop.—

418	4 Horseshoers at \$5.00 per day.....	6,240
419	7 Hydrant Men at \$1,200 each.....	8,400

Stables.—

420	1 Superintendent of Horses	1,800
421	1 Veterinarian	1,200
422	8 Hostlers at \$1,200 each.....	9,600
423	Charter Salary increases.....	7,000
424	New companies	15,000

AUXILIARY FIRE PROTECTION.

425	Pumping Station No. 1, Salaries and Maintenance.....	12,400
426	Twin Peaks Reservoir, Salaries and Maintenance.....	5,000
427	Distributing System, Salaries and Maintenance.....	6,000
428	Water	5,000
429	Fire Department Maintenance.....	160,000
430	For Purchase of Fire Fighting Apparatus and Hose.....	100,000
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		\$396,859

DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICITY.**Office.—**

431	1 Chief	\$ 3,000
432	1 Secretary	1,800
433	1 Stenographer-Typewriter	1,200
434	1 Messenger	1,020

Inspectors.—

435	1 Chief Inspector.....	1,800
436	5 Inspectors at \$1,500 each.....	7,500
437	1 Inspector Aerial Construction.....	1,500
438	1 Clerk	1,200

Operators.—

439	1 Chief Operator.....	1,800
440	7 Operators at \$1,500 each.....	10,500
441	4 Telephone Operators at \$900 each.....	3,600

Machine Shop.—

442	1 Foreman	1,620
443	3 Instrument Makers at \$1,350 each	4,050
444	1 Machinist	1,350
445	1 Painter	1,350

Construction Department.—

446	1 Assistant Chief	2,400
447	1 Foreman Lineman	1,500
448	1 Cable Splicer	1,716
449	1 Batteryman	1,500
450	1 Storekeeper	1,200
451	1 Hostler	1,200
452	12 Linemen at \$1,350 each	16,200
453	1 Repairer	1,380
454	Laborers	2,160

455	1 Motor runabout	1,380
456	Extensions and equipment ..	15,000
457	Reconstruction	15,000
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		\$103,926
458	DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS	\$265,000
459	Special Elections	50,000
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		\$315,000
460	PLAYGROUND COMMISSION, Salaries, Maintenance, Extensions.	\$ 80,000
461	RELIEF OF EXEMPT FIREMEN	\$ 5,000

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

462	3 Commissioners at \$4,000 each	\$ 12,000
463	1 Secretary	1,800
General office.—		
464	1 Clerk	3,000
465	1 Clerk	2,400
466	1 Clerk	1,800
467	2 Stenographers at \$1,200 each	2,400
468	1 Messenger	1,020
469	1 Chauffeur	1,500
470	2 Telephone Operators at \$900 each	1,800

Bookkeeping Department.—

471	1 Book-keeper	3,000
472	1 Clerk	1,800
473	2 Clerks at \$1,500 each	3,000
474	1 Stenographer	1,200
475	1 Timekeeper	1,380

Bureau of Light and Water.—

476	1 Inspector	1,920
477	1 Assistant Inspector	1,680

Bureau of Building Inspectors.—

478	1 Chief Inspector	3,000
479	1 Inspector	2,100
480	8 Inspectors at \$1,800 each	14,400
481	1 Boiler Inspector	1,800
482	1 Clerk-Stenographer	2,400
483	1 Clerk	1,800

Bureau of Streets—Office and Field.—

484	1 Chief Deputy	3,000
485	1 Clerk	2,400
486	1 Clerk	1,800
487	1 Stenographer	1,200
488	6 Inspectors at \$1,800 each	10,800
489	1 Clerk	1,200

Cashier's Office.—

490	1 Cashier	2,400
491	1 Clerk	1,800
492	1 Clerk-Stenographer	1,200

Maintenance—Bridges.—

493	3 Engineers at \$1,560 each	9,360
494	7 Watchmen (Bridge Tenders) at \$1,080 each	7,560

Bureau of Building Repairs.—

495	1 Superintendent	3,000
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496	1 Assistant Superintendent	1,800
497	1 Clerk	1,500
498	1 Stenographer	1,200

Janitors.—

499	1 Head Janitor	1,800
500	1 Assistant Janitor	1,200
501	1 Janitress	960
502	31 Janitors at \$960 each	29,760
503	1 Caretaker—Fountains, \$3 per day	936
504	2 Watchmen at \$1,080 each	2,160

Engineers, Elevator Operators, Etc., Hall of Justice.—

505	1 Chief Engineer	2,100
506	3 Engineers at \$1,500 each	4,500
507	8 Elevator Operators at \$960 each	7,680

Engineers, Elevator Operators, Etc., Temporary City Hall.—

508	1 Chief Engineer	2,100
509	2 Assistant Engineers at \$1,500 each	3,000
510	6 Elevator Operators at \$960 each	5,760

Bureau of Architecture.—

511	3 Consulting Architects at \$25 per day, \$7,800 each	23,400
512	1 Clerk	2,100
513	2 Stenographers at \$1,200 each	2,400
514	1 Chief Draughtsman ..	3,000
515	1 Draughtsman	960
516	1 Chief Inspector	3,000

Bureau Repairs to Streets and Sewers.—

517	1 Superintendent of Streets	3,000
518	1 Assistant Superintendent of Streets	2,400
519	1 Superintendent of Sewers	3,000
520	1 Clerk	1,500
521	1 Stenographer	1,200

General Maintenance.—

522	Transportation—General	12,960
523	Transportation—Carfare	2,003
524	Supplies—Blue Prints, etc.	5,000
525	Supplies and Maintenance, including Janitors' Supplies, Fuel Oil, Electric Power, Engine Room Supplies, Lamps, etc., Repairs and Upkeep of Elevators and Engines	12,000
526	Maintenance—Municipal Water Works	3,000

\$260,296

BUREAU OF ENGINEERING.**Main Office.—**

527	1 City Engineer	\$ 7,000
528	1 Chief Assistant Engineer	3,600
529	1 Surveyor's Field Assistant	2,100
530	1 Draughtsman, in Charge of Records	1,800
531	1 Stenographer	1,200

Division Construction—Streets and Sewers.—

532	1 Assistant Engineer	2,100
533	1 Surveyor	2,100

**Investigating Petitions for New Pavements, Sidewalks,
Sewers, Preparing Plans and Specifications for
Special Work.—**

534	1 Draughtsman	2,400
535	1 Assistant Engineer.....	1,200
536	2 Draughtsmen at \$1,500 each.....	3,000

Laboratory.—

537	1 Chemist	2,100
538	1 Assistant Chemist	1,500

Division of Surveys.—

539	1 Assistant Engineer	3,600
540	1 Surveyor	1,800

Division of Surveys—Office.—

541	1 Draughtsman	2,100
542	2 Draughtsmen at \$1,800 each.....	3,600
543	3 Draughtsmen at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
544	2 Field Assistants at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
545	2 Field Assistants at \$1,200 each.....	2,400

Division of Surveys—Field Work.—

546	4 Surveyors at \$1,800 each.....	7,200
547	2 Surveyors' Field Assistants at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
548	12 Surveyors' Field Assistants at \$1,200 each.....	14,400

\$ 75,700

**TO BE EXPENDED BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS UNDER THE
DIRECTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.**

549	For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures except school buildings	\$1,000,000
550	For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes.....	95,000
551	For the reconstruction, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings	100,000
552	For construction and equipment of Police Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Police Department purposes....	50,000
553	For expense, maintenance and cleaning, sweeping and sprinkling streets	330,000
		\$1,575,000

COMMON SCHOOL FUND.

554	4 Commissioners at \$3,000 each.....	\$ 12,000
555	1 Superintendent	4,000
556	4 Deputy Superintendents at \$2,820.....	11,280
557	1 Secretary	1,800
558	1 Financial Secretary	2,100
559	1 Recording Secretary	1,980
560	3 Stenographers at \$1,200 each.....	3,600
561	1 Telephone Operator	960
562	2 Messengers at \$960 each.....	1,920
563	1 Storekeeper	1,800
564	1 Assistant Storekeeper	960

565	1 Superintendent of Buildings.....	2,100
566	1 Clerk, Gas and Water Inspector.....	1,500
567	1 Foreman, Supply Department	1,500
568	1 Chauffeur	1,500
569	Other Salaries, Rents, Scavenger Service, Etc.....	1,641,000
570	Maintenance	119,000
571	Lecture Bureau	2,500
572	Incidental Fund, to be expended under the direction of the President of the Board of Education.....	1,000
		<hr/> \$1,812,500

573	LIBRARY FUND	\$ 80,000
574	PARK FUND	350,000
575	FIREMEN'S RELIEF AND PENSION FUND.....	70,000
576	BOND INTEREST AND REDEMPTION.....	1,962,565
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Gross Total, \$12,887.626.00

Fixing Date for Public Hearing on Budget.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

J. R. No. 227.

Resolved, That at the conclusion of the calendar business of this day the Board take a recess to Wednesday evening, May 22, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., which time is hereby set aside for public hearing on the budget of the fiscal year 1912-1913.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Progress Report No. 5 of the Committee on Supplies.

May 20th, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors.

Your committee on supplies having considered the question of transportation in various city offices and departments finds that sixty-four business buggies are rented as a monthly rental of \$45.00 each. They are apportioned as follows:

Dept. of Education.....	1
Dept. of Public Works.....	44
Dept. of Electricity.....	4
Dept. of Public Health.....	10
Assessor	3
Tax Collector	1
Sheriff	1
Total	<hr/> 64

This number is augmented during certain seasons, making an annual outlay by the City of \$35,000.00.

This mode of transportation is obsolete; the City should follow the example of its enterprising merchants and use motor-driven vehicles, obtaining increased efficiency and decreased cost.

For the City's purposes we would not recommend any one style of vehicle, but would say that the needs of each individual case be considered and proper provision made therefor.

For example, a timekeeper in the Department of Public Works covered his territory in two and one-half hours, including a climb to the Twin Peaks Reservoir, while making an experimental trip on a motorcycle. Still this work is being done with a horse and buggy and consuming all day. Plainly here is a case calling for the purchase of a motorcycle and the consolidation of two jobs. The saving of \$90.00 rental of two buggies and the wages of one man will in one month pay for the vehicle which can be run at a minimum cost; less than one-half cent per mile as shown by the records of our Police Department. The man displaced would be very useful in some other bureau which is undermanned at present. A fair type of motorcycle can be bought for \$215.

For inspectors and superintendents a serviceable roadster can be bought for \$665. Anyone can be taught to run same in thirty minutes and no expense for chauffeur or garage is contemplated therefor. The public service corporations are using large numbers of them and inform us that they cost a cent per mile as against between seven to eight cents per mile for a horse and buggy. Some machines are in service twenty-four hours per day.

The benefits of the motor-driven vehicle are so obvious we feel we are stating mere truisms.

Therefore we recommend that no budget allowance be made to any officer or department for buggy hire, but that the sum usually appropriated therefor be placed in a "Transportation" account to be expended under

the direction of your Honorable Board.

Respectfully submitted,
ADOLF KOSHLAND,
FRED L. HILMER,
C. A. MURDOCK,
 Committee on Supplies.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Steel Engraving Exposition Bonds.

Proposals for steel engraving 5000 Panama-Pacific Exposition bonds were received and referred as follows:

1. H. S. Crocker Co., \$2,897.00; certified check for \$350.
2. A. Carlisle Co., \$1,800.00; certified check for \$180.
3. Myself-Rollins, \$1,475.00; certified check for \$147.50.
4. Schwabacher, Frey, \$2,392; certified check for \$300.00.
5. Britton & Rey, \$1,900.00; certified check for \$300.00.

Ordered referred to *Supplies Committee.*

Sprinkler Wagons.

Proposals for two 600-gallon steel sprinkler wagons for Board of Public Works were received and referred as follows:

1. A. L. Young Machinery Co., \$525 each; certified check for \$105.
2. Austin Western Co., Ltd., \$885 for two; certified check for \$115.
3. Studebaker Co., \$1,000 for two; certified check for \$100.
4. D. D. Lowney, \$944 for two; certified check for \$95.

Ordered referred to *Supplies Committee.*

Folding Bunks.

Proposals for furnishing seventy-five folding bunks, pads and mattress covers for use in the city prison, were received and referred as follows:

1. Klopstock Bros., \$1,525.50; certified check for \$153.
2. Rudgear-Merle Co., \$1,631.25; certified check for \$165.
3. Burhard Mattress Co., \$656.25; certified check for \$75.

Ordered referred to *Supplies Committee.*

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing and laid over from last meeting was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Giannini finally passed by the following vote:

Laundry and Boiler Permit, Sterling Laundry Co.

Resolution No. 9443 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission be granted, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the Sterling Laundry Company to erect and main-

tain a laundry and install a boiler in premises at Julian avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$24,870.51 and entered in Register of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 18,081 to 18,524, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to *Finance Committee.*

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed For Printing.

The following Resolutions were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland, repaving over side sewer trenches (claim dated April 2, 1912)..... \$1,063.95
Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Cyril Williams Jr., expert services, report on Hetch Hetchy (claim dated May 17, 1912) \$671.45
Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

F. Rolandi, eighth payment, North Point main sewer "D-3" (claim dated May 2, 1912) \$22,809.63
Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Enterprise Foundry Co., twenty-first payment, pur-

chase castiron castings (claim dated May 15, 1912)	\$2,368.74
Byron Jackson Iron Works, eighth payment, multi- stage pumps (claim dated May 13, 1912)	4,000.00
<i>Polytechnic High School Construction Account, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.</i>	
Wm. S. Snook & Sons, sec- ond payment, plumbing, Polytechnic shop building (claim dated May 10, 1912)	\$1,927.50
<i>San Francisco Hospital, Public Build- ing Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
W. P. Fuller & Co., first pay- ment, glass and glazing, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated May 11, 1912)	\$7,056.25
Robert Dalziel Jr., final pay- ment, piping for tunnel work, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated April 29, 1912)	4,462.50
<i>General Fund.</i>	
J. M. Christen, cows, Relief Home (claim dated May 6, 1912)	\$750.00
State of California, main- tenance of minors, Pres- ton School of Industry (claim dated May 6, 1912)	775.70
Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vin- cent's Asylum, Marin county, Cal., maintenance of minors (claim dated May 1, 1912)	1,782.33
The Boys and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 30, 1912)	603.16
Roman Catholic Orphan Asy- lum, maintenance of mi- nors (claim dated May 1, 1912)	1,282.44
Sister Mary Caine, Supt. Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 30, 1912)	1,087.26
St. Vincent De Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 30, 1912)	3,952.35
Consolidated Motor Car Co., Pope Hartford automobile No. 12402, furnished Fire Department (claim dated May 3, 1912)	4,950.00
Somers & Co., oats furnished Fire Department (claim dated May 8, 1912)	1,460.81
Scott, Magner & Miller, hay, furnished Fire Depart- ment (claim dated May 8, 1912)	1,403.98
Moore & Scott Iron Works,	

repairs to fireboat "David Scannell" (claim dated April 19, 1912)	1,709.00
J. B. Horan, 7 horses, Fire Department (claim dated April 25, 1912)	1,750.00
D. Demartini, garbage re- moval, Fire Department (claim dated April 30, 1912)	570.00
Thos. Morton & Son, coal, Fire Department (claim dated April 30, 1912)	1,727.50
Western Lime & Cement Co., sand, Board of Public Works (claim dated May 6, 1912)	1,538.05
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated April 30, 1912)	1,665.47
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, Relief Home (claim dated May 7, 1912)	919.94
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 30, 1912)	605.83
Herbert F. Dugan, drugs, etc., City and County Hos- pital (claim dated May 15, 1912)	607.56

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the following
amounts be and the same are hereby
set aside, appropriated and authorized
to be expended out of the hereinafter
mentioned funds for the following
purposes, to wit:

For equipment of John Swett School with Manual Train- ing and Domestic Science Laboratories, out of School construction account, Public Building fund, bond issue 1908	\$1300.00
For fee and traveling ex- penses of Umpire Architect Walter Cook in City Hall- Civic Center competition; out of item "For paving, re- paving, repairs to streets, etc."	1500.00
For inspection during con- struction of certain schools; out of School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908	1500.00
For resurvey of Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Hor- ner's and Western Addi- tions, and the computations, compilations and mapping of the Market Street Home- stead during the month of June, 1912; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."	3,500.00

Authorizing Appointment of Coupon Clerk.

Also, Bill No. 2132, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the appointment by the Treasurer of a bond coupon deputy, and fixing the compensation of said bond coupon deputy."

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in lot situate at the southwest corner of Zoe and Bryant streets, being the site of proposed Shreve building, for the purpose of removing old concrete footings; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said above named company, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Boiler, Oil and Garage Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted, to-wit:

Boiler.

R. Rosenberg & Sons Co., Townsend street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, 15 horsepower.

Storage Tank.

O'Brien-Kiernan Realty Co., 1750 Mission street; capacity 2,000 gallons.

Garage.

C. Demetrak, 72 Commercial street.

Passed For Printing.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting, was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Caglieri passed for printing by the following vote:

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections

197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter described location:

R. H. Farmer, in rear of 1709 Mission street, west side of Thirteenth street, south of Mission street, for the accommodation of 22 additional horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Denying Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: J. R. No. 228.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following named persons to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

G. Spinetti, at 1169 Chestnut street, for one horse.

Fred Simonini, at 227 Capitol avenue, for one horse and one cow.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Stable Permits.

Supervisor Caglieri presented Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named persons to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

F. Cordina, at 23 Mullen avenue (rear), for one horse.

W. B. Meckfessel, at northeast corner of Bryant street and Morris avenue, for 15 horses.

Amendment.

Supervisor Caglieri moved to strike out F. Cordina item. Amendment carried.

Passed For Printing.

Whereupon above resolution, as amended, was passed for printing:

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted: Fixing May 29, 1912, at Board of Supervisors, as Time and Place of Hearing Protests Against Stockton Street Tunnel Assessments and Damages.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

Resolution No. 9444 (New Series):

In the matter of the construction and completion of a tunnel with approaches and appurtenances thereto in Stockton street, between Sutter and Sacramento streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, pursuant to the resolution of intention of the Board of Supervisors of said City and County in that behalf, being Resolution No. 8818 (New Series), approved November 9, 1911.

The Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco having filed with the Board of Supervisors of said City and County a report on the above entitled matter pursuant to Section 6 of an ordinance of the City and County of San Francisco, being Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), passed September 5, 1911, and approved September 6, 1911, as amended by Ordinance No. 1776 (New Series), of the City and County of San Francisco, passed January 29, 1912, and approved January 31, 1912, the said report containing and showing all the matters and things required to be therein contained and shown by the provisions of said Section 6.

And the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, having upon the filing of the said report given notice of such filing and of the time within which all objections thereto should be filed by the publication of the notice required and provided for by Section 7 of said ordinance No. 1651 in the manner therein provided, and the time for filing protests to said report of the Board of Public Works having expired and certain protests having been filed;

Resolved, That the 29th day of May, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day, in the chambers of meeting room of said Board of Supervisors, in the City Hall, No. 1231 Market street, in said City and County of San Francisco, be, and the same is hereby, fixed as the time and place for the hearing of all protests filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to said tunnel construction, or to the plans and specifications therefor, or to the extent of the assessment districts defined in said resolution of intention of the Board of Supervisors, or to the amount of damages or benefits determined by the Board of Public Works of said City and County as a result of said tunnel construction as shown by the report of said Board of Public Works heretofore filed with said Board of Supervisors in the above entitled matter, or to any act, determination or proceeding of the Board of Supervisors or of the Board of Public Works in relation to such construction, or to any other matter in connection therewith as to which any person would

have a constitutional right of protest, and for the hearing of any and all protests as to any or all of said matters or things.

Recommended.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting, was taken up and *recommitted to the Public Lighting and Rates Committee:*

Finance Committee to Provide that Appropriations for All Public Lighting be Included in One Fund.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be requested to provide in the budget, that appropriations for the lighting of all public streets, parks, public buildings, including school-houses, be included in one fund, so as to permit of only one monthly demand for all public lighting from and after July 1, 1912.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted:*

Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 229.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company is hereby directed to install one electric arc light at each of the following locations:

Northwest corner of Fulton street and Seventeenth avenue.

Laidley street, between Roanoke and Castro streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Distribution of City Hall Gas Standards.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 230.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and requested to permit the transfer of the following number of gas standards, including the granite bases, surrounding the site of the City Hall, to the supervision of the following civic organizations, the same to be erected and installed during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors in the various public parks and the Relief Home Tract, as follows:

Six (6) standards to the Mission Promotion Association, for erection in the Mission Park.

Six (6) standards to the Chamber of Commerce, to be erected in Union Square.

Six (6) standards to the Haight and Ashbury Improvement Club, for erection in Buena Vista Park.

It is hereby agreed that the entire expense of removing, transporting and installing the said standards and gran-

ite bases is to be borne by the above named organizations.

Four (4) standards are further allowed the superintendent of the Relief Home for erection at the Relief Home Tract.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Taxicab Ordinance.

Supervisor Hocks presented:

Bill No. 2113, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the use of Hackney carriages, automobiles, taxicabs and other public passenger vehicles, fixing the rates to be charged for the transportation of persons and personal baggage, regulating the use of boats in the waters of the bay, providing a punishment for any violation thereof and repealing Order No. 1611. Ordinances Nos. 446, 1033 and 514 (New Series)."

Amendments.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher moved to amend Section 9 by striking out last paragraph, providing \$1 extra charge to insure return call.

Motion carried.

Supervisor Giannini moved to amend Section 7 by making northerly boundary of hack service district the northerly line of Chestnut street instead of Pacific avenue.

Motion carried.

Supervisor Hocks moved to amend Section 18 by eliminating charges for valise or hand bag carried outside vehicle.

Motion carried.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher moved to amend Section 32, fixing "runners' and solicitors" line at depots, ferries, etc, at twenty-five feet instead of twelve feet.

Motion carried.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the above bill, as amended, was passed for printing.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That John Daniels is hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after May 13, 1912, within which to complete contract for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section "G" of the North Point Main Sewers under public contract No. 45.

This extension of time is granted

upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed May 10, 1912, for the reason that the work was delayed by the presence of a thirty-nine inch Spring Valley Water main across the trench; and be it further.

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

Changing Certain Street Names.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher presented:

Bill No. 2133, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing the names of certain streets within the City and County of San Francisco:

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

The names of the certain streets as shown upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco, are hereby changed as follows:

Garden lane to Gorham street.

Jarnac street to Santa Rosa avenue.

Bond street to Plum street.

Golden State avenue to Granada avenue.

East Railroad avenue to Niantic avenue.

West Railroad avenue to Code street.

Pinckney place to Dante street.

Judah street to Parnassus avenue.

Merced avenue to San Mateo avenue.

Walter street to Weaver street.

Shiller street (Hillcrest tract) to De Long street.

Wall street to Wright street.

Anna lane street to Anna lane.

Section 2. The Assessor, the Board of Public Works and the City Engineer are hereby requested to change their records, plats and maps in conformity herewith.

Section 3. All orders and ordinances and parts of orders and ordinances which conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Amendments.

Supervisor Hayden moved to amend by striking out seventh item relating to Pinckney place.

Motion carried.

Supervisor Payot moved to amend by striking out eighth item relating to Judah street.

Motion carried.

Supervisor Nolan moved to amend by striking out eleventh item relating to Walter street.

Motion carried.

Supervisor Murdock moved to amend by striking out last item relating to Anna lane street.

Motion carried.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the above bill, as amended, was passed for printing.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Spur Track Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2134, Ordinance No. — (New Series):

Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the Ocean Shore Railroad Company, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track across Vermont and Kansas streets, connecting the main tracks of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company with the garbage incinerator on lot situate at the south side of Army street, between Kansas and Rhode Island streets.

Permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to the Ocean Shore Railroad Company to construct, maintain and operate a spur track across Vermont and Kansas streets, connecting the main tracks of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company with the garbage incinerator on lot situate at the south side of Army street between Kansas and Rhode Island streets.

Said permission is granted subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 69 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors, approved October 12, 1906, and particular reference is hereby made to Section 8 of said ordinance, reading as follows:

The railway operating any spur track on any public street or property hereafter constructed in the City and County shall, upon demand of the person, firm or corporation for the use or benefit of which such spur track is operated, place upon such spur track the freight cars of any railway which has, in this City and County, track connections with the operating railway, such cars so placed to be used for the receipt and delivery of freight in carloads only. And the operating railway shall receive and deliver the cars of the connecting railway over, at and upon such connecting track in the performance of such switching service for such persons, firms or corporations, and such railway shall perform such service without undue delay or discrimination. The operating railway shall perform such service for the same charge or rate that it charges for corresponding service for its own cars upon the spur track for like purpose. The provisions of this section shall apply only to such portions of such spur tracks as are not constructed, maintained or operated upon or across private land, and no permit for a spur track shall hereafter be granted by the Board of Supervisors which does not specifically contain the

provisions and conditions of this section.

The rights hereby granted are upon the following conditions, to-wit:

1. The Ocean Shore Railway Company shall construct said spur track without any cost to the City for the labor or material involved thereby.

2. All materials of every character which may be used by the Ocean Shore Railway Company in the construction of said spur track, shall remain the property of the railroad company, and if use of said track shall at any time be discontinued said materials may be removed by said railroad company with permission of the Board of Supervisors.

3. The Ocean Shore Railway Company, its successors or assigns, shall pave the roadway of the streets over which said spur track is operated, with the same material as may be used on the contiguous portion of the streets over which this spur track extends, embraced within the space occupied by their track or tracks, between the rails, between their tracks and two feet on either side.

4. Provided that no car or train shall at any time be allowed to stand on said track so as to block or obstruct a street crossing to exceed five (5) minutes.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2135, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following street work:

That the crossing of Lawton street and Forty-sixth avenue be improved by grading to official line and grade, constructing redwood curbs and broken rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof with a broken rock pavement.

Full Acceptance, Moraga Street and Tenth Avenue.

Also, Bill No. 2136, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Moraga street and Tenth avenue."

Annuling Contract and Forfeiting Bond, J. Von Loben Sels.

Also, Bill No. 2137, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Declaring forfeited and annulled that certain contract made and entered into by and between the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco

and James F. Van Loben Sels on the 20th day of September, 1911; and authorizing and directing said Board of Public Works to enter into a new contract for the performance of such portion of the work specified and contemplated in the said mentioned contract as remains incomplected and permitting progressive payments; and for the purpose of defraying the cost thereof, authorizing the expenditure of the funds remaining unexpended out of the appropriation heretofore made by Ordinance No. 1376 (New Series), approved November 9, 1910, for the doing of the work provided for in said contract; and declaring forfeited to the City and County of San Francisco the bond executed and delivered for the faithful performance of said contract.

Be it ordained by the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. In accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco, contained in Resolution No. 17677 (Second Series), of said Board of Public Works, passed on May 15, 1912, that certain contract made and entered into by and between the said Board of Public Works and James F. Van Loben Sels on the 20th day of September, 1911, for the performance of certain public work, to-wit: the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section "C-2" of the North Point Main Sewer, is hereby declared forfeited and annulled.

Section 2. The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a new contract for the performance of such portion of said work mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance and specified and contemplated in said contract, mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance, as remains incomplected, in accordance with the plans and specifications heretofore prepared and filed with the said Board of Public Works for the doing of said work mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance.

Section 3. The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said new contract that progressive payments shall be made in accordance with Section 21 of Chapter I of Article VI of the Charter.

Section 4. For the purpose of defraying the cost of said incomplected work, the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to expend the funds remaining unexpended out of the appropriation heretofore made by Ordinance No. 1376 (New Series), approved November 9, 1910.

Section 5. The bond executed and delivered by said James F. Van Loben

Sels for the faithful performance of said contract is hereby declared forfeited to the City and County of San Francisco.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take force and effect immediately.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MOTIONS AND BILLS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Accepting Offer of Carrie Rea to Sell Civic Center Land.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 231.

Whereas, an offer has been received from Carrie Rea to sell and to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a certain lot, piece or parcel of land in Western Addition Block No. 67, which said lot, piece or parcel of land is required for the purposes of a City Hall and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto for the purpose of creating a Civic Center, and

Whereas, the price at which said lot, piece or parcel of land is offered is a reasonable value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of said Carrie Rea to sell and convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all encumbrances, for the sum of nine thousand (9,000) dollars, be and the same is hereby accepted, said sum of nine thousand (9,000) dollars being payable out of the funds of the bond issue of 1912 for the acquisition, construction, completion and equipment by the City and County of San Francisco of a permanent building or buildings and improvements to be used as a City Hall, and the acquisition of the necessary lands therefor and for grounds and lands adjacent thereto for the purpose of creating a Civic Center in accordance with and as authorized at a special election held in said City and County on the 28th day of March, 1912, said lot, piece or parcel of land being particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon two hundred and forty-six (246) feet six (6) inches easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue and running thence easterly and along said southerly line of Fulton street thirty (30) feet, thence at a right angle southerly ninety-seven (97) feet, thence at a right angle westerly thirty (30) feet, thence at a right angle northerly

ninety-seven (97) feet to the said southerly line of Fulton street and the point of commencement, being portions of lots Nos. 5 and 6 in Western Addition block No. 67.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and the taxes paid to and including the current fiscal year and the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the purpose of procuring the same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors and also to cause a good and sufficient deed for said lot, piece or parcel of land to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Terms on Which Spring Valley Will Make Necessary Extensions.

Supervisor A. J. Gallagher presented:

Communication—From Spring Valley Water Co., stating terms on which it will make certain extensions of water service.

Referred to Water Rates Committee.

Permitting San Francisco Exposition Tour Company to Use Films of San Francisco.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 232.

Whereas, the San Francisco Exposition Tour Company, a San Francisco organization of public spirited citizens formed for the purpose of bringing to the Exposition to be held in San Francisco in 1915 thousands of visitors who would not otherwise be able to come, and

Whereas, the said San Francisco Exposition Tour Company, will, on or about June 15, 1912, start in a special railroad car, a moving picture outfit for the purpose of advertising the State of California, and in particular the City of San Francisco and the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, which object is to be highly recommended; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said San Francisco Exposition Tour Company be, and is hereby, granted the permission to make copies of all or any part of the moving picture reels now in possession and owned by the City and County of San Francisco, for the purpose of showing said pictures in all Eastern cities which will be visited by the moving picture staff of said San Francisco Exposition Tour Company. It being express-

ly understood that same is without expense to the City.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan, Vogelsang—10.

Noes—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Koshland, McCarthy, Murphy, Payot—7.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Amending Traffic Ordinance, Congestion on Lower Market Street.

Supervisor Hayden presented:

Petition—O. George Haas & Sons and other merchants on lower Market street, for amendment of traffic ordinance relative to congestion on Lower Market street.

Ordered referred to Streets Committee.

Announcement.

Supervisor Hilmer announced that Telephone Rates Committee would meet Wednesday, May 23, 1912, at 2 p. m.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Appointment of Fourth of July Committee.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 233.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to appoint a committee of twenty-five or fifty citizens of San Francisco to arrange for the proper observance of the anniversary of our national independence, July 4, 1912, and said committee so appointed is hereby authorized and empowered to expend a sum not exceeding \$2,500 set aside in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12 for this purpose.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Power for Geary Street Municipal Road.

Supervisor Vogelsang presented:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be, and it is hereby, authorized to enter into a contract with the Pacific Gas and Electric Company for power necessary for the operation of the Municipal Railway for a term of one year with renewals according to the specifications therefor at the rate of one cent per kilowatt hour for direct current.

Motion.

Supervisor Vogelsang moved the adoption of the above resolution under suspension of the rules.

Amendment.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved as an amendment that resolution be referred to Public Utilities Committee.

Amendment *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisor A. J. Gallagher—1.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy,
Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Absent — Supervisors Jennings,
Mauzy—2.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken
on Supervisor Vogelsang's motion, the

above resolution was adopted as J. R.
No. 224, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-
sang—16.

Absent — Supervisors Jennings,
Mauzy—2.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 5:30 p. m.,
the Board took a recess until Wednes-
day evening, May 22, 1912, at 7:30
p. m., when public hearing on budget
will be had.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors May 27, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors
of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that
the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said
Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Wednesday Evening, May 22, 1912

Monday, May 27, 1912

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Wednesday, May 22, 1912, 8 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors reassembled, having taken a recess from May 20, 1912, to 8 p. m. this day.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

Announcement.

His Honor Mayor Rolph announced that the purpose of the meeting was to hear taxpayers of the City and County on the Budget of the fiscal year 1912-1913 before finally determining the same, and thereupon directed the Clerk to read the report of the Finance Committee.

Whereupon, the Clerk proceeded and read the Budget.

Motion.

Supervisor McLeran moved that the Budget be *passed for printing*.

Public Hearing on Budget.

Thos. F. Boyle, Auditor, being called upon, addressed the Board, stating that he would try and do the best he could with his allowance, notwithstanding reductions. He stated he was at the meeting merely as a spectator.

John E. McDougald, Treasurer, stated that he was perfectly satisfied with allowance made for his office.

Thos. Curran, attorney for the Sheriff, suggested that item 201 relative to Chief Bookkeeper be made \$2400 instead of \$1800, inasmuch as the Cashier in the Sheriff's office was also doing the bookkeeping work and formerly received that salary.

Arthur Barendt, President of the Board of Health, addressed the Board, stating that the Finance Committee had not done as well by the Board of

Health as its service warranted, that it had exercised powers that it did not possess and that were not granted to it by the Charter. He quoted Sections 5 and 10 of Article X of the Charter in support of his contention. Under these sections he claimed that the Board of Health has the power to name its employees and fix their compensation. He opposed the minute itemization of the Budget as far as the Health Board was concerned and called attention to the fact that no such itemization was made in the appropriations for the Relief Home. He declared that the Committee has created positions that the Health Board did not want and had abolished positions absolutely necessary for the proper conduct of the department. He also stated that about \$17,000 for the central office alone would be required to keep it up to the standard of last year. He requested that the opinion of the City Attorney as to the legal question he had raised be obtained.

H. U. Brandenstein, Fire Commissioner, also addressed the Board and declared that the Budget as prepared had not allowed enough for Fire Department purposes, it was \$8000 short. He stated that the battalion chiefs had been reduced from fourteen to eleven and he could not see how the efficiency of the department could be maintained unless the number was restored. No allowance was made for houses. He declared that there should be less itemization in the appropriations for the Fire Department and requested that the Board be given some discretion in the matter of the use of the funds provided. He also believed that a little more money should be found for motorizing the department and placing it on an up-to-date basis. He declared that the \$73,980 provided for maintenance of fire boats was not half enough and that the position of foreman machinist which had been abolished could not be dispensed with.

Chief Engineer Murphy of the Fire Department also addressed the Board, endorsing the remarks of Commissioner Brandenstein and stating that \$1,000,000 should be provided for motorizing the Fire Department. Although such

a large amount could not be now appropriated, he declared that he had expected at least \$150,000 or \$200,000, but the Committee had not seen fit to allow that amount. He stated that the increased efficiency and saving in maintenance and up-keep of the Department would in a very short time amply repay the initial expenditure. He also declared that special hose must be built to handle the 250 pound pressure on the high pressure hydrants. Also that there were nine fire houses of frame construction in the fire limits that should be replaced by more substantial buildings at an estimated cost of \$95,000. He added that it would be impossible to get along with eleven battalion chiefs and requested that the number be restored to fourteen.

T. Riordan, Playground Commissioner, stated that he had asked for \$110,000 for playgrounds and was allowed \$80,000. He believed that if more money was put in playgrounds for the children there would be less occasion for large appropriations for the maintenance of the Public Health Department.

Michael Casey, President of the Board of Public Works, stated that he had no criticism to make as to the funds provided for his department, but wanted to say that it would take \$100,000 per month to put the streets of San Francisco in presentable condition for the Exposition. He called attention to the vast amount of work going on in San Francisco, the construction of the auxiliary water system, the erection of buildings all over the city and the consequent tearing up of streets to make service connections, which makes it impossible to keep them. He declared that the salary of the Messenger in his office had been reduced \$40 per month and one of the stenographers had been reduced \$25 per month. He did not approve such reductions. The city should provide for street improvements in front of its properties where property owners had done their part in this regard. He declared that the Mission viaduct was now completed, but that there was no money to repair the approaches to it unless the property owners provided it. He said that he realized what a difficult task the Finance Committee had, but believed that the itemization of the Budget was a mistake and would paralyze the work of the department. The responsibility, he said, would be on the Supervisors.

T. Riordan, Building Inspector, declared that the Building Repair Department of the Board of Public Works had been unfairly dealt with. He opposed the reduction of salary of Jno. Tierney, assistant in his department,

from \$2400 to \$1800 per year. He stated that Mr. Tierney was a civil service man in the employ of the city for sixteen years, and that he is receiving less money than some of the mechanics.

Dr. A. A. D'Ancona, President of the Board of Education, declared that he realized fully the difficulties encountered by the Finance Committee in the preparation of the Budget, and had no complaint to offer. Some reductions had been made in the Department of Education which he believed were justified and properly made.

Wm. Saunden, representing the Musicians' Union, urged an appropriation for Municipal Bands for the small parks of the city. He read letters from Council of Jewish Women and Jesse B. Cook, endorsing his request.

Francis J. Heney also addressed the Board in the matter of making provision for municipal music, declaring that he believed that the refining influence of music would make for a higher type of citizenship and be a great preventative of crime. He declared that we were twelve or fourteen years behind the nations of Europe in this regard. Music and parks and playgrounds, he declared, were as essential as fire protection—the Fire Department protects property; music and playgrounds protect human beings. He urged liberal appropriations for such purposes.

Superintendent A. Roncovieri, Superintendent of Schools, also addressed the Board endorsing liberal appropriations for music and playgrounds, and stated that from personal investigation he has learned that there are thousands of children in the public schools who have never seen Golden Gate Park.

Paul Scharenburg, representing San Francisco Labor Council, favored appropriations for parks in the poorer districts of the city; also municipal music and swimming pools where children could learn to swim in safety. He declared that in his native city, Hamburg, Germany, a swimming pool was established in the middle of the last century.

P. J. Healy also favored appropriations for music, but believed that the money should be spent in teaching the children music in the schools and organizing them into municipal bands.

Theodor Pinter also favored appropriations for municipal music and playgrounds.

J. C. Trittenbach, representing the Civic League, suggested an appropriation for the establishment of a new central fire alarm station in Jefferson

Square or Alamo Square; also, for the construction of underground conduits for the wires. He declared that the present station is located in a Class C building, and consequently fire insurance rates in San Francisco are very high. He added that if the suggestion was followed that it would save the citizens of San Francisco over \$500,000 yearly in insurance rates.

Colonel Marsden, representing the Downtown Association, endorsed the demands of the Fire Department for larger appropriations.

Daniel O'Connell, representing Richmond Heights Improvement Club, requested appropriations for fire protection in his district. At present there are no hydrants or water mains there, and the district needs fire protection more than any other part of the city. He stated that a motor chemical engine would afford some measure of relief.

W. Rolph, representing Arguello Avenue Improvement Club, requested an appropriation for the construction of an entrance into Golden Gate Park at First avenue, also known as Arguello Boulevard.

J. Klugie, representing Ocean View Improvement Club, requested an appropriation of \$40,000 for the purchase of land for a public square at the entrance to Ocean View. He declared that there are too many saloons at the location now, and the people want a park to replace them.

Daniel O'Connell, representing Ocean View Property Owners' Association, denied that the people of Ocean View wanted a park at the entrance to Ocean, and that the project advocated by the previous speaker was a real estate scheme to get rid of a lot of worthless land. He added that what was wanted and prayed for was additional land, for playground purposes, adjoining Sheridan School; cost estimated at \$30,000.

J. Pratt, representing Richmond Federation of Improvement Clubs, declared that there was over six miles of street work fronting on city property in the Richmond District left undone, and requested that city make appropriation for the work. Appropriations should also be made for improvements in vicinity of Lincoln Park, which has been selected as a part of the Exposition site.

P. J. Healy approved the recommendation of the Finance Committee of bond issue for parks and playgrounds.

Fred Almas, of Ocean View, urged an appropriation for the purchase of

additional land for playground purposes at the Sheridan School.

Geo. Renner, taxpayer, suggested a bond issue for all needed public improvements, and believed that ten million dollars would meet all city's requirements. He opposed any further curtailing of street improvement funds for restoring salaries.

Amendment to Restore Salaries.

Supervisor Hilmer moved as an amendment to Supervisor McLeran's motion that all salaries in the Budget be restored to the standard heretofore fixed.

Amendment to the Amendment.

Supervisor Koshland moved as an amendment to the amendment, that \$20,000 be set aside and added to the appropriations as an increase of salary fund to be expended and apportioned in the judgment of the Finance Committee and as the Board of Supervisors see fit.

Substitute Resolution.

Supervisor Murdock presented the following substitute:

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be instructed to so readjust the Budget as to leave to departments the rights guaranteed under the charter, the items and aggregate amounts allowed for salaries;

Resolved further, That the Budget, so modified, and with such corrections and minor alterations as the Finance Committee may feel called upon to make, not affecting the total amount, be passed for printing.

Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved that the substitute for the whole be laid on the table.

Motion carried.

Whereupon, the question being taken on *Supervisor Koshland's* amendment to the amendment, the same was lost by the following vote:

Aye—*Supervisor Koshland.*

Noes—*Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.*

Absent—*Supervisor Jennings—1.*

Adoption of Supervisor Hilmer's Motion.

Whereupon, the question being taken on *Supervisor Hilmer's* motion to amend the same was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—*Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan, Vogelsang—9.*

Noes—*Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Koshland, Mc-*

Carthy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—8.
Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

\$10,000 for Municipal Bands.

Supervisor Koshland moved as an amendment to the Budget that \$10,000 be appropriated for the purpose of creating a fund to be expended by the Board of Supervisors to furnish municipal bands for small parks of the city.

Motion.

Supervisor Giannini moved as an amendment that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee.

Amendment lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Mc-
Carthy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—8.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gal-
lagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosh-
land, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan, Vogel-
sang—9.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Motion to Lay on the Table.

Thereupon Supervisor Giannini moved that the matter be laid on the table.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George
E. Gallagher, Giannini, McCarthy, Mur-
dock, Murphy, Payot—7.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew
J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,
Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan,
Vogelsang—10.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Amendment Carried.

Whereupon, the question being taken on Supervisor Koshland's amendment to the Budget the same was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew
J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,
Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan,
Vogelsang—10.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, George
E. Gallagher, Giannini, McCarthy,
Murdock, Murphy, Payot—7.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

\$25,000 for Municipal Accounting System.

Supervisor Koshland moved as an amendment to the Budget that \$25,000 be provided for installing a modern, uniform accounting system.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Koshland, Mauzy
—2.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

\$2.10 Rate Not to be Exceeded.

Supervisor Murdock moved that the Finance Committee be instructed not to exceed the \$2.10 rate and that in-
creases be taken from funds they
judge best.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew
J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,
Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan,
Payot—10.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, George
E. Gallagher, Giannini, Koshland, Mc-
Carthy, Murphy, Vogelsang—7.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Funds for Municipal Band.

Supervisor Koshland moved that the
Urgent Necessities Fund be reduced to
\$90,000 and that the sum of \$10,000 be
set apart as the sum for a municipal
band.

Motion carried by the following
vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew
J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,
Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
Nolan, Vogelsang—11.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, George
E. Gallagher, Giannini, McCarthy, Mur-
phy, Payot—6.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

**Restored Salaries to be Taken From
Maintenance Accounts.**

Supervisor Hayden moved that the
readjustment of salaries be taken from
the Maintenance Funds of the depart-
ments affected.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew
J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,
Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan, Vogelsang—9.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, George
E. Gallagher, Giannini, Koshland, Mc-
Carthy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—8.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Amended Budget Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor
Andrew J. Gallagher, the Budget as
amended and in words and figures fol-
lowing was passed for printing:

BILL No. 2138, ORDINANCE No. — (NEW SERIES):

An Ordinance fixing and appropriating the aggregate sum and the items
thereof allowed to each Department, Office, Board and Commission for the
fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, and making a Budget of the same.

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco
as follows:

Section 1. The aggregate sums and the items thereof hereinafter set forth are hereby fixed, designated and appropriated for the respective purposes set opposite the same, to be expended during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, in accordance with the provisions of Article III, Chapter I of the Charter of the City and County, to wit:

GENERAL FUND.

SUPERVISORS.

Budget

Item No.

1	18 Supervisors at \$2,400.....	\$ 43,200
2	1 Clerk	3,600
3	Expert to Board	3,600
4	Chief Assistant Clerk	2,700
5	Bond and Ordinance Clerk	3,000
6	Assistant Clerk and Superintendent of Supplies.....	3,000
7	3 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,100 each.....	6,300
8	Stationery Clerk	1,920
9	2 Assistant Clerks, at \$1,800 each.....	3,600
10	Stenographer to Finance Committee.....	1,800
11	3 Assistant Clerks, at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
12	2 Stenographers, at \$1,200 each.....	2,400
13	Filing Clerk and Telephone Operator.....	1,200
14	1 Telephone Operator.....	960
15	Sergeant at Arms.....	1,440
16	1 Chauffeur	1,500
17	Finance Committee expenses.....	10,000
18	Printing Public Documents.....	10,000
19	Clerks, Board of Equalization.....	600
20	Advertising	30,000
21	Interment U. S. Soldiers and Sailors.....	2,500
22	Printing Law and Motion Calendar.....	4,100
23	Maintenance Public Pound.....	9,000
24	Municipal Reports for 1911-12.....	4,000
25	License Tags	2,000
26	Bureau of Efficiency and Supplies Committee (to be expended by Supervisors and Civil Service Commission).....	10,000
27	Stationery, Books, Printing, Stamps.....	42,000
28	Stationery for Assessor	5,500
29	Purchase of Directories	600
30	Purchase and repair of book-typewriters.....	500
31	Rebinding books	500
32	Supplies, Stationery Department	1,000
33	Furniture, Public Buildings	7,500
34	Investigation of Public Utilities, Transportation Problems and Extensions of Municipal Street Railways.....	27,500
35	Celebration Fourth of July.....	2,500
36	Observance of Memorial Day.....	500
37	Grand Jury expenses	3,000
38	Premiums on Official Bonds.....	4,500
39	Urgent Necessities	90,000
40	Rents, Repairs and Equipment of Buildings.....	85,000
41	Water for Municipal purposes, Hydrants.....	132,000
42	Water for Public Buildings.....	23,000
43	Maintenance of Minors in non-sectarian Institutions.....	190,000
44	Maintenance of Minors in Magdalen Asylum.....	7,500
45	Maintenance of Minors in State Schools.....	10,000
46	Maintenance of Feeble Minded Children.....	28,000
47	Maintenance of Criminal Insane.....	2,500
48	Juvenile Detention Home	14,000

49	Juvenile Court Incidentals, Demands to be drawn through Board of Supervisors	5,000
50	Probation Officers Salaries.....	18,300
51	Lighting Streets and Public Buildings	435,000
52	Purchase of rights of way.....	3,000
53	Examination of insane persons	8,000
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		\$1,313,820

SPECIAL FUND.

For Improvement of Highways, Parks and Streets. To be Expended Under the Direction of the Board of Supervisors.

54	For improvement of Lincoln Way.....	\$40,000
55	For paving of Howard street.....	60,000
56	For improvement of Sansome street.....	25,000
57	For improvement of California street.....	10,000
58	For improvement of Kearny street.....	10,000
59	For improvement of Buena Vista Park.....	15,000
60	For Convenience Station and other improvements in Mission Park	15,000
61	For improvement of San Bruno Road and other highways and opening streets	75,000
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		\$250,000

MAYOR.

62	Mayor's salary	\$6,000
63	Secretary	2,400
64	Assistant Secretary	2,100
65	Stenographer	1,500
66	Stenographer	1,200
67	Stenographer	900
68	Telephone Operator	900
69	Usher	900
70	Chauffeur	1,500
71	Mayor's Contingent expenses, Charter.....	3,600
72	Mayor's Incidentals	1,740
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		\$22,740

AUDITOR.

73	Auditor	\$4,000
74	Deputy Auditor	2,400
75	2 Assistant Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
76	Clerk	1,200
77	Attorney's Fees	1,800
78	1 Assistant Deputy	2,100
79	1 Assistant Deputy	2,100
80	1 Assistant Deputy	2,100
81	1 Assistant Deputy	1,800
82	4 Assistant Deputies at \$1,800 each.....	7,200
83	1 Stenographer and Bond Clerk.....	1,500
84	1 Clerk	1,200
85	1 Telephone Operator	900
86	1 Expert, Minors' refund from State.....	1,500
87	Solely for computing and extending the Assessment Roll and Delinquent Tax List	7,500
88	Incidentals	400
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		\$40,700

ASSESSOR.

89	Assessor	\$8,000
90	Chief Deputy	2,400
91	Cashier	1,800
92	8 Assistant Deputies at \$1,800 each.....	14,400
93	18 Clerks at \$1,200 each	21,600
94	Extra Clerks	46,000
95	Poll Tax Collectors.....	5,000
96	Field Deputies expenses	2,000

\$101,200**CORONER.**

97	Coroner	\$4,000
98	Autopsy Physician	2,400
99	Chief Deputy.....	2,400
100	3 Assistant Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
101	Stenographer	1,800
102	Messenger	900
103	Toxicologist, Ordinance No. 1863.....	1,200
104	Assistant Stenographer and Typewriter, Ordinance No. 1863.....	1,500
105	Assistant Deputy and Driver, Ordinance No. 1863.....	1,080
106	Night Clerk Matron, Ordinance No. 1863.....	900
107	Clerk Matron	900
108	Morgue tender	900
109	Coroner's expenses	2,700

\$25,180**RECORDER.**

110	Recorder	\$4,000
111	Chief Deputy	2,400
112	5 Assistant Deputies, at \$1,800 each.....	9,000
113	9 Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	13,500
114	1 Machinist	1,500
115	1 Messenger	1,200
116	Copyists	45,000

\$76,600**TAX COLLECTOR.**

117	Tax Collector	\$4,000
118	Chief Deputy	2,400
119	Cashier	2,400
120	15 Deputies at \$1,500 each	22,500
121	2 Assistant Cashiers at \$1,800 each.....	3,600
122	Expert Searcher	1,800
123	Accountant	2,400
124	6 Temporary Cashiers (2 months) at \$150 each.....	1,800
125	1 Block book man	1,500
126	Acting Deputies as per Ordinance 821.....	18,000
127	Stenographer	1,380
128	Extra Clerks	5,520
129	Printing Delinquent Tax List	1,800
130	Horse and buggy hire.....	540
131	Incidentals	250

\$69,890**TREASURER.**

132	Treasurer	\$4,000
133	Chief Deputy	2,400
134	2 Deputies at \$1,800 each	3,600
135	1 Clerk	1,200
136	1 Coupon Clerk (Ordinance).....	1,800

137	1 Book-keeper	2,100
138	1 Assistant Book-keeper.....	1,800
139	1 Cashier	3,600
140	1 Clerk	1,800
141	1 Clerk	1,800

\$24,100

SUPERIOR COURTS.

142	12 Judges at \$3,000 each.....	\$36,000
143	1 Secretary	3,000
144	Superior Court Stenographers.....	20,000
145	Superior Court Orders.....	20,000
146	Superior Court Interpreters.....	9,600

\$88,600

CITY ATTORNEY.

147	City Attorney	\$5,000
148	1 Assistant	3,600
149	1 Assistant	3,000
150	1 Assistant	2,400
151	1 Assistant	1,800
152	1 Chief Clerk	1,800
153	1 Assistant Clerk	900
154	1 Stenographer-typewriter	900
155	1 Messenger	900
156	1 Assistant, Ord.	3,600
157	3 Assistants at \$3,000 each, Ord.....	9,000
158	1 Stenographer-Typewriter	900
159	1 Stenographer, Ord.	900
160	For general litigation, Ord.	5,000

\$39,700

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

161	District Attorney	\$5,000
162	3 Assistants at \$3,600 each.....	10,800
163	4 Assistants at \$2,400 each.....	9,600
164	1 Chief Clerk.....	1,800
165	1 Assistant Clerk	1,200
166	1 Stenographer-typewriter	900
167	1 Warrant and Bond Clerk.....	2,400
168	3 Assistant Warrant and Bond Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
169	1 Bookkeeper, Ord.	1,200
170	1 Warrant and Bond Clerk, Ord.....	2,100
171	2 Assistants at \$3,000 each, Ord.....	6,000
172	Messenger, Ord.	1,500
173	1 Assistant, Ord.	3,600
174	1 Assistant, Ord.	2,400
175	For extraordinary expenses of the District Attorney's Office. subject to the orders of courts through the Board of Super- visors	5,000

\$58,000

COUNTY CLERK.

176	County Clerk	\$4,000
177	1 Chief Register Clerk.....	2,400
178	1 Cashier	1,800
179	12 Court room Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	18,000
180	5 Register Clerks at \$1,800 each.....	9,000
181	10 Assistant Register Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	15,000
182	16 Copyists at \$1,200 each.....	19,200
183	4 Clerks, Police Courts, at \$1,500 each	6,000
184	1 Messenger, Ord.	1,200

185	6 Deputies at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	7,200
186	15 Copyists at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	18,000
187	4 Court room Clerks at \$1,500 each, Ord.....	6,000
188	Jury and witness fees in criminal cases.....	25,000
189	Jury expenses in criminal cases.....	1,500

 \$134,300
JUSTICES' COURT.

190	5 Justices at \$3,600 each.....	\$18,000
191	1 Clerk	3,000
192	1 Cashier	1,800
193	1 Chief Deputy	1,800
194	2 Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
195	1 Messenger	1,200

 \$28,800
LAW LIBRARY.

196	Librarian	\$2,400
197	Messenger	1,200

 \$3,600
SHERIFF.

198	Sheriff	\$8,000
199	Undersheriff	2,400
200	Attorney	1,800
201	Chief Bookkeeper	1,800
202	2 Assistant Bookkeepers at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
203	10 Office Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	15,000
204	14 Bailiffs at \$1,200 each.....	16,800
205	1 Chief Jailer	1,800
206	10 Jailers at \$1,200 each.....	12,000
207	1 Superintendent of Jails.....	1,800
208	16 Guards, Jail No. 2, at \$600 each.....	9,600
209	6 Guards, Jail No. 3, at \$600 each.....	3,600
210	1 Matron	900
211	1 Commissary	1,500
212	1 Driver of van.....	900
213	1 Bookkeeper, all Jails.....	1,500
214	1 Stenographer, Ord.	900
215	1 Driver, Ord.	900
216	2 Cooks at \$900 each, Ord.....	1,800
217	6 Road guards at \$900 each, Ord.....	5,400
218	1 Druggist, Ord.	1,200
219	3 Office Deputies at \$1,500 each, Ord.....	4,500
220	4 Bailiffs at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	4,800
221	Subsistence of prisoners	45,000
222	Sheriff's expenses, horse-keeping, etc.....	2,500

 \$149,400
POLICE DEPARTMENT.

223	4 Commissioners at \$1,200 each	\$ 4,800
224	1 Secretary	1,500
225	1 Stenographer	1,800
226	1 Surgeon	1,500
227	1 Chief	4,000
228	1 Clerk	2,400
229	1 Property Clerk	2,400
230	1 Captain of Detectives	3,000
231	9 Captains at \$2,400 each	21,600
232	18 Lieutenants at \$1,920 each	34,560
233	25 Detective Sergeants at \$1,800 each.....	45,000

234	53 Sergeants at \$1,680 each	89,040
235	57 Corporals at \$1,560 each	88,920
236	725 Patrolmen at \$1,464 each	1,061,400
237	26 Patrol Drivers at \$1,200 each.....	31,200
238	4 Telephone Operators at \$900 each.....	3,600
239	4 Matrons at \$1,020 each	4,080
240	9 Hostlers at \$1,080 each	9,720
241	1 Cook	1,200
242	3 Engineers, Launch, at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
243	Contingent expenses	8,000
244	Maintenance of Police Patrol and Mounted Police.....	42,000
245	Photographic supplies, laundry work and fuel.....	2,500
246	Maintenance of automobiles	3,500
247	Maintenance of police launch	1,500
248	Subsistence of prisoners	7,300
249	Equipment of Dept. with motorcycles, purchase and maintenance	15,000
250	Purchase of 2 auto patrol wagons	9,000
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		\$1,505,020

POLICE COURTS.

251	4 Judges at \$3,600 each.....	\$ 14,400
252	4 Stenographers at \$2,400 each	9,600
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		\$ 24,000

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

253	3 Commissioners at \$1,200 each	\$ 3,600
254	1 Examiner and Secretary	2,400
255	1 Assistant Secretary, Ord.....	1,500
256	2 Clerk Stenographers at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	2,400
257	1 Stenographer-typewriter, Ord	900
258	1 Counter Clerk, Ord.....	1,200
259	Extra Clerks and Special Examiners, Ord.....	4,000
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		\$ 16,000

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

260	1 Health Officer	\$ 3,600
261	1 Chief Clerk	2,700
262	1 Auditor	1,920
263	1 Clerk	1,920
264	1 Clerk	1,200
265	1 Clerk	1,080
266	1 Stenographer	1,200
267	2 Stenographers at \$1,080 each	2,160
268	1 Telephone Operator	960
269	1 Messenger	480
270	1 City Physician	2,400
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		\$ 19,620

Inspectors.—

271	1 Chief Sanitary Inspector	\$ 3,000
272	4 Sanitary Inspectors at \$1,560 each.....	6,240
273	2 Industrial Inspectors at \$1,380 each.....	2,760
273a	1 Chief Plumbing Inspector.....	2,100
274	5 Plumbing Inspectors at \$1,800 each.....	9,000
274a	1 Foreman Market Inspector	1,800
275	14 Market Inspectors at \$1,380 each.....	19,320
276	1 Dairy Veterinarian	1,800
276a	1 Chief Dairy Inspector	1,800
277	2 Dairy Inspectors at \$1,380 each.....	2,760
278	3 Food Inspectors at \$1,200 each	3,600

279	2	Disinfectors at \$1,380 each	2,760
280	1	Medical School Inspector	1,800
281	1	Medical School Inspector	1,500
282	14	Health Inspectors of Schools at \$900 each.....	12,600
283	1	Inspector of Indigents	1,200

\$ 74,040

Laboratory.—

284	1	Director of Laboratories	\$3,000
285	1	Assistant Director of Laboratories.....	1,500
286	1	Helper	600
287	1	Chemist	1,500
288	1	Assistant Chemist	1,320
289	1	Helper	1,080

\$9,000

Main Hospital.—

290	1	Resident Physician.....	\$1,500
291	9	Internes at \$480 each.....	4,320
292	1	Commissary Clerk.....	1,800
293	1	Secretary Clerk	1,800
294	1	Ambulance Driver	1,080
295	1	Watchman	900
296	1	Superintendent of Nurses	1,200
297	1	Operating Room Nurse	1,080
298	5	Graduate Nurses at \$720 each.....	3,600
299	50	Pupil Nurses at \$144 each	7,200
300	12	Pupil Orderlies at \$360 each	4,320
301	1	Druggist	1,500
302	1	Druggist Helper.....	600
303	1	Telephone Operator	780
304	1	Recording Clerk.....	1,200
305	1	Telephone Operator, night	420
306	1	X Ray Operator.....	480
307	1	Watchman-Storekeeper	960
308	1	Surgical Dresser	900
309	1	Teamster	960
310	3	Elevatormen at \$600 each	1,800
311	1	Chief Cook	1,200
312	1	Cook-Butcher	1,200
313	1	Cook	1,080
314	3	Waiters at \$672 each.....	2,016
315	1	Relief Waiter	420
316	1	Seamstress	600
317	1	Housekeeper	480
318	10	Kitchen Helpers at \$240 each.....	2,400
319	12	Orderlies at \$240 each.....	2,880
320	10	Pantrymen at \$240 each.....	2,400
321	10	Wardmen at \$120 each.....	1,200
322	20	Porters and Helpers at \$240 each.....	4,800
323	1	Ironer	420
324	1	Anaesthetist	900

\$60,396

Tubercular Hospital.—

325	1	Resident Physician	\$ 1,500
326	2	Internes at \$480 each.....	960
327	3	Gatemen at \$600 each.....	1,800
328	2	Graduate Nurses at \$720 each.....	1,440
329	1	Druggist	600
330	1	Telephone Operator.....	600

331	1 Chambermaid	420
332	2 Male Nurses at \$360 each.....	720
333	1 Superintendent of Nurses.....	900
334	2 Yardmen at \$240 each.....	480
335	1 Waiter	672
336	1 Waiter	480
337	4 Waiters at \$144 each.....	576
338	1 Cook.....	1,080
339	12 Pupil Nurses at \$144 each.....	1,728
340	6 Orderlies at \$240 each.....	1,440
341	3 Pantrymen at \$300 each.....	900
342	6 Helpers at \$216 each.....	1,296
343	1 Helper	120
344	1 Mattress Maker.....	240
345	1 Morgue Tender.....	240
346	6 Wardmen at \$144 each.....	864

\$19,056

Isolation Hospital.—

347	1 Resident Physician	\$ 2,400
348	1 Stenographer-Bookkeeper	1,080
349	1 Nurse	1,080
350	1 Male Nurse.....	960
351	1 Nurse	900
352	2 Cooks at \$1,080 each.....	2,160
353	6 Pupil Nurses at \$144 each.....	864
354	1 Interne	480
355	1 Waitress	480
356	1 Night Watchman.....	960
357	1 Day Watchman.....	720
358	3 Wardmen at \$360 each.....	1,080
359	1 Helper	480
360	1 Helper	120
361	1 Laundryman	240

\$14,004

Emergency Hospitals.—

362	1 Chief Surgeon.....	\$ 2,400
363	1 Chief Steward	2,100
364	1 Clerk Stenographer.....	960
365	15 Assistant Surgeons at \$1,320 each.....	19,800
366	18 Stewards at \$1,080 each.....	19,440
367	3 Nurses at \$960 each.....	2,880
368	6 Matrons at \$840 each.....	5,040
369	3 Pupil Nurses at \$144 each.....	432
370	1 Seamstress	720
371	15 Drivers at \$1,080 each.....	16,200

\$69,972

372	Relief Home Salaries.....	\$ 64,000
373	Relief Home Expenses	130,000

\$194,000

374	Health Department Expenses	\$ 6,280
375	Main Hospital Maintenance	73,820
376	Tubercular Hospital Maintenance.....	40,000
377	Isolation Hospital Maintenance.....	10,000
378	Emergency Hospital Maintenance	12,900
379	1 Motor Ambulance—Emergency Hospital.....	5,000

380	1 X Ray Equipment—Emergency Hospital.....	500
381	1 Motor Oil Wagon—Relief Home.....	5,500
382	Burial Indigent Dead.....	4,000

 \$158,000

382a	For Special Emergency Sanitary Measures, to be expended by the Board of Health and the United States Marine Hospital Service under the direction of the Board of Supervisors.....	\$15,000
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

383	4 Commissioners at \$1,200 each.....	\$ 4,800
384	Secretary	2,400
385	Physician	1,800
386	Stenographer	1,800
387	Chief Engineer	5,000
388	1 First Assistant Engineer.....	3,600
389	1 Second Assistant Engineer	3,000
390	11 Battalion Chiefs at \$2,700 each.....	29,700
391	14 Operators at \$1,500 each.....	21,000
392	45 Engine Companies	733,262
393	2 Relief Companies	8,130
394	11 Chemical Engine Companies.....	70,710
395	12 Truck Companies.....	209,640
396	2 Fire Boats	73,980
397	3 Monitors	4,320
398	2 Water Towers.....	12,900

 \$1,186,042

Corporation Yard.—

399	1 Superintendent of Engines.....	\$ 2,700
400	1 Clerk and Commissary.....	1,800
401	1 Night Watchman.....	1,200
402	4 Watchmen at \$1,200 each.....	4,800
403	3 Draymen at \$1,200 each.....	3,600
404	1 Helper	1,200
405	7 Machinists at \$4.50 per day.....	9,828
406	1 Foreman, wagon and carriage shop.....	1,560
407	5 Blacksmiths at \$4.50 per day.....	7,020
408	5 Blacksmith Helpers at \$3.75 per day.....	5,015
409	1 Woodworker at \$4.50 per day.....	1,404
410	1 Pattern Maker at \$5.25 per day.....	1,638
411	1 Brass Finisher at \$4.50 per day.....	1,404
412	2 Boiler Makers at \$4.50 per day.....	2,808
413	1 Steam Fitter at \$6.00 per day.....	1,872

Paint Shop.—

414	1 Foreman Painter at \$5.00 per day.....	1,560
415	3 Carriage Painters at \$4.50 per day.....	4,212

Harness Shop.—

416	1 Foreman at \$5.00 per day.....	1,560
417	3 Harness Makers at \$4.25 per day.....	3,978

Horse Shoeing Shop.—

418	4 Horseshoers at \$5.00 per day.....	6,240
419	7 Hydrant Men at \$1,200 each.....	8,400

Stables.—

420	1 Superintendent of Horses	1,860
421	1 Veterinarian	1,200
422	8 Hostlers at \$1,200 each.....	9,600
423	Charter Salary increases.....	7,000
424	New companies	15,000

AUXILIARY FIRE PROTECTION.

425	Pumping Station No. 1, Salaries and Maintenance.....	12,400
426	Twin Peaks Reservoir, Salaries and Maintenance.....	5,000
427	Distributing System, Salaries and Maintenance.....	6,000
428	Water	5,000
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429	Fire Department Maintenance.....	160,000
430	For Purchase of Fire Fighting Apparatus and Hose.....	100,000

\$396,859**DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICITY.****Office.—**

431	1 Chief	\$ 3,000
432	1 Secretary	1,800
433	1 Stenographer-Typewriter	1,200
434	1 Messenger	1,020

Inspectors.—

435	1 Chief Inspector.....	1,800
436	5 Inspectors at \$1,500 each.....	7,500
437	1 Inspector Aerial Construction.....	1,500
438	1 Clerk	1,200

Operators.—

439	1 Chief Operator.....	1,800
440	7 Operators at \$1,500 each.....	10,500
441	4 Telephone Operators at \$900 each.....	3,600

Machine Shop.—

442	1 Foreman	1,620
443	3 Instrument Makers at \$1,350 each	4,050
444	1 Machinist	1,350
445	1 Painter	1,350

Construction Department.—

446	1 Assistant Chief	2,400
447	1 Foreman Lineman	1,500
448	1 Cable Splicer	1,716
449	1 Batteryman	1,500
450	1 Storekeeper	1,200
451	1 Hostler	1,200
452	12 Linemen at \$1,350 each	16,200
453	1 Repairer	1,380
454	Laborers	2,160
455	1 Motor runabout	1,380
456	Extensions and equipment ..	15,000
457	Reconstruction	15,000

\$103,926

458	DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS	\$265,000
459	Special Elections	50,000

\$315,000

460	PLAYGROUND COMMISSION, Salaries, Maintenance, Extensions.\$	80,000
461	RELIEF OF EXEMPT FIREMEN	\$ 5,000

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

462	3 Commissioners at \$4,000 each	\$ 12,000
463	1 Secretary	1,800
General office.—		
464	1 Clerk	3,000
465	1 Clerk.....	2,400

466	1	Clerk	1,800
467	2	Stenographers at \$1,500 each	3,000
468	1	Messenger	1,500
469	1	Chauffeur	1,500
470	2	Telephone Operators at \$900 each	1,800

Bookkeeping Department.—

471	1	Book-keeper	3,000
472	1	Clerk	2,100
473	2	Clerks at \$1,800 each	3,600
474	1	Stenographer	1,200
475	1	Timekeeper	1,380

Bureau of Light and Water.—

476	1	Inspector	2,100
477	1	Assistant Inspector	1,680

Bureau of Building Inspectors.—

478	1	Chief Inspector	3,000
479	1	Inspector	2,100
480	8	Inspectors at \$1,800 each	14,400
481	1	Boiler Inspector	1,800
482	1	Clerk-Stenographer	2,400
483	1	Clerk	1,800

Bureau of Streets—Office and Field.—

484	1	Chief Deputy	3,000
485	1	Clerk	2,400
486	1	Clerk	1,800
487	1	Stenographer	1,200
488	4	Inspectors at \$2,100 each	8,400
488a	1	Inspector	1,800
488b	1	Inspector	1,500
489	1	Clerk	1,200

Cashier's Office.—

490	1	Cashier	2,400
491	1	Clerk	1,800
492	1	Clerk-Stenographer	1,500

Maintenance—Bridges.—

493	6	Engineers at \$1,560 each	9,360
494	7	Watchmen (Bridge Tenders) at \$1,080 each	7,560

Bureau of Building Repairs.—

495	1	Superintendent	3,000
496	1	Assistant Superintendent	2,400
497	1	Clerk	1,800
498	1	Stenographer	1,200

Janitors.—

499	1	Head Janitor	1,800
500	1	Assistant Janitor	1,380
501	1	Janitress	960
502	31	Janitors at \$960 each	29,760
503	1	Caretaker—Fountain, \$3 per day	936
504	2	Watchmen at \$1,080 each	2,160

Engineers, Elevator Operators, Etc., Hall of Justice.—

505	1	Chief Engineer	2,100
506	3	Engineers at \$1,500 each	4,500
507	8	Elevator Operators at \$960 each	7,680

Engineers, Elevator Operators, Etc., Temporary City Hall.—

508	1	Chief Engineer	2,100
509	2	Assistant Engineers at \$1,500 each	3,000
510	6	Elevator Operators at \$960 each	5,760

Bureau of Architecture.—

511	3 Consulting Architects at \$25 per day. \$7,800 each.....	23,400
512	1 Clerk	2,100
513	2 Stenographers at \$1,200 each	2,400
514	1 Chief Draughtsman ..	3,000
515	1 Draughtsman	960
516	1 Chief Inspector	3,000

Bureau Repairs to Streets and Sewers.—

517	1 Superintendent of Streets	3,000
518	1 Assistant Superintendent of Streets	2,400
519	1 Superintendent of Sewers	3,000
520	1 Clerk	1,500
521	1 Stenographer	1,500

General Maintenance.—

522	Transportation—General ..	10,420
523	Transportation—Carfare ..	1,500
524	Supplies—Blue Prints, etc.	5,000
525	Supplies and Maintenance, including Janitors' Supplies, Fuel Oil. Electric Power, Engine Room Supplies, Lamps, etc., Repairs and Upkeep of Elevators and Engines.....	10,000
526	Maintenance—Municipal Water Works	3,000
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BUREAU OF ENGINEERING.**Main Office.—**

527	1 City Engineer	\$ 7,000
528	1 Chief Assistant Engineer.....	3,600
529	1 Surveyor's Field Assistant	2,100
530	1 Draughtsman, in Charge of Records.....	1,800
531	1 Stenographer	1,500

Division Construction—Streets and Sewers.—

532	1 Assistant Engineer	2,100
533	1 Surveyor	2,100

**Investigating Petitions for New Pavements, Sidewalks,
Sewers, Preparing Plans and Specifications for
Special Work.—**

534	1 Draughtsman	2,400
535	1 Assistant Engineer.....	1,200
536	2 Draughtsmen at \$1,500 each.....	3,000

Laboratory.—

537	1 Chemist	2,100
538	1 Assistant Chemist	1,500

Division of Surveys.—

539	1 Assistant Engineer	3,600
540	1 Surveyor	1,800

Division of Surveys—Office.—

541	1 Draughtsman	2,100
542	2 Draughtsmen at \$1,800 each.....	3,600
543	3 Draughtsmen at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
544	2 Field Assistants at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
545	2 Field Assistants at \$1,200 each.....	2,400

Division of Surveys—Field Work.—

546	4 Surveyors at \$1,800 each.....	7,200
547	2 Surveyors' Field Assistants at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
548	12 Surveyors' Field Assistants at \$1,200 each.....	14,400

\$76,700

**TO BE EXPENDED BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS UNDER THE
DIRECTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.**

549	For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures except school buildings	\$1,000,000
550	For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes.....	95,000
551	For the reconstruction, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings	100,000
552	For construction and equipment of Police Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Police Department purposes....	50,000
553	For expense, maintenance and cleaning, sweeping and sprinkling streets	330,000
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		\$1,575,000

COMMON SCHOOL FUND.

554	4 Commissioners at \$3,000 each.....	\$ 12,000
555	1 Superintendent	4,000
556	4 Deputy Superintendents at \$2,820.....	11,280
557	1 Secretary	1,800
558	1 Financial Secretary	2,100
559	1 Recording Secretary	1,980
560	3 Stenographers at \$1,200 each.....	3,600
561	1 Telephone Operator	960
562	2 Messengers at \$960 each.....	1,920
563	1 Storekeeper	1,800
564	1 Assistant Storekeeper	960
565	1 Superintendent of Buildings.....	2,100
566	1 Clerk, Gas and Water Inspector.....	1,500
567	1 Foreman, Supply Department	1,500
568	1 Chauffeur	1,500
569	Other Salaries, Rents, Scavenger Service, Etc.....	1,641,000
570	Maintenance	119,000
571	Lecture Bureau	2,500
572	Incidental Fund, to be expended under the direction of the President of the Board of Education.....	1,000
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		\$1,812,500

573	LIBRARY FUND	\$ 80,000
574	PARK FUND	350,000
575	FIREMEN'S RELIEF AND PENSION FUND.....	70,000
576	BOND INTEREST AND REDEMPTION.....	1,962,565
577	FOR MUNICIPAL BAND IN SMALL PARKS.....	10,000

Total Amount, \$12,887,626.00.

Sec. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew, J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan, Vogelsang—11.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, George

E. Gallagher, Giannini, McCarthy, Murphy, Payot—6.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board, at the hour of 2:30 a. m., Thursday, May 23, 1912, adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

MONDAY, MAY 27, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, May 27, 1912, 2:30 p. m.
The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journals of the meetings of May 15 and May 20, 1912, were read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Request of Spring Valley Water Company That City Concess Judgment in Water Rate Cases.

San Francisco, Cal., May 27, 1912.

To the Honorable James Rolph, Mayor, and the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: There are pending in the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of California, five cases in equity, brought by the Spring Valley Water Company against the City and County of San Francisco and the members of the Board of Supervisors, and involving the validity of the ordinances fixing rates to be collected for the fiscal years 1907 and 1911, both inclusive.

In each of the cases an injunction was issued restraining the enforcement of the ordinance complained of, the injunction in the last four providing that the moneys collected by the company in excess of the rates fixed by the ordinance should be impounded to await the final judgment of the court. Pursuant to the provisions of the injunctive orders in those four cases, the amount collected by the company from each consumer, in excess of the ordinance rate, was deposited with the Mercantile Trust Company of San Francisco, and is now held by that company.

When each of these injunctions was issued there were pending in the United States Circuit Court, for the Northern District of California, three other cases between the same parties, involving the validity of water rate ordinances passed by the Board of Supervisors for the fiscal years 1903, 1904 and 1905. Those cases, that is to say, the

cases for the years 1903, 1904 and 1905, were decided in October, 1911, and the ordinances, the validity of which was involved in them, were held to be confiscatory and void.

In those cases the Court found the value of the property of the company for rate fixing purposes in 1903 to be \$28,694,522, from which depreciation is to be deducted, but this amount did not include property owned and not then in use, or property owned but not disclosed at trial. For each of the fiscal years 1907 to 1911, inclusive, the Supervisors refused to make provision or allowance for depreciation. In the 1903 case Judge Farrington held that the company was entitled to an annual allowance in excess of \$212,000 to cover depreciation.

After final decision of the 1903 case, we asked the City Attorney if he would not, on behalf of the City and County, and the Supervisors, consent to judgment in the cases brought to set aside the ordinances passed for the years 1907 to 1911, inclusive. He replied that in the light of Judge Farrington's opinion in the 1903 case, the company was unquestionably entitled to final judgment in those cases and to the money held by the Mercantile Trust Company, but that he had some question regarding his authority to consent that final judgment be taken without formal instructions to that effect from the Board of Supervisors. The position of the City Attorney on this subject is well known. He has stated it to members of your Board in the presence of representatives of this company.

We, therefore, respectfully request that you instruct the City Attorney to consent to the entry of final judgment in favor of the company in each of the suits involving the validity of the ordinances passed for the years 1907 to 1911, inclusive.

With the certainty that in the end the same result will be reached as was reached in the 1903 case (which included judgment in favor of the company and against the City and County for costs), we sincerely trust that the very great expense that these equity cases involve, both to the City and the company, may be brought to an end.

Very respectfully.

SPRING VALLEY WATER CO.,

By W. B. BOURN, President.

Ordered referred to the Judiciary and Public Utilities Committee.

Leave of Absence, John Donohoe, Fire Commissioner.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, May 24th, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph Jr., Mayor: I

most respectfully make application for and request a sixty days' leave of absence from the State commencing May 29th.

Very respectfully,

JOHN DONOHOE,
Fire Commissioner.

Approved May 27, 1912.

JAMES ROLPH Jr.,
Mayor.

Whereupon, the following resolution was adopted:

J. R. No. 235.

Resolved, That John Donohoe, member of the Board of Fire Commissioners, be and is hereby given leave of absence for sixty days, with permission to leave the State, from and after May 29, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Leave of Absence, Dr. Guy E. Manning,
Member Board of Health.

Also, J. R. No. 236.

Resolved, That Dr. Guy E. Manning, member of the Board of Health, be and is hereby given leave of absence for sixty days, with permission to leave the State, from and after May 26, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Report of Public Utilities Committee on Extensions of Water Service, Additional Street Cars and Municipal Ownership of Harbors and Wharves.

The following report was presented, read and ordered filed:

San Francisco, May 27, 1912.
To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—

Gentlemen: Your Public Utilities Committee begs leave to report that at its last meeting consideration of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher's resolution regarding water extensions was deferred with the consent of Mr. Gallagher.

The opinion of the City Attorney relating to this subject matter was read and by direction of the committee the clerk has sent to each Supervisor a copy of said opinion.

The clerk also, at the direction of the Committee, wrote the United Railroads, requesting additional service on the Clement avenue line, complaint having been made that an insufficient number of cars were being run to accommodate the patrons of this line.

In response to that letter the United Railroads this day writes the Board that additional cars will be put on the Clement avenue line tomorrow morning.

The petition of John T. Flynn, favoring municipal control of the harbor frontage, wharves, etc., in San Francisco, was presented to the Committee and a hearing set for next Wednesday week.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER VOGELSANG.

GEO. E. GALLAGHER.

BYRON MAUZY.

DANIEL C. MURPHY.

Report of Exposition Committee Relative to Auditorium at Civic Center.

The following report was presented, read and ordered filed:

May 27, 1912.

To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—

Gentlemen: Pursuant to resolution of this Board, your Committees on Exposition and Buildings had a conference last Wednesday morning with the Building and Grounds Committee of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, relating to the construction of the Auditorium in the Civic Center.

The principal topic discussed was the architectural design and the method of getting plans and specifications prepared. It was agreed between the Committees that the better plan is to have the design prepared by the Advisory Board of Architects now in charge of the City's Bureau of Architecture. To accomplish this purpose a resolution was prepared which is to be submitted to the directors of the Panama-Pacific

Exposition Company at its meeting tomorrow.

This resolution reads as follows:

Whereas, the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company has set aside \$1,000,000 for the erection of a monumental auditorium in the Civic Center on land to be supplied by the City and County of San Francisco.

Whereas it is desirable that plans for this auditorium shall be prepared immediately so that the building may be completed at the earliest possible date,

Whereas, a harmonious program and plan of action has been agreed upon by the Buildings and Grounds Committee of the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company, and the Building and Exposition Committee of the Board of Supervisors,

Be it Resolved, That the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company hereby requests the City of San Francisco designate its Advisory Board of Architects as the architects to prepare plans for said auditorium, which plans shall be for a building that will harmonize with all other Civic Center buildings and in the preparation of these plans the Advisory Board of Architects or architect in charge shall be advised and instructed by the Panama-Pacific Exposition directors as to the interior arrangement and space allotments in the said auditorium.

Be it further Resolved, That when the plans for the auditorium shall have been approved by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco and the Panama-Pacific Exposition directors, contracts for the construction of said auditorium shall be let and the work of construction conducted by the Panama-Pacific International Exposition directors.

Awaiting the further advice of the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company, your Committees respectfully report progress.

Respectfully submitted.

WM. MCCARTHY.
PAUL BANCROFT.
J. E. HAYDEN.
ALEX. VOGELSANG.

Report of Finance Committee on Salaries in Department of Education.

The following report was presented, read and ordered filed:

San Francisco, May 27, 1912.

To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—

Gentlemen: Pursuant to the direction of the Board of Supervisors, relative to restoring salaries in the forthcoming budget, your Committee begs leave to report:

All salaries except those in the Board of Education were restored and the budget passed to print as per said resolution.

In the matter of the Board of Education, on direction of the Committee, the Clerk of the Board informed the President of the Board of Education that changes would be made by transferring the necessary amount from the Maintenance fund to the Salary fund to make restorations of salaries of the school department.

Inasmuch as the Board of Education, following the law, had fixed salaries on May 21st, before the budget was taken up by the Board of Supervisors, your Committee did not deem it proper to make these changes and thus create a conflict with the action of the Board of Education. The Board of Education, however, was informed that the Committee would arrange for the readjustment of salaries when the Board of Education amends its action of May 21st. The matter, therefore, rests with the Board of Education. All that is necessary will be for the Board of Education to request the transfer of \$1680 from the Maintenance fund to the Salary fund after July 1st.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. MCCARTHY,

D. C. MURPHY,

Finance Committee.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up and finally passed:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9445 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

Library Fund.

The Emporium, books, S. F. Public Library (claim dated April 30, 1912).....	\$766.49
J. B. McIntyre Bindery Co., binding books, S. F. Public Library (claim dated April 30, 1912).....	632.35

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

McLeran & Peterson, tenth payment, general construction, Polytechnic School shop (claim dated April 25, 1912)	\$3,070.50
Butte Engineering and Electric Co., final payment, electric work, Polytechnic School shop (claim dated April 10, 1912).....	1,323.00

McLeran & Peterson, full and final payment, general construction Polytechnic School shop building (claim dated May 17 1912)	23,545.50	payment, structural steel, Girls' High School (claim dated April 23, 1912)	15,460.00
<i>Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.</i>		<i>San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
The Fay Improvement Co., first payment, street work. O'Farrell street, Powell to Jones streets (claim dated May 4, 1912)	\$2,490.03	Robert Dalziel, Jr., final payment, boiler and boiler room auxiliaries, San Francisco hospitals (claim dated April 29, 1912)	\$1,999.50
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.</i>		Jno. A. Roebling's Sons Co., final payment, electric work, San Francisco Hospitals (claim dated April 19, 1912)	926.00
J. T. O'Brien Co., third payment, sewer construction, Brannan street, First to Embarcadero (claim dated May 7, 1912)	\$9,675.44	Otis Elevator Co., first payment, elevators, San Francisco hospitals (claim dated May 1, 1912)	2,250.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>		<i>General Fund.</i>	
F. Rolandi, sixth payment, North Point main sewer "E" (claim dated May 7, 1912)	\$26,092.98	W. W. Wymore, basalt blocks (claim dated May 2, 1912)	\$606.00
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., eighth payment, North Point main sewer "D-2" (claim dated May 7, 1912)	3,743.25	John Cassaretto, hauling, repairs to streets and sewers (claim dated May 1, 1912)	790.00
Contra Costa Construction Co., second payment, Ingle side outlet sewer "C" (claim dated May 8, 1912)	9,707.54	Walter Hough & Co., fifth payment, general construction, Bay View Police Station (claim dated April 25, 1912)	2,995.50
Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co., Assignee Keystone Construction Co., twelfth payment, Mission street sewer, Silver avenue to Bosworth street (claim dated May 8, 1912)	1,384.50	Spring Valley Water Co., water for street sprinkling, month of April, 1912 (claim dated May 4, 1912)	579.60
<i>Hauling and Laying Pipe, Fire Protection Bond Fund. 1908.</i>		Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated May 1, 1912)	1,152.28
R. C. Storrie & Co., second payment, contract 44 (claim dated May 8, 1912)	\$21,953.70	Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated May 1, 1912)	1,015.10
Coast Improvement Co., sixth payment, contract 48 (claim dated May 6, 1912)	17,132.96	H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, Relief Home (claim dated April 30, 1912)	1,925.29
Michael Murphy, sixth payment, contract 50 (claim dated May 7, 1912)	11,747.72	Phillips & Van Orden Co., printing precinct supplement to Great Register (claim dated May 3, 1912)	4,011.51
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>		Phillips & Van Orden Co., printing sample and official ballots (claim dated May 2, 1912)	1,170.00
General Electric Construction Co., fourth payment, electrical work, Lowell High School (claim dated April 29, 1912)	\$510.00	Peter Cauby, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated May 1, 1912)	643.50
National Surety Co., assignee of G. D. Patterson Co., final payment, general construction, Franklin School (claim dated February 23, 1912)	3,875.00	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., assignee Keystone Construction Co., eleventh payment, construction Mission street viaduct, southerly section (claim dated May 8, 1912)	13,572.64
The J. Looney Co., second payment, plumbing, Girls' High School (claim dated May 1, 1912)	2,000.25	Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., eleventh payment, construction Mission street viaduct, northerly section (claim dated May 7, 1912)	3,349.98
Ralston Iron Works, final		The Rincon Publishing Co., printing Municipal Record (claim dated May 3, 1912)	609.17

M. G. West Co., metal book racks, Recorder's office (claim dated March 20, 1912)	970.65
Reliance Automobile Co., two Knox motor-driven police patrols (claim dated April 26, 1912)	8,300.00
The Fay Improvement Co., in full, street work, California street, Battery to Front street (claim dated May 4, 1912)	3,274.59
Ayes—Supervisor Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15. Excused from Voting—Supervisor McLeran—1. Absent—Supervisors Bancroft, Jennings—2.	

Resolution No. 9446 ((New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland, repaving over side sewer trenches (claim dated April 2, 1912)..... \$1,063.95

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Cyril Williams Jr., expert services, report on Hetch Hetchy (claim dated May 17, 1912) \$671.45 |

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

F. Rolandi, eighth payment, North Point main sewer "D-3" (claim dated May 2, 1912) \$22,809.63 |

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Enterprise Foundry Co., twenty-first payment, purchase castiron castings (claim dated May 15, 1912) \$2,368.74 |

Byron Jackson Iron Works, eighth payment, multi-stage pumps (claim dated May 13, 1912)..... 4,000.00 |

Polytechnic High School Construction Account, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.

Wm. S. Snook & Sons, second payment, plumbing, Polytechnic shop building (claim dated May 10, 1912) \$1,927.50 |

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

W. P. Fuller & Co., first payment, glass and glazing,

S. F. Hospitals (claim dated May 11, 1912)..... \$7,056.25
Robert Dalziel Jr., final payment, piping for tunnel work, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated April 29, 1912) 4,462.50 |

General Fund.

J. M. Christen, cows, Relief Home (claim dated May 6, 1912) \$750.00 |

State of California, maintenance of minors, Preston School of Industry (claim dated May 6, 1912) 775.70 |

Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin county, Cal., maintenance of minors (claim dated May 1, 1912)..... 1,782.33 |

The Boys and Girls Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 30, 1912) 603.16 |

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 1, 1912) 1,282.44 |

Sister Mary Caine, Supt. Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 30, 1912) 1,087.26 |

St. Vincent De Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 30, 1912) 3,952.35 |

Consolidated Motor Car Co., Pope Hartford automobile No. 12402, furnished Fire Department (claim dated May 3, 1912) 4,950.00 |

Somers & Co., oats furnished Fire Department (claim dated May 8, 1912)..... 1,460.81 |

Scott, Magner & Miller, hay, furnished Fire Department (claim dated May 8, 1912) 1,403.98 |

Moore & Scott Iron Works, repairs to fireboat "David Scannell" (claim dated April 19, 1912)..... 1,709.00 |

J. B. Horan, 7 horses, Fire Department (claim dated April 25, 1912)..... 1,750.00 |

D. Demartini, garbage removal, Fire Department (claim dated April 30, 1912) 570.00 |

Thos. Morton & Son, coal, Fire Department (claim dated April 30, 1912)..... 1,727.50 |

Western Lime & Cement Co., sand, Board of Public Works (claim dated May 6, 1912) 1,538.05 |

Miller & Lux, Inc., meats,

Relief Home (claim dated April 30, 1912).....	1,665.47
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, Relief Home (claim dated May 7, 1912).....	919.94
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 30, 1912)	605.83
Herbert F. Dugan, drugs, etc., City and County Hospital (claim dated May 15, 1912)	607.56
Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCartney, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.	

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9447 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For plans and specifications, and for inspection during construction of the Washington Irving School, to be expended by the Board of Public Works, out of school construction account, public building fund, bond issue 1908\$ 4,000.00

For permanent construction at Lake Eleanor and Hetch Hetchy valley; to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of water construction fund, bond issue July 1, 1910..... 12,500.00

For moving and fitting up departments in Temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice, additional appropriation; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc., account" 5,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Resolution No. 9448 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:

For equipment of John Swett School with Manual Training and Domestic Science Laboratories, out of School

construction account, Public Building fund, bond issue 1908\$1300.00

For fee and traveling expenses of Umpire Architect Walter Cook in City Hall-Civic Center competition; out of item "For paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." 1500.00

For inspection during construction of certain schools; out of School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908.....1500.00

For resurvey of Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, and the computations, compilations and mapping of the Market Street Homestead during the month of June, 1912; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc" 3,500.00

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Providing \$1245 for Construction of Septic Tank in Golden Gate Park.

Resolution No. 9449 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$1245 be and the same is hereby set aside and made available out of the general fund for the construction of a septic tank in Golden Gate Park to take care of flow of sewage from adjacent streets, the said amount having been subscribed and deposited with the treasurer to the credit of the general fund; to be expended by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Authorizing Appointment of Coupon Clerk.

Bill No. 2132, Ordinance No. 1895 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the appointment by the Treasurer of a bond coupon deputy, and fixing the compensation of said bond coupon deputy."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Oil, Garage and Laundry Permits.

Resolution No. 9450 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revoc-

able permits are hereby granted, to-wit:

Storage Tanks.

German Savings and Loan Society, southwest corner of Haight and Belvedere streets; capacity 1800 gallons.

Knights of Columbus Hall Association, north side of Golden Gate avenue, 200 feet west of Jones street; capacity 1500 gallons.

A. B. Spreckels, west side of Front street, 30 feet north of Market street; capacity 1500 gallons.

Garage.

Pacific Taximeter Cab Company, north side of Bush street, between Polk and Larkin streets.

Laundries.

Gee Oak Sin, hand laundry, south side of St. Charles Place, 68 feet 9 inches east of Kearny street.

Lee Loy, 1508 Lyon street.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

(Andrew J. Gallagher was permitted to vote nay on the laundries and aye on the remainder of the resolution.)

Boiler, Oil and Garage Permits.

Resolution No. 9451 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted, to-wit:

Boiler.

R. Rosenberg & Sons Co., Townsend street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, 15 horsepower.

Storage Tank.

O'Brien-Kiernan Realty Co., 1750 Mission street; capacity 2,000 gallons.

Garage.

C. Demetrak, 72 Commercial street.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9452 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That C. L. Huggins is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in premises situate east of Corbett avenue and Sloat Boulevard in the Sutro Forest property, for the purpose of clearing off said property; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Pub-

lic Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said above named company, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Resolution No. 9453 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in lot situate at the southwest corner of Zoe and Bryant streets, being the site of proposed Shreve building, for the purpose of removing old concrete footings; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said above named company, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9454 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

Frank Denatale, at corner of Whittier and Mission streets (rear), for one horse.

S. Travessare, in north side of Bay street, 30 feet west of Leavenworth street (rear), for two horses.

Clarence Sheffer, in north side of Fairmount street, 165 feet 3 inches west of Chenery street (rear), for two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Resolution No. 9455 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain a stable at the hereinafter described location:

R. H. Farmer, in rear of 1709 Mission street, west side of Thirteenth street, south of Mission street, for the accommodation of 22 additional horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Resolution No. 9456 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named persons to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

W. B. Meckfessel, at northeast corner of Bryant street and Morris avenue, for 15 horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Prohibiting Use of Roller Towel.

Bill No. 2110, Ordinance No. 1896 (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance prohibiting the use of a common towel, such as is known as the 'roller towel,' or any towel for common use in certain places."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Traffic Ordinance Amended.

Bill No. 2116, Ordinance No. 1897 (New Series), amending sections 42, 43, 54 and 83 of Ordinance No. 1857

(New Series), entitled, "Regulating moving travel and traffic upon the streets and other public places" etc., approved March 26, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Taxicab Ordinance.

Bill No. 2113, Ordinance No. 1898 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the use of Hackney carriages, automobiles, taxicabs and other public passenger vehicles, fixing the rates to be charged for the transportation of persons and personal baggage, regulating the use of boats in the waters of the bay, providing a punishment for any violation thereof and repealing Order No. 1611, Ordinances Nos. 446, 1033 and 514 (New Series)."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher, acting Chairman of Building Committee, *indefinitely postponed*:

Authorizing Payment of \$1500 to Wm. G. Fanning for Certain Land on Girard and Wilde Streets Required for Fire Department Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of fifteen hundred (\$1500) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the item of the Budget of 1911-12, "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes", in payment to William G. Fanning and wife, as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, of dimensions 50 feet frontage on Girard street by a uniform depth of 120 feet along Wilde street. Bein- Lot No. 8 of Block 34, Paul Tract Homestead Association, required for Fire Department purposes.

Final Passage.

The following resolution, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9457 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That extensions of time are hereby granted to the following contractors for the construction of the Lowell High School building, to-wit:

To Elmer Carlson, ninety days' time from and after May 24, 1912, for the general construction of said building, for the reason of the site being occupied by buildings which were not removed for three months.

To V. J. Belknap, ninety days' time from and after May 5, 1912, for plumbing work on said school building, for the reason that the finishing plumbing cannot be installed until the contractors on the building complete their work; and further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution be and is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS (Out of Order).

Proposals, to the number of 242, for furnishing subsistence and maintenance supplies for use in the various public institutions and departments for the fiscal year 1912-1913, were received, opened, and referred to the *Supplies Committee*.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS (Continued).

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9458 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That John Daniels is hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after May 13, 1912, within which to complete contract for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section "G" of the North Point Main Sewers under public contract No. 45.

This extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed May 10, 1912, for the reason that the work was delayed by the presence of a thirty-nine inch Spring Valley Water main across the trench; and be it further.

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2117, Ordinance No. 1899 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Geary street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third avenues; crossing of Coleridge street and Virginia avenue; Dolores street, between Twenty-sixth and Army streets, except that portion thereof reserved for parking; crossing of Greenwich and Scott streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2118, Ordinance No. 1900 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Henry street, between Castro street and its westerly termination; crossing of Anza street and Twentieth avenue; Tenth avenue, between Balboa and Cabrillo streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2119, Ordinance No. 1901 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Alabama street, crossing of Precita avenue, and on Precita avenue, between Florida and Harrison streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Bill No. 2120, Ordinance No. 1902 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Precita avenue and on Army street, between York and Bryant streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Bill No. 2121, Ordinance No. 1903 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Parker avenue, between a line 450 feet northerly from Turk street and Geary street, and in St. Rose's street, between Boyce street and Johnston avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Mur-

dock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Bill No. 2122, Ordinance No. 1904 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Clement street, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth avenues, and on Seventeenth avenue at the crossing of Clement street."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Bill No. 2123, Ordinance No. 1905 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Flood avenue, between Circular avenue and Detroit street, and on Congo street, between Hearst and Circular avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Bill No. 2124, Ordinance No. 1906 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Hearst avenue, between a line parallel with and 300 feet easterly from the easterly line of Edna street and Foerster street; and on Edna street, between Sunnyside and Flood avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Bill No. 2125, Ordinance No. 1907 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Detroit street, between Staples and Circular avenues; on Judson avenue, between Circular avenue and Detroit street; and on Circular avenue, between Staples avenue and Detroit street."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Bill No. 2126, Ordinance No. 1908 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Wayland street, between Bowdoin street and the westerly line of Dartmouth street, and on Dartmouth street, between a line 200 feet southerly from the southerly line of Wayland street and a line 175 feet northerly from the northerly line of said Wayland street."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew

J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Dedicating Parked Portions of Dolores Street.

Bill No. 2127, Ordinance No. 1909 (New Series), entitled, "Dedicating the parked portions of Dolores street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets; Twenty-fifth to Twenty-sixth streets, and between Twenty-seventh and Thirtieth streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Ordering Sewer Work, Ocean Avenue, Between Lee and Phelan Avenues.

Bill No. 2128, Ordinance No. 1910 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Ocean avenue from Lee avenue to Phelan avenue, approving and adopting plans and specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing of said work at an estimated cost of four thousand (\$4000) dollars, out of the proceeds of sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, for the doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Ordering Street and Sewer Work.

Bill No. 2129, Ordinance No. 1911 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following work:

That the intersection of Sickles avenue and Sears street be improved by constructing granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, by paving the roadway thereof with an asphalt pavement, consisting of a 6-inch concrete foundation and a 2-inch asphaltic wearing surface; and by constructing a brick cesspool (catchbasin) with castiron frame, grating and trap and 10-inch vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe culvert on the easterly corner thereof.

That the crossing of Bosworth and

Cuvier streets be improved by constructing granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof with an asphalt pavement, consisting of a six (6) inch concrete foundation and a two (2) inch asphaltic wearing surface, excepting on that portion thereof required by law to be kept in repair by the railroad company having tracks thereon.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

An eighteen (18) inch with opening brick manhole with castiron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Twentieth avenue, between the northerly and center lines of Balboa street; an eight (8) inch along the center line of Twentieth avenue, between the center and southerly line of Balboa street; and an eight (8) inch along the center line of Balboa street, between the easterly and westerly lines of Twentieth avenue.

That Eighth avenue, between Moraga and Noriega streets, be improved by grading to official line and grade.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Harden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Changing Certain Street Names.

Bill No. 2133, Ordinance No. 1912 (New Series), entitled, "Changing the names of certain streets within the City and County of San Francisco:

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

The names of the certain streets as shown upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco, are hereby changed as follows:

Garden lane to Gorham street.
Jarnac street to Santa Rosa avenue.
Bond street to Plum street.
Golden State avenue to Granada avenue.

East Railroad avenue to Niantic avenue.

West Railroad avenue to Code street.
Merced avenue to San Mateo avenue.
Shiller street (Hillcrest tract) to De Long street.

Wall street to Wright street.

Section 2. The Assessor, the Board of Public Works and the City Engineer are hereby requested to change their records, plats and maps in conformity herewith.

Section 3. All orders and ordinances and parts of orders and ordinances which conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauz, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2134, Ordinance No. 1913 (New Series):

Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the Ocean Shore Railroad Company, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track across Vermont and Kansas streets, connecting the main tracks of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company with the garbage incinerator on lot situate at the south side of Army street, between Kansas and Rhode Island streets.

Permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to the Ocean Shore Railroad Company to construct, maintain and operate a spur track across Vermont and Kansas streets, connecting the main tracks of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company with the garbage incinerator on lot situate at the south side of Army street between Kansas and Rhode Island streets.

Said permission is granted subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 69 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors, approved October 12, 1906, and particular reference is hereby made to Section 8 of said ordinance, reading as follows:

The railway operating any spur track on any public street or property hereafter constructed in the City and County shall, upon demand of the person, firm or corporation for the use or benefit of which such spur track is operated, place upon such spur track the freight cars of any railway which has, in this City and County, track connections with the operating railway. Such cars so placed to be used for the receipt and delivery of freight in carloads only. And the operating railway shall receive and deliver the cars of the connecting railway over, at and upon such connecting track in the performance of such switching service for such persons, firms or corporations, and such railway shall perform such service without undue delay or discrimination. The operating railway shall perform such service for the same charge or rate that it charges for corresponding service for its own cars upon the spur track for like purpose. The provisions of this section shall apply only to such portions of such spur tracks as are not constructed, maintained or operated upon or across private land, and no permit for a spur track shall hereafter

be granted by the Board of Supervisors which does not specifically contain the provisions and conditions of this section.

The rights hereby granted are upon the following conditions, to-wit:

1. The Ocean Shore Railway Company shall construct said spur track without any cost to the City for the labor or material involved thereby.

2. All materials of every character which may be used by the Ocean Shore Railway Company in the construction of said spur track, shall remain the property of the railroad company, and if use of said track shall at any time be discontinued said materials may be removed by said railroad company with permission of the Board of Supervisors.

3. The Ocean Shore Railway Company, its successors or assigns, shall pave the roadway of the streets over which said spur track is operated, with the same material as may be used on the contiguous portion of the streets over which this spur track extends, embraced within the space occupied by their track or tracks, between the rails, between their tracks and two feet on either side.

4. Provided that no car or train shall at any time be allowed to stand on said track so as to block or obstruct a street crossing to exceed five (5) minutes.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2135, Ordinance No. 1914 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following street work:

That the crossing of Lawton street and Forty-sixth avenue be improved by grading to official line and grade, constructing redwood curbs and broken rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof, and by paving the roadway thereof with a broken rock pavement.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Full Acceptance, Moraga Street and Tenth Avenue.

Bill No. 2136, Ordinance No. 1915 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Moraga street and Tenth avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Annuling Contract and Forfeiting Bond, J. Von Loben Sels.

Bill No. 2137, Ordinance No. 1916 (New Series), Declaring forfeited and annulled that certain contract made and entered into by and between the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco and James F. Van Loben Sels on the 20th day of September, 1911; and authorizing and directing said Board of Public Works to enter into a new contract for the performance of such portion of the work specified and contemplated in the said mentioned contract as remains incompleated and permitting progressive payments; and for the purpose of defraying the cost thereof, authorizing the expenditure of the funds remaining unexpended out of the appropriation heretofore made by Ordinance No. 1376 (New Series), approved November 9, 1910, for the doing of the work provided for in said contract; and declaring forfeited to the City and County of San Francisco the bond executed and delivered for the faithful performance of said contract.

Be it ordained by the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. In accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco, contained in Resolution No. 17677 (Second Series), of said Board of Public Works, passed on May 15, 1912, that certain contract made and entered into by and between the said Board of Public Works and James F. Van Loben Sels on the 20th day of September, 1911, for the performance of certain public work, to-wit: the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section "C-2" of the North Point Main Sewer, is hereby declared forfeited and annulled.

Section 2. The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a new contract for the performance of such portion of said work mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance and specified and contemplated in said contract, mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance, as remains incompleated, in accordance with the plans and specifications heretofore pre-

pared and filed with the said Board of Public Works for the doing of said work mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance.

Section 3. The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said new contract that progressive payments shall be made in accordance with Section 21 of Chapter I of Article VI of the Charter.

Section 4. For the purpose of defraying the cost of said incompleting work, the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to expend the funds remaining unexpended out of the appropriation heretofore made by Ordinance No. 1376 (New Series), approved November 9, 1910.

Section 5. The bond executed and delivered by said James F. Van Loben Sels for the faithful performance of said contract is hereby declared forfeited to the City and County of San Francisco.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take force and effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$293,364.74 and entered in Register of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 18,530 to 18,869, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are here-

by authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Southern Pacific Co., freight on cast iron pipe, Anniston, Alabama (claim dated May 8, 1912) \$ 1,598.56

Chas. C. Moore & Co., eighth payment, mechanical equipment, Pumping Station No. 1 (claim dated May 22, 1912) 25,000.00

U. S. Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co., fifth payment, cast iron pipe, Contract No. 55 (claim dated May 15, 1912) 2,234.36

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

John G. Sutton Co., full and final payment, plumbing, Nurses' Home, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated May 8, 1912) \$3,300.00

Columbia Marble Co., third payment, marble work, San Francisco hospitals (claim dated May 13, 1912) 3,262.50

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Central Electric Co., final payment, electric work, Peabody School (claim dated August 23, 1911) \$ 587.50

McSheehy Bros., final payment, general construction, Peabody School (claim dated May 9, 1912) 5,000.00

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., ninth payment, North Point main sewer "D 2" (claim dated May 16, 1912) \$21,722.35

Garbage Incinerator, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

The Destructor Company, second payment, Islais Creek, general construction (claim dated May 22, 1912) \$11,278.50

General Fund.

Westdahl-Hennessey Co., in full, street work, Corbett avenue (claim dated May 21, 1912) \$3,901.84

Phillips & Van Orden, lithographing maps (claim dated May 2, 1912) 1,367.00

Brown & Power Stationery Co., printing, Election Commissioners (claim dated May 17, 1912) 1,640.00

M. A. Terry, for furnishing lamps, chairs, etc., for

election booths (claim dated May 15, 1912)..... 1,591.32
 Whitcomb Estate, by James Otis, trustee, rent for temporary City Hall, Market street near Eighth street, March 26 to April 30, 1912 (claim dated May 6, 1912).. 2,775.00

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For repairs and alterations to Fire Department houses Nos. 10 and 26; out of balance in moneys heretofore appropriated and set aside for the construction of "Engine House No. 28," out of item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, etc."..... \$3,000.00

For the reconstruction of, repairs to, and equipment of School Department buildings for the month of June, 1912; to be expended by the Board of Public Works, out of item "For the reconstruction of, repairs to, and equipment of School Department buildings"..... 5,000.00

For general repairs to public buildings other than school buildings, during the month of June, 1912; to be expended by the Board of Public Works, out of item "For paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."..... 5,000.00

Providing \$40,000 to Pay Unpaid Bills For Street and Sewer Work.

Also Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of forty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the item in the budget for "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc.," for the payment of accumulated and unpaid bills for street and sewer work, during the year 1911-12, and for street and sewer work during the month of June, 1912.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Special Construction Building for Ashbury Heights Pump House.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy:

J. R. No. 237.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the construction of a "Special Construction Building for the Ashbury Heights Pump House," in accordance with plans and specifications filed with the Board of Supervisors, which are hereby approved.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the opening of the bids, and the amounts bid. When this is done the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors will set aside a sum sufficient out of the item "Public Building Fund, Fire Protection Bonds, Issue, 1908," to cover the award of contract.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Action Deferred.

The following resolutions were presented, and on motion of Supervisor McLaren *laid over one week*:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Construction of Fire House at Intersection of Girard and Wilde Streets.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the construction of a firehouse on property situate at the intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, in accordance with plans and specifications filed with the Board of Supervisors, which are hereby approved.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the opening of the bids, and the amounts bid. When this is done the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors will set aside a sum sufficient out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes." to cover the award of contract.

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Construction of Fire House on Twelfth Avenue South of Geary Street.

Also, J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the construction of a fire house on property situate on the west side of Twelfth avenue, 225 feet south of Geary street in accordance with plans and

specifications filed with the Board of Supervisors which are hereby approved.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the opening of the bids, and the amounts bid. When this is done the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors will set aside a sum sufficient out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes" to cover the award of contract.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Oil and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution, No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

M. Fleishacker, southeast corner of Grant avenue and Bush street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Old Homestead Bakery, Inc., corner of Nineteenth and Shotwell streets, for 8500 additional gallons capacity.

M. Studlinski, southwest corner of Post and Scott streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Rose A. Buckingham and Geo. A. Luchsinger, south side of Golden Gate avenue, 167 feet 6 inches east of Laguna street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Crocker Estate Company, east corner of Market and Ecker street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Franklin Realty Company, southeast corner of Franklin and Fell streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Mrs. I. Strauss, north side of Union street, 100 feet west of Fillmore street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Boilers.

No-Air Fire Filling Company, 1665 Van Ness avenue, capacity 10 horsepower.

Old Homestead Bakery Inc., corner of Nineteenth and Shotwell streets, capacity 55 horsepower.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: J. R. No. 238.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission be and the same is hereby denied Fred S. Jacques to conduct a

public garage at No. 1415 Larkin street.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named persons to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

Manuel Lucas, on east side of Kansas street, 125 feet north of Twenty-third street (rear) for one cow.

F. Cordina, at 23 Mullen avenue (rear), for one horse.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Professional Boxing Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 240.

Resolved, That the following named domestic incorporated athletic clubs are hereby granted permission to hold class "A" boxing exhibitions during the months set opposite their respective names, said clubs having paid the required license fee, for the year ending December 31, 1912; provided such boxing exhibitions shall be held subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 1791 (New Series), to wit:

Shasta Athletic Club, May, 1912.
Humboldt Athletic Club, June, 1912.

Tuxedo Club, July, 1912.

Canal Club, August, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolutions were passed for printing:

Extensions of Time.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following extensions of time are hereby granted contractors on construction of the San Francisco Hospital, to wit:

McSheehy Bros., ninety days' time from and after May 25, 1912, to complete the carpenter work, for the reason that the contract cannot be completed until certain portions of the work is completed by other contractors.

Lowry & Daly, ninety days' time from and after June 9, 1912, to complete the interior tiling, for the reason that their contract cannot be completed until other contractors install certain portions of their work; and be it further

Resolved, That the necessary advertising charges for printing this resolution be and the same are hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

No—Supervisor Koshland—1.

Absent—Supervisors Bancroft, Jennings—2.

Authorization, \$1600, to Wm. G. Fanning and Wife at Girard and Wilde Streets for Fire Department Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of sixteen hundred (\$1,600) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the item of the Budget of 1911-12, "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes", in payment to William G. Fanning and wife, as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, of dimensions 50 feet frontage on Girard street by a uniform depth of 120 feet along Wilde street.

Being Lot No. 8 of Block 34, Paul Tract Homestead Association, required for Fire Department purposes.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Transferring School Lot to Fire Department.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9459 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, A communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners was filed May 21, 1912, requesting the Board of Supervisors to make formal transfer to the Fire Department of the certain school lot commencing at a point 120 feet west of Twelfth avenue and 225 feet south from Geary street; thence running

west 40 feet; thence south 50 feet; thence east 40 feet; thence north 50 feet to point of commencement; the same being adjacent to lot already transferred to said Fire Department by Resolution No. 8412 (New Series); being a portion of Block No. 272, Richmond District; and

Whereas, The Board of Education has by resolution consented to the transfer of said described lot for Fire Department purposes, and requesting transfer to be made; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said hereinabove described school lot be and the same is hereby transferred to the control of the Board of Fire Commissioners for use and purposes of the Fire Department.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Offer of Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church South to Sell Certain Land on Bush Street East of Octavia Street for Lowell High School Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9460 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from the Board of Trustees of the Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church South of San Francisco, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition, Block No. 158, the said land being required as additional site to the Lowell High School (communication from the Board of Education, filed April 5, 1912, and City Attorney, filed May 7, 1912); and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of the Board of Trustees of Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church South of San Francisco, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, for the sum of \$22,000.00, payable out of the School Construction Account of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904, be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Bush street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Octavia street; running thence easterly along said southerly line of Bush street 68 feet 9 inches; thence at a right angle south-

erly 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle westerly 68 feet 9 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 137 feet 6 inches to the said southerly line of Bush street and point of commencement, being a portion of Western Addition, Block No. 158.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnery Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the city and county upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$22,000 to Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church South for Certain Land Required for Lowell High School.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$22,000.00 be set aside and authorized to be expended out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904, in payment to the Board of Trustees of Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church South of San Francisco, as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the southerly line of Bush street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Octavia street, of dimensions 68 feet 9 inches frontage by a uniform depth of 137 feet 6 inches, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 158, the said land being required as additional site for the Lowell High School.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Accepting Offer of Wm. G. Fanning and Wife to Sell for \$1600 Certain Land at Girard and Wilde Streets, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9461 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Wm. G. Fanning and wife (communication from City Attorney, filed April 27, 1912, and May 11, 1912, correcting the prior communication) to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land in the Paul Tract Homestead Association, which land is required for Fire Department purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is the reasonable value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of Wm. G. Fanning and wife to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all encumbrances, for the sum of sixteen hundred (\$1,600) dollars, be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point of intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street; thence running northwesterly along said southwesterly line of Girard street 50 feet; thence at a right angle southwesterly 120 feet; thence at a right angle southeasterly 50 feet to the northwesterly line of Wilde street; thence at a right angle northeasterly along said northwesterly line of Wilde street 120 feet to the southwesterly line of Girard street and the point of commencement, being Lot No. 8 of Block 34, Paul Tract Homestead Association, as per map thereof filed in the office of the County Recorder May 16, 1871.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the title is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes up to and including the current fiscal year are paid, and the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the purpose of procuring the same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed for said land to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid; and be it further

Resolved, That Resolution No. 9429 (New Series) be and is hereby repealed, and the resolution authorizing the expenditure of \$1,500.00, passed to print May 6, 1912, be and is hereby indefinitely postponed.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,

Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Clerk to Advertise for Proposals for Journal of Proceedings, Calendars, Decisions of Supreme and Appellate Courts.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 241.

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to advertise that sealed proposals will be received on Monday, June 17th, at 3 p.m., for the printing of the Journal of Proceedings and Calendars of the Board of Supervisors, Daily Trial and Law and Motion Calendars, and Decisions of the Supreme and Appellate Courts for the fiscal year 1912-13, in accordance with specifications to be prepared by the Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Closing, Abandoning and Vacating Malloy Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9462 (New Series), as follows:

Closing, abandoning and vacating Malloy street between the westerly line of Dolores street and the easterly boundary line of the lands or right of way of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

Whereas, There appears on the official map of the City and County of San Francisco a certain street known as Malloy street between the westerly line of Dolores street and the easterly boundary line of the lands or right of way of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, being portion of Block 30, Fairmount Tract; and

Whereas, Said street was heretofore delineated on a certain map filed by R. H. Sinton and G. C. Webb in the office of the Recorder of said city and county March 12, 1864, and is now delineated as such street on the official map of said city and county; and

Whereas, Said street has never been opened or used as a public street; and

Whereas, This Board has by Resolution No. 9362 (New Series), declared its intention of closing and abandoning the said Malloy street; and

Whereas, Notice of said intention of such proposed closing and abandonment of said Malloy street was duly given by the Board of Public Works of this city and county by posting and publication in the manner and for the time specified in Section 3 of Chapter

III, of Article VI, of the charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that public interest and convenience require the closing and abandonment of said Malloy street; and

Whereas, No person has objected to the closing, abandonment and vacation of said Malloy street, and the time allowed by law for making such objections having expired,

Now, therefore, Be it resolved that that certain street in the City and County of San Francisco known as Malloy street, between the westerly line of Dolores street and the easterly boundary line of the lands or right of way of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company and being part of Block No. 30, Fairmount Tract, heretofore delineated as such street on a certain map filed by R. H. Sinton and G. C. Webb in the office of the Recorder of said city and county, March 12, 1864, and now delineated as said street on the official map of said city and county, is hereby closed up, abandoned, vacated and expunged from said city map, and the Board of Public Works, the City Engineer and the Assessor of said city and county are hereby required to take notice of the provisions of this resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Amendment to "Traffic Ordinance."

Supervisor Hayden presented:

Bill No. 2130, Amending Section 21 of Ordinance No. 1857 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating moving travel and traffic upon the streets and other public places," etc., approved March 26, 1912, the provisions of which permit vehicles to stand on Market street from First street to The Embarcadero, and on Montgomery street, from California street northerly.

Recommended.

Supervisor George E. Gallagher moved bill be recommitted to the *Streets Committee*.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—14.

Noes—Supervisors Hayden, Hocks—2.

Absent—Supervisors Bancroft, Jennings—2.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Establishing Grades.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Bill No. 2139, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Trenton street between Jackson and Pacific streets."

Also, Bill No. 2140, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled:

"Establishing grades on Annie street, between the southeasterly line of Stevenson street produced, and on Jessie street, between New Montgomery and Third streets."

Changing Grades.

Also, Bill No. 2141, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Day street, between the easterly line of Noe street and the easterly line of Castro street, and in Noe street, between the northerly line of Day street and the northerly line of Thirtieth street."

Also, Bill No. 2142, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Forty-fourth avenue, between Cabrillo and Fulton streets."

Also, Bill No. 2143, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Santa Marina street and on Mission street."

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change of Grades.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9463 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed May 18, 1912, to wit:

On Sacramento street, between Van Ness avenue and the westerly line of Franklin street and on Franklin street at the crossing of Sacramento street be changed and established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations above given therefor.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Also, Resolution No. 9464 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above city base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed May 18, 1912, to wit:

On Genoa place, between Filbert and Union streets and on Filbert street at the intersection with Genoa place be changed and established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations above given therefor and the present official grade on Filbert street at the easterly and westerly line of Genoa place produced.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Board of Public Works to Furnish Detailed Statement of Street and Sewer Work Performed.

Also, J. R. No. 242.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to furnish the Committee on Streets and Sewers with a detail statement of the work that has been done during the preceding week, authorized out of the item in the Budget for the repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Representatives of Board of Public Works to Attend Meetings of Streets Committee.

Also, J. R. No. 243.

Whereas, It is absolutely necessary, in order to give immediate consideration to matters relating to streets and sewers and expeditiously transact the business of the Committee, to have a representative from various departments of the Board of Public Works present at each meeting, therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to direct the hereinafter named persons to attend the regular meetings of the Committee on Streets and Sewers, which are held on Thursday of each week:

A. J. Donovan, Bureau of Streets.

Joseph Linehan, Superintendent of Street Repairs.

John O'Brien, Superintendent of Sewers.

John J. Rogerson, Superintendent of Street Cleaning.

Representative from Bureau of Engineering, familiar with matters relating to installation of the Auxiliary Fire Protection pipes, etc.

O. N. Sanford and R. Cline.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following bill was passed for printing:

Full Acceptance, Pixley Street.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2144, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Pixley street, between Fillmore and Steiner streets."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Award of Contract, Exposition Bonds.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland: Resolution No. 9465 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contract for engraving, printing and delivering to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco on or before August 1, 1912, of five thousand Exposition bonds for the sum of fourteen hundred and seventy-five (\$1475) dollars, is hereby awarded to the Myself-Rollins Bank Note Company in accordance with its bid and the specifications therefor prepared by the Supplies Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Further Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into the contract hereby awarded and to approve the sufficiency of the sureties upon a bond in the sum of one thousand (\$1000) dollars, to be furnished by said the Myself-Rollins Bank Note Company for the faithful performance of the said contract.

All other bids are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Authorizing Sale of Police Department Horses.

Also, Resolution No. 9466 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Supplies Committee is hereby authorized to sell at public auction, after advertising five

days, the following personal property unnecessary for use of the City and County, to wit:

Ten horses heretofore used in the patrol wagon service of the Police Department, but now replaced by motor-driven patrol wagons.

Motion.

Supervisor Giannini moved to amend by striking out "Supplies Committee" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Mayor."

Motion carried.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the resolution as amended was adopted.

Adopted.

Award of Contract, Sprinkler Wagons.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:

Resolution No. 9467 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing to the City and County of San Francisco, two sprinkler wagons for use in the Department of Public Works, for the sum of nine hundred and forty-four (\$944.00) dollars, is hereby awarded to D. D. Lowney in accordance with his bid and the specifications therefor prepared by Supplies Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Further Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into the contract hereby awarded and to approve the sureties upon a bond in the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars, to be furnished by the said D. D. Lowney for the faithful performance of said contract.

All other bids are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Award of Contract, Folding Bunks.

Also, Resolution No. 9468 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and installing seventy-five folding bunks with floss mattresses and gingham check covers in the City Prison, for the sum of six hundred and fifty-six (\$656.25) dollars and twenty-five cents, is hereby awarded The Bernhard Mattress Company, in accordance with the bid and specifications therefor prepared by the Supplies Committee of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Further Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into the contract hereby awarded and to approve the sufficiency of the

sureties upon a bond of five hundred (\$500) dollars, to be furnished by said The Bernhard Mattress Company for the faithful performance of said contract.

All other bids are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland, and on motion ordered *referred to the Judiciary Committee*:

Supplies Committee to Exchange, Sell or Otherwise Dispose of Useless Personal Property of City.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Supplies Committee is hereby authorized and directed to exchange, sell or otherwise dispose of, to the best advantage of the city, all personal property unfit or unnecessary for the city's use, and thereafter make report of such transactions to the Board of Supervisors.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Clerk to Advertise for Stationery, Printed Books and Blanks.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:

J. R. No. 244.

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board, under direction of the Supplies Committee, is hereby directed to advertise a proposal notice inviting bids for furnishing and delivering stationery, printed books and blanks required for the various departments, officers and offices of the City and County for July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, as per schedule prepared therefor by the Supplies Committee.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Absent—Supervisors Bancroft, Jennings—2.

Library Trustees to Ascertain if Andrew Carnegie's Library Offer is Still Open.

On the motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 245.

Whereas, The Board of Supervisors in 1901, by formal resolution, accepted the offer of Mr. Andrew Carnegie to present to the City of San Francisco the sum of \$750,000, to be used for library purposes; and

Whereas, In the eleven years that have elapsed no change of attitude

has been manifested by official act, the matter in the meantime having rested with the Trustees of the Public Library; and

Whereas, The construction of the City Hall and other public buildings in the civic center has revived the suggestion of the said acceptance of said offer; and

Whereas, We deem it necessary to be informed if the gift is still available; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Library Trustees be requested to ascertain as soon as possible if the offer is still open.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MOTIONS AND BILLS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Salaries, Board of Education.

Supervisor Hayden presented the following and moved its adoption under suspension of the rules and vote was recorded:

J. R. No. —

Whereas, the Finance Committee of this Board has recommended to the Board of Education in the matter of their request to readjust the salaries in the office and storeroom of said Board of Education to the extent of \$1,680,000, by transferring from the Maintenance fund to the Salary fund of said Board of Education after July 1, 1912; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it be the sense of this Board that we further recommend to the Board of Education that the salaries in the department at large, embracing instructors in physical culture, supervisors in music, assistants in manual training, supervisors in drawing, assistants in cooking, special teachers in modern languages, supervisors of music in high and commercial schools, assistants in special subjects and assistants in commercial subjects be readjusted in like manner, by transferring \$2,400,000 from the Maintenance to the Salary fund of the Board of Education after July 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan, Vogel-sang—9.

Noes—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—7.

Absent—Supervisors Bancroft, Jennings—2.

Refused Passage.

Supervisor Murphy called attention of the Board to the fact that the char-

ter required a majority vote of the entire Board for the passage of any ordinance or resolution.

Whereupon, his Honor the Mayor, declared that above resolution had been *refused passage*.

Motion Carried.

Thereupon, Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved that it be the sense of the Board of Supervisors that all salaries in the Board of Education that have been reduced be restored.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:
Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan, Vogelsang—9.

Noes—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—7.

Absent—Supervisors Bancroft, Jennings—2.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced, under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Removal of Shacks in Fire Limits.

On motion of Supervisor McLeran: Resolution No. 9469 (New Series):

Resolved. That the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and empowered, in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 1139 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors, to serve notices on owners of buildings within the fire limits, in violation of law, to cause the same to be removed within five days from and after the date of the service of notice, and upon

failure of the owners to comply with said notice, that the Board of Public Works be empowered to cause the following buildings to be removed, viz.:

Northeast corner of Fifth and Mission, Miller & Lux, owners; 125-127 Beale street, A. Klumpke, owner; East line Beale street, 120 feet south of Mission, H. Diers, owner; 250 Mission street, E. A. Howard & Co., owners; 613-615 Washington, T. Wores, owner; 726-734 Washington, W. D. Hobro, owner; northeast corner Turk and Leavenworth, Shainwald, Buckbee, agents; 777 Ellis street, J. J. Doyle, attorney in fact.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Absent—Supervisors Bancroft, Jennings—2.

Condition of Willard Street.

Supervisor Hilmer presented:

Communication—From T. J. Crowley, complaining of the dangerous and unhealthy condition of Willard street.

Ordered *referred to Streets Committee*.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 6:15 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

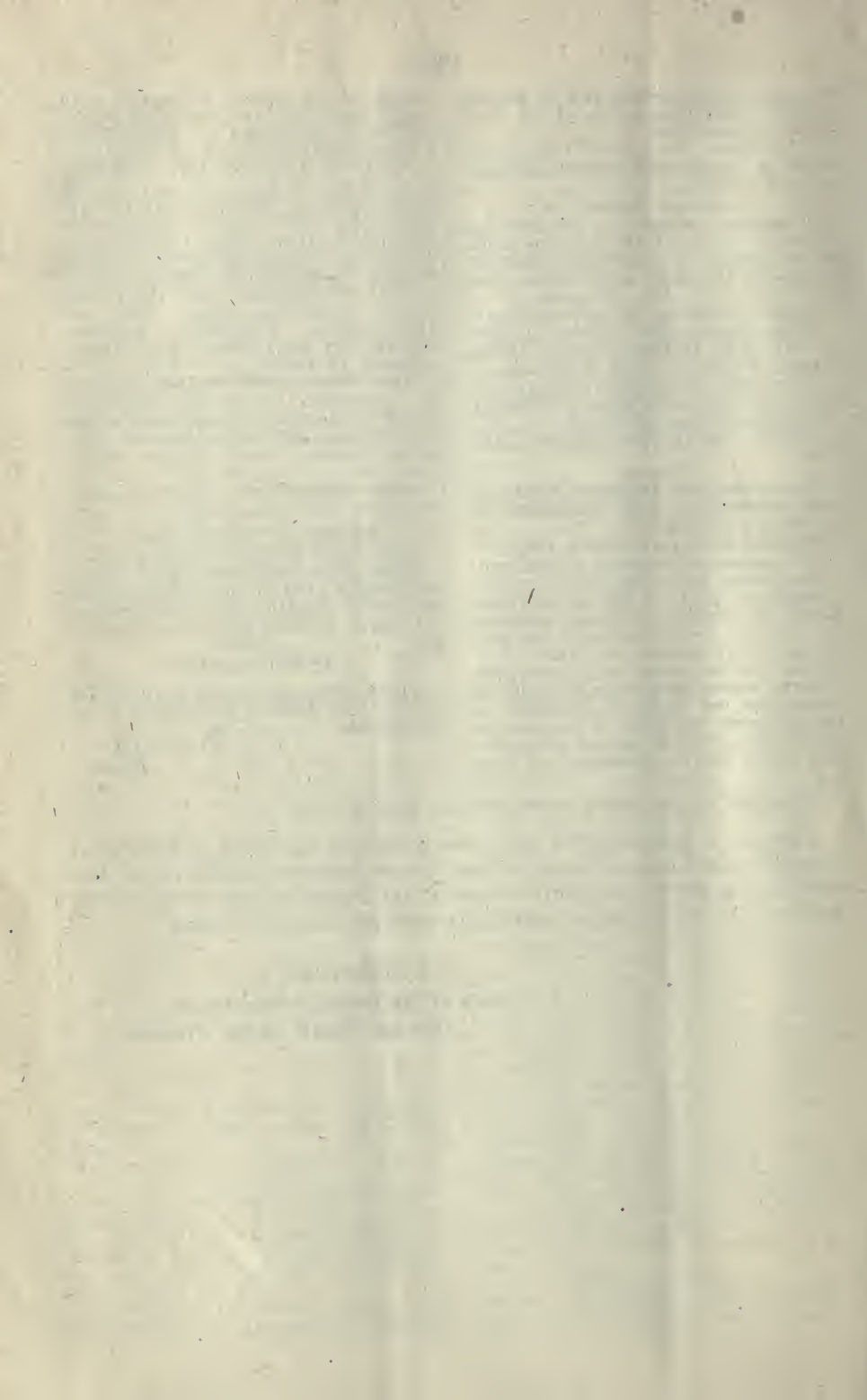
Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 3, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.



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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 1912, 2 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Wednesday, May 29, 1912, 2 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to Resolution No. 9444 (New Series), for the purpose of hearing protestants against construction of Stockton street tunnel, or against the plans and specifications therefor, or against the extent of the assessment district, or against the amount of damages or benefits therefor, or against any act, determination or proceeding of the Board of Supervisors, or the Board of Public Works in connection with said proposed tunnel.

ROLL CALL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—11.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

Statement of Mayor.

His Honor the Mayor thereupon addressed the Board, stating that the purpose of the meeting was to hear property owners who desired to protest against any of the proceedings in the matter of the construction of a tunnel in Stockton street or against the assessment levied or the damages awarded by the Board of Public Works for the construction of said tunnel.

Determining and Declaring Due Publication of Notices, Etc., in Matter of Construction of Stockton Street Tunnel.

Whereupon, the following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Mauzy, read by the Clerk and *adopted*:

Resolution No. 9470 (New Series).

The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco having by Resolution duly fixed this twenty-ninth day of May, 1912, at two o'clock p. m. at the chambers or meeting room of the Board of Supervisors in the City Hall, Number 1231 Market street, in said City and County of San Francisco, as the time and place for hearing all protests and objections filed to the report of the Board of Public

Works heretofore filed in the matter of the construction and completion of a tunnel with approaches and appurtenances thereto in Stockton street, between Sutter street and Sacramento street, in the City and County of San Francisco, pursuant to the Resolution of Intention of the Board of Supervisors in said City and County in that behalf, being Resolution Number 8818, New Series, approved November 9th, 1911;

And there having been filed in said matter with the Board of Supervisors before said hearing and pursuant to the provisions of said Ordinance Number 1651, New Series, of said City and County, passed September 5th, 1911, and approved September 6th, 1911, as amended by Ordinance Number 1721, New Series, of the City and County of San Francisco, passed November 6th, 1911, and approved November 6th, 1911, and by Ordinance Number 1776, New Series, of the City and County of San Francisco, passed January 29th, 1912, and approved January 31st, 1912, certain affidavits showing that the said Resolution of Intention of the Board of Supervisors, the notice of the completion of the posting of the notices provided for in Section Four of said ordinance as amended, the notice of the filing of the said report of the Board of Public Works as required by Section Seven of said Ordinance as amended, and the notice of the time and place of the hearing of protests as provided for by Section Eight of said Ordinance as amended have been published as in said Ordinance as amended required, and also an affidavit showing that the notices required by Section Three of said Ordinance as amended to be posted have been posted in accordance with the requirements of said Section Three, Now therefore,

It is ordered, found and determined by the Board of Supervisors before proceeding with said hearing that the publications and postings referred to in Section Nine of said Ordinance as amended have been made in said matter as required by said Ordinance as amended.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gal-

lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—14.

(At this point in the proceedings Supervisors Caglieri, Hayden and Murdock were noted present and at their request were recorded as voting *aye* on the above Resolution.)

Reading of Protests.

Thereupon the Clerk proceeded and read the following matters:

No. 1—Protest: Of *John Zeeman* and *Margaret Zeeman* against report of Board of Public Works on the ground that their leasehold interest in property at northeast corner of California and Stockton streets is not included in assessment district for damages, which it is alleged will amount to \$18,000.

(Filed May 3, 1912.)

No. 2—From *Jas. P. Dunne*, protesting against portion of report of Board of Public Works as to award for damages to city property at the southeast corner of Bush and Stockton streets in the matter of the construction of the Stockton street tunnel.

(Filed May 10, 1912.)

No. 3—From *T. S. Eastman*, protesting, among other things, that his property is not included in report of Board of Public Works as being damaged by proposed Stockton street tunnel and claiming damages in sum of \$6,000.

(Filed May 10, 1912.)

No. 4—From *Portola Realty Company*, protesting, among other things, that its property is not included in report of Board of Public Works as being damaged by proposed Stockton street tunnel, and claiming damages in sum of \$25,000.

(Filed May 10, 1912.)

No. 5—From *Margaret E. Lees*, protesting, among other things, that her property is not included in report of the Board of Public Works in the matter of the construction of the Stockton street tunnel, and claiming damages in sum of \$15,000.

(Filed May 10, 1912.)

No. 6—From *Harriet McCarthy*, with claim in sum of \$100,000 for damage alleged will accrue to her property at Bush and Stockton streets by reason of the construction of the Stockton street tunnel.

(Filed May 11, 1912.)

No. 7—From *Tillie Lewin*, protesting against portion of report of the Board of Public Works estimating the damages to her property in the sum of \$6,000 by reason of the construction of the proposed Stockton street tunnel and claiming damages in the sum of \$15,000.

(Filed May 13, 1912.)

No. 8—From the *State of California*,

protesting against inclusion of lands belonging to the State in assessment district for the payment of the cost of constructing the Stockton street tunnel.

(Filed May 13, 1912.)

No. 9—From *E. A. Heron*, claiming damages in the sum of \$5,000 by reason of the construction of the proposed Stockton street tunnel, which estimated damage has not been included in the report of the Board of Public Works.

(Filed May 13, 1912.)

No. 10—From *Francis J. Sullivan*, protesting against assessment for the construction of the Stockton street tunnel, alleging same is illegal and excessive.

(Filed May 13, 1912.)

No. 11—From the *British Benevolent Society of California*, protesting against the construction of the Stockton street tunnel and among other things claiming damages in the sum of \$12,000 by reason of the construction of said tunnel which damages has been included in the report of the Board of Public Works.

(Filed May 13, 1912.)

No. 12—From *John S. Leutenegger* and *Louise Leutenegger*, claiming damages in the sum of \$5,000 by reason of the construction of the proposed Stockton street tunnel, which damages has not been included in report of the Board of Public Works.

(Filed May 13, 1912.)

No. 13—From *Julius Bonadurer* and *Caroline Bonadurer*, claiming damages in the sum of \$5,000 by reason of the construction of the proposed Stockton street tunnel, which damages has not been included in the report of the Board of Public Works.

(Filed May 13, 1912.)

No. 14—From the *Wilson Estate Co.*, protesting against portion of report of the Board of Public Works, fixing damages to its property at \$5,602 by reason of the construction of the proposed Stockton street tunnel and claiming damages in the sum of \$50,000.

(Filed May 13, 1912.)

No. 15—From *W. C. Greer et al.*, protesting against report of the Board of Public Works for the reason that his property is not included therein and allowed damages which he claims will be sustained by reason of the construction of the proposed Stockton street tunnel.

(Filed May 13, 1912.)

No. 16—From *Edward Mandonnet*, protesting against the report of the Board of Public Works in the matter of the construction of the Stockton street tunnel, alleging that some of

his property has not been included for damages and that for other pieces damages allowed are inadequate.

(Filed May 13, 1912.)

No. 17—From *Hug Estate* against alleged inadequacy and insufficiency of sum amounting to \$7,882, allowed by Board of Public Works for damages to its property at the southwest corner of Bush and Stockton streets, and presented claim for \$25,000.

(Filed May 17, 1912.)

No. 18—Protest: Of *Mrs. W. F. Morris*, against report of Board of Public Works on damage to her leasehold interest in property on northwest corner of Bush and Stockton streets, and claiming \$6000 additional damages.

(Filed May 28, 1912.)

No. 19. Protest: Of *Annie L. Turner*, owner of lot at northwest corner of Bush and Stockton streets, against construction of Stockton street tunnel, and especially against amount of damages allowed by the Board of Public Works, and presenting claim in sum of \$35,000.

(Filed May 29, 1912.)

No. 20—Protest: From *Consumers' Light and Power Company* against report of Board of Public Works in matter of construction of Stockton street tunnel, alleging that damages in sum of \$17,013.16 will be sustained by reason of construction of Stockton street tunnel.

(Filed May 29, 1912.)

Privilege of the Floor.

As the various protests were read the following representatives of protestants were granted the privilege of the floor:

Emil Pohli thereupon suggested that the Board (1) take up the proposition of whether or not protestants or claimants who filed their protests since the expiration of the time fixed by the general ordinance shall have the privilege of proving their damages now; (2) whether the Board as a whole will hear testimony as to the damages in each individual case, or whether it will be left to a committee or other official of the municipality. He believed that if such preliminary questions were first determined it would save time and expedite matters.

R. B. Treat, attorney, representing *John Zeeman* and *Margaret M. Zeeman*, and *Tillie Lewin*, addressed the Board on behalf of the first-named client, stating that no allowance had been made by the Board of Public Works for the damage he alleged would accrue to the leasehold interest his clients had in property at northeast corner of Stockton and California streets, and claimed damages in the sum of \$18,000 by reason of loss sus-

tained in the way of loss of business during construction of tunnel, and permanent damage by reason of the fact that traffic on Stockton street when tunnel is completed will be diverted by reason of long flight of stairs necessary to reach their premises.

On behalf of *Tillie Lewin* he stated that the Board of Public Works allowed damages amounting to \$6000 to cover her property on westerly line of Stockton street, 137 feet 6 inches north of Sutter street; whereas, the loss really sustained to her property she alleges to be \$15,000.

E. de los Magee, representing *T. S. Eastman*, *Portola Realty Company*, *Margaret E. Lees*, *E. A. Heron*, and the *British Benevolent Society of California*, also addressed the Board.

On behalf of *T. S. Eastman* he stated that the report of the Board of Public Works did not allow for damage to his client's lot on Stockton street, 45 feet northerly from California, on which he claimed damages amounting to \$6000 for the reason that traffic on Stockton street from California street northerly will be cut off, and property otherwise made less accessible.

On behalf of the *Portola Realty Company* he claimed damages in sum of \$25,000, to cover its properties on the southwest corner of Stockton and California, on west side of Stockton street commencing 176 feet 6 inches south of California; the northwest corner of Pine and Stockton streets, and on the west side of Stockton street, commencing 40 feet north of Pine street, on the ground that traffic on Stockton street would be diverted, properties cut off by reason of grade changes, inability to use properties and increased cost of building if tunnel is constructed.

On behalf of *Margaret E. Lees*, owner of lot and *Leesmont Apartment*, he claimed damage in the amount of \$15,000, due to practical closing of traffic on Stockton street from California street northerly during construction of tunnel, and also due to the fact that property will front on a closed street instead of an open street when work is finished.

On behalf of *E. A. Heron* and the *British Benevolent Society* he claimed damages amounting to \$5000 and \$12,000, respectively, for reasons similar practically to those stated above in regard to properties of *Zeeman*, *Tillie Lewin* and *Margaret E. Lees*.

Wm. N. McCarthy, representing *Harriet McCarthy*, claimed damage in the sum of \$100,000 to land and improvements at northeast corner of Bush and Stockton streets, by reason of proposed construction of Stockton street tunnel.

Jno. T. Nourse, representing the State of California, protested against the inclusion of certain lands belonging to the State in the assessment district for the proposed Stockton street tunnel, on the ground that all of the said property is and has been devoted to public use.

Emil Pohli, attorney, representing John S. Leutenegger et al., and Julius Bonadurer et al., protested against the report of the Board of Public Works, on the ground that the properties of his clients were not included in the assessment district, and awarded damages for alleged loss that will be sustained by reason of construction of proposed tunnel. He claimed damages in the sum of \$5000 to property on west side of Stockton street, 160 feet 6 inches south of Pine street, on behalf of Jno. S. Leutenegger et al., and a similar amount on behalf of Julius Bonadurer et al. to cover property on west line of Stockton street, 137 feet 6 inches south of Pine street.

M. S. Wilson, representing Wilson Estate Company, also addressed the Board protesting against damages awarded in report of the Board of Public Works, as grossly inadequate. He claimed damages in the sum of \$50,000.

E. J. Hanson, representing W. C. Greer et al., requested permission to be heard at a future meeting of the Board, at which he would present testimony and affidavits as to loss sustained and damages claimed to cover property of his client on the east side of Stockton street, 90 feet north of California street, for which no allowance has been made in the report of the Board of Public Works.

Edw. Mandenet, owner of property on west line of Stockton street, 119 feet 2 inches north of California street, protested against the plans for the tunnel, and against the damages awarded. He requested permission to present additional testimony and affi-

davits at a future meeting in support of his claim for damages in excess of that allowed in the report of the Board of Public Works.

Nathan H. Frank, representing the Hug Estate Company, requested to be informed as to the method employed by the Board of Public Works in arriving at damages awarded and assessments levied for construction of proposed tunnel, and stated that he believed he was entitled to such information. He claimed damages in the sum of \$25,000, to cover property of the Hug Estate at the southwest corner of Bush and Stockton streets.

A. P. Black, attorney, representing Mrs. W. F. Morris, claimed on behalf of his client \$6000 additional to that allowed by the Board of Public Works, to cover leasehold interests to hotel property at northwest corner of Bush and Stockton streets.

C. N. Kirk Bride, representing Annie L. Turner, owner of land at northwest corner of Stockton and Bush streets, protested against damages allowed by Board of Public Works to cover said property, claiming that loss sustained was damages in an amount not less than \$35,000.

Luther Elkins, attorney, representing Consumers' Light and Power Company, claims damage in the sum of \$17,013.16 by reason of necessary changes and alterations in its conduits, mains, etc., for which no damage was allowed by the Board of Public Works.

The hearing was thereupon continued with the understanding that protestants would be given an opportunity at next meeting to be heard orally in support of their claims or to present them in the form of affidavits.

ADJOURNMENT.

Thereupon, on motion of Supervisor Mauzy, the Board adjourned to meet Wednesday, June 5, 1912, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of continuing the hearing.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 17, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisor. of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Monday, June 3, 1912

Journal of Proceedings Board of Supervisors

City and County of San Francisco



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JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JUNE 3, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, June 3, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journals of the meetings of May 22 and 27, 1912, were read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Leave of Absence, Public Administrator M. J. Hynes.

The following was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, May 29, 1912.

Honorable James Rolph Jr., Mayor.

Dear Sir:—I respectfully make application for and request a thirty days' leave of absence from the city, commencing July 5, 1912, to leave state.

Respectfully,

M. J. HYNES,

Public Administrator.

Approved June 3, 1912.

JAMES ROLPH JR.

Mayor.

Whereupon, The following resolution was introduced and *adopted* by the following vote:

J. R. No. 246.

Resolved, That M. J. Hynes, Public Administrator, be and he is hereby granted leave of absence, with permission to leave the State, for a period of thirty days, commencing July 5, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,

Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Buildings Committee—By Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Finance Committee—By Wm. McCarthy, Acting Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—By Supervisor Payot, Chairman.

Relative to Validity of Civic Center and Exposition Bonds and Compensation to Dillon, Thompson & Clay for Services.

The following matters were presented, read and ordered *filed*:

June 3, 1912.

Mr. J. S. Dunnigan, Clerk Board of Supervisors, City Hall, San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:—I have to report that pursuant to the request of the Board of Supervisors I personally submitted to the firm of Dillon, Thompson & Clay the proceedings in the matter of the Civic Center bonds and the Exposition bonds for opinions as to the validity of such proceedings.

They have already wired you their preliminary opinion that the proceedings were correct and the bonds when issued valid.

I also took up with Dillon, Thompson & Clay the matter of compensation to be paid them for their opinions on these bond issues and secured from them a considerable reduction from the usual charges. They have agreed to accept as their fee for passing upon the Civic Center bonds five thousand (\$5,000) Dollars which is thirty-eight hundred less than the usual charge. Their charge for passing upon the Exposition bonds will be three thousand (\$3,000) dollars which is two thousand less than the usual charge made by them.

I enclose you copies of letters just received from Dillon, Thompson & Clay confirming the verbal arrangement made with them in New York.

Yours truly,
PERCY V. LONG,
City Attorney.
May 29, 1912.

Hon. Percy V. Long, City Attorney,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:—

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, EX-
POSITION BONDS, \$5,000,000.

Referring to our conference with you when we, at your request, stated our fee in connection with the above issue, we desire to confirm the quotation which we then made to you, viz.: a fee of \$3,000 in connection with this entire issue of bonds. In quoting this fee we stated that it was less than the amount charged and the City paid for the public improvement and the same that we charged for the Polytechnic High School and Geary Street Railway Bond issues, and we understood you to state that you thought it was reasonable and would be satisfactory to the municipal authorities.

We did not make mention of any terms or manner of payment, and we would suggest to you that a fair and reasonable method of payment would be that \$2,000 of the above fee should be payable to us when we give a preliminary opinion covering the entire issue, and the remainder of our fee should be paid to us in amounts proportioned to the successive deliveries of the above bonds, but if for any reason, the City should not issue the full amount, then the balance of our fee up to the amount stated herein should be payable. In keeping with our general custom, we make our usual reservation, viz., that if the work should involve unusual difficulty or labor, we should be at liberty to apply to the City authorities for additional compensation, but in that event, we should leave to the City authorities the question whether such additional compensation should be paid and the amount thereof.

We should be glad to have the usual confirmation of this arrangement, and remain

Very truly yours,
DILLON, THOMPSON & CLAY.
May 29, 1912.

Hon. Percy V. Long, City Attorney,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:—

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA,
CITY HALL BONDS, \$8,800,000.

Referring to our conference with you when we, at your request, stated our fee in connection with the above issue, we desire to confirm the quotation which we then made to you, viz., a fee of \$5,000 in connection with this entire issue of bonds. In quoting the above fee we stated that it was less than we had charged and the City paid on the public improvement bonds and we understood you to state that you thought it was reasonable and would be satisfactory to the municipal authorities.

We did not make mention of any terms or manner of payment, and we would suggest to you that a fair and reasonable method of payment would be that \$3,000 of the above fee should be payable to us when we give a preliminary opinion covering the entire issue, and the remainder of our fee should be paid to us in amounts proportioned to the successive deliveries of the above bonds, but if for any reason, the City should not issue the full amount, then the balance of our fee up to the amount stated herein should be payable. In keeping with our general custom, we make our usual reservation, viz.: that if the work should involve unusual difficulty or labor, we should be at liberty to apply to the City authorities for additional compensation, but in that event, we should leave to the City authorities the question whether such additional compensation should be paid and the amount thereof.

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DILLON, THOMPSON & CLAY.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Lighting and Power, Streets and Public Buildings.

Five proposals for lighting public streets, public buildings and outlying districts with gas and electricity and for furnishing heat, light and power to the City and County of San Francisco for year ending June 30, 1913, were received from the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, opened, read and referred to the Lighting and Rates Committee.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing, was taken up *finally* passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

BUDGET 1912-1913.**BILL No. 2138, ORDINANCE No. 1917 (NEW SERIES):**

An Ordinance fixing and appropriating the aggregate sum and the items thereof allowed to each Department, Office, Board and Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, and making a Budget of the same.

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The aggregate sums and the items thereof hereinafter set forth are hereby fixed, designated and appropriated for the respective purposes set opposite the same, to be expended during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, in accordance with the provisions of Article III, Chapter I of the Charter of the City and County, to wit:

GENERAL FUND.**SUPERVISORS.**

Budget

Item No.

1	18 Supervisors at \$2,400.....	\$ 43,200
2	1 Clerk	3,600
3	Expert to Board	3,600
4	Chief Assistant Clerk	2,700
5	Bond and Ordinance Clerk	3,000
6	Assistant Clerk and Superintendent of Supplies.....	3,000
7	3 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,100 each.....	6,300
8	Stationery Clerk	1,920
9	2 Assistant Clerks, at \$1,800 each.....	3,600
10	Stenographer to Finance Committee.....	1,800
11	3 Assistant Clerks, at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
12	2 Stenographers, at \$1,200 each.....	2,400
13	Filing Clerk and Telephone Operator.....	1,200
14	1 Telephone Operator.....	960
15	Sergeant at Arms.....	1,440
16	1 Chauffeur	1,500
17	Finance Committee expenses.....	10,000
18	Printing Public Documents.....	10,000
19	Clerks, Board of Equalization.....	600
20	Advertising	30,000
21	Interment U. S. Soldiers and Sailors.....	2,500
22	Printing Law and Motion Calendar.....	4,100
23	Maintenance Public Pound.....	9,000
24	Municipal Reports for 1911-12.....	4,000
25	License Tags	2,000
26	Bureau of Efficiency and Supplies Committee (to be expended by Supervisors and Civil Service Commission).....	10,000
27	Stationery, Books, Printing, Stamps.....	42,000
28	Stationery for Assessor	5,500
29	Purchase of Directories	600
30	Purchase and repair of book-typewriters.....	500
31	Rebinding books	500
32	Supplies, Stationery Department	1,000
33	Furniture, Public Buildings	7,500
34	Investigation of Public Utilities, Transportation Problems and Extensions of Municipal Street Railways.....	27,500
35	Celebration Fourth of July.....	2,500
36	Observance of Memorial Day.....	500
37	Grand Jury expenses	3,000
38	Premiums on Official Bonds.....	4,500
39	Urgent Necessities	90,000
40	Rents, Repairs and Equipment of Buildings.....	85,000
41	Water for Municipal purposes, Hydrants.....	132,000

42	Water for Public Buildings.....	23,000
43	Maintenance of Minors in non-sectarian Institutions.....	190,000
44	Maintenance of Minors in Magdalen Asylum.....	7,500
45	Maintenance of Minors in State Schools.....	10,000
46	Maintenance of Feeble Minded Children.....	28,000
47	Maintenance of Criminal Insane.....	2,500
48	Juvenile Detention Home	14,000
49	Juvenile Court Incidentals, Demands to be drawn through Board of Supervisors	5,000
50	Probation Officers Salaries.....	18,300
51	Lighting Streets and Public Buildings	435,000
52	Purchase of rights of way.....	3,000
53	Examination of insane persons	8,000

\$1,313,820

SPECIAL FUND.

For Improvement of Highways, Parks and Streets. To be Expended Under the Direction of the Board of Supervisors.

54	For improvement of Lincoln Way.....	\$40,000
55	For paving of Howard street.....	60,000
56	For improvement of Sansome street.....	25,000
57	For improvement of California street.....	10,000
58	For improvement of Kearny street.....	10,000
59	For improvement of Buena Vista Park.....	15,000
60	For Convenience Station and other improvements in Mission Park	15,000
61	For improvement of San Bruno Road and other highways and opening streets	75,000

\$250,000

MAYOR.

62	Mayor's salary	\$6,000
63	Secretary	2,400
64	Assistant Secretary	2,100
65	Stenographer	1,500
66	Stenographer	1,200
67	Stenographer	900
68	Telephone Operator	900
69	Usher	900
70	Chauffeur	1,500
71	Mayor's Contingent expenses, Charter.....	3,600
72	Mayor's Incidentals	1,740

\$22,740

AUDITOR.

73	Auditor	\$4,000
74	Deputy Auditor	2,400
75	2 Assistant Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
76	Clerk	1,200
77	Attorney's Fees	1,800
78	1 Assistant Deputy	2,100
79	1 Assistant Deputy	2,100
80	1 Assistant Deputy	2,100
81	1 Assistant Deputy	1,800
82	4 Assistant Deputies at \$1,800 each.....	7,200
83	1 Stenographer and Bond Clerk.....	1,500
84	1 Clerk	1,200
85	1 Telephone Operator	900

86	1 Expert, Minors' refund from State.....	1,500
87	Solely for computing and extending the Assessment Roll and Delinquent Tax List	7,500
88	Incidentals	400

 \$40,700
ASSESSOR.

89	Assessor	\$8,000
90	Chief Deputy	2,400
91	Cashier	1,800
92	8 Assistant Deputies at \$1,800 each.....	14,400
93	18 Clerks at \$1,200 each	21,600
94	Extra Clerks	46,000
95	Poll Tax Collectors.....	5,000
96	Field Deputies expenses	2,000

 \$101,200
CORONER.

97	Coroner	\$4,000
98	Autopsy Physician	2,400
99	Chief Deputy.....	2,400
100	3 Assistant Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
101	Stenographer	1,800
102	Messenger	900
103	Toxicologist, Ordinance No. 1863.....	1,200
104	Assistant Stenographer and Typewriter, Ordinance No. 1863.....	1,500
105	Assistant Deputy and Driver, Ordinance No. 1863.....	1,080
106	Night Clerk Matron, Ordinance No. 1863.....	900
107	Clerk Matron	900
108	Morgue tender	900
109	Coroner's expenses	2,700

 \$25,180
RECORDER.

110	Recorder	\$4,000
111	Chief Deputy	2,400
112	5 Assistant Deputies, at \$1,800 each.....	9,000
113	9 Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	13,500
114	1 Machinist	1,500
115	1 Messenger	1,200
116	Copyists	45,000

 \$76,600
TAX COLLECTOR.

117	Tax Collector	\$4,000
118	Chief Deputy	2,400
119	Cashier	2,400
120	15 Deputies at \$1,500 each	22,500
121	2 Assistant Cashiers at \$1,800 each.....	3,600
122	Expert Searcher	1,800
123	Accountant	2,400
124	6 Temporary Cashiers (2 months) at \$150 each.....	1,800
125	1 Block book man	1,500
126	Acting Deputies as per Ordinance 821.....	18,000
127	Stenographer	1,380
128	Extra Clerks	5,520
129	Printing Delinquent Tax List	1,800
130	Horse and buggy hire.....	540
131	Incidentals	250

 \$69,890

TREASURER.

132	Treasurer	\$4,000
133	Chief Deputy	2,400
134	2 Deputies at \$1,800 each	3,600
135	1 Clerk	1,200
136	1 Coupon Clerk (Ordinance).....	1,800
137	1 Book-keeper	2,100
138	1 Assistant Book-keeper.....	1,800
139	1 Cashier	3,600
140	1 Clerk	1,800
141	1 Clerk	1,800

 \$24,100
SUPERIOR COURTS.

142	12 Judges at \$3,000 each.....	\$36,000
143	1 Secretary	3,000
144	Superior Court Stenographers.....	20,000
145	Superior Court Orders.....	20,000
146	Superior Court Interpreters.....	9,600

 \$88,600
CITY ATTORNEY.

147	City Attorney	\$5,000
148	1 Assistant	3,600
149	1 Assistant	3,000
150	1 Assistant	2,400
151	1 Assistant	1,800
152	1 Chief Clerk	1,800
153	1 Assistant Clerk	900
154	1 Stenographer-typewriter	900
155	1 Messenger	900
156	1 Assistant, Ord.	3,600
157	3 Assistants at \$3,000 each, Ord.....	9,000
158	1 Stenographer-Typewriter	900
159	1 Stenographer, Ord.	900
160	For general litigation, Ord.	5,000

 \$39,700
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

161	District Attorney	\$5,000
162	3 Assistants at \$3,600 each.....	10,800
163	4 Assistants at \$2,400 each.....	9,600
164	1 Chief Clerk	1,800
165	1 Assistant Clerk	1,200
166	1 Stenographer-typewriter	900
167	1 Warrant and Bond Clerk.....	2,400
168	3 Assistant Warrant and Bond Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
169	1 Bookkeeper, Ord.	1,200
170	1 Warrant and Bond Clerk, Ord.....	2,100
171	2 Assistants at \$3,000 each, Ord.....	6,000
172	Messenger, Ord.	1,500
173	1 Assistant, Ord.	3,600
174	1 Assistant, Ord.	2,400
175	For extraordinary expenses of the District Attorney's Office, subject to the orders of courts through the Board of Super- visors	5,000

 \$58,000
COUNTY CLERK.

176	County Clerk	\$4,000
177	1 Chief Register Clerk.....	2,400

178	1 Cashier	1,800
179	12 Court room Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	18,000
180	5 Register Clerks at \$1,800 each.....	9,000
181	10 Assistant Register Clerks at \$1,500 each.....	15,000
182	16 Copyists at \$1,200 each.....	19,200
183	4 Clerks, Police Courts, at \$1,500 each	6,000
184	1 Messenger, Ord.	1,200
185	6 Deputies at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	7,200
186	15 Copyists at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	18,000
187	4 Court room Clerks at \$1,500 each, Ord.....	6,000
188	Jury and witness fees in criminal cases.....	25,000
189	Jury expenses in criminal cases.....	1,500

\$134,300

JUSTICES' COURT.

190	5 Justices at \$3,600 each.....	\$18,000
191	1 Clerk	3,000
192	1 Cashier	1,800
193	1 Chief Deputy	1,800
194	2 Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
195	1 Messenger	1,200

\$28,800

LAW LIBRARY.

196	Librarian	\$2,400
197	Messenger	1,200

\$3,600

SHERIFF.

198	Sheriff	\$8,000
199	Undersheriff	2,400
200	Attorney	1,800
201	Chief Bookkeeper	1,800
202	2 Assistant Bookkeepers at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
203	10 Office Deputies at \$1,500 each.....	15,000
204	14 Bailiffs at \$1,200 each.....	16,800
205	1 Chief Jailer	1,800
206	10 Jailers at \$1,200 each.....	12,000
207	1 Superintendent of Jails.....	1,800
208	16 Guards, Jail No. 2, at \$600 each.....	9,600
209	6 Guards, Jail No. 3, at \$600 each.....	3,600
210	1 Matron	900
211	1 Commissary	1,500
212	1 Driver of van.....	900
213	1 Bookkeeper, all Jails.....	1,500
214	1 Stenographer, Ord.	900
215	1 Driver, Ord.	900
216	2 Cooks at \$900 each, Ord.....	1,800
217	6 Road guards at \$900 each, Ord.....	5,400
218	1 Druggist, Ord.	1,200
219	3 Office Deputies at \$1,500 each, Ord.....	4,500
220	4 Bailiffs at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	4,800
221	Subsistence of prisoners	45,000
222	Sheriff's expenses, horse-keeping, etc.....	2,500

\$149,400

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

223	4 Commissioners at \$1,200 each	\$ 4,800
224	1 Secretary	1,500
225	1 Stenographer ..	1,800
226	1 Surgeon	1,500

227	1 Chief	4,000
228	1 Clerk	2,400
229	1 Property Clerk	2,400
230	1 Captain of Detectives	3,000
231	9 Captains at \$2,400 each	21,600
232	18 Lieutenants at \$1,920 each	34,560
233	25 Detective Sergeants at \$1,800 each.....	45,000
234	53 Sergeants at \$1,680 each	89,040
235	57 Corporals at \$1,560 each	88,920
236	725 Patrolmen at \$1,464 each	1,061,400
237	26 Patrol Drivers at \$1,200 each.....	31,200
238	4 Telephone Operators at \$900 each.....	3,600
239	4 Matrons at \$1,020 each	4,080
240	9 Hostlers at \$1,080 each	9,720
241	1 Cook	1,200
242	3 Engineers, Launch, at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
243	Contingent expenses	8,000
244	Maintenance of Police Patrol and Mounted Police.....	42,000
245	Photographic supplies, laundry work and fuel.....	2,500
246	Maintenance of automobiles	3,500
247	Maintenance of police launch	1,500
248	Subsistence of prisoners	7,300
249	Equipment of Dept. with motorcycles, purchase and maintenance	15,000
250	Purchase of 2 auto patrol wagons	9,000
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		\$1,505,020

POLICE COURTS.

251	4 Judges at \$3,600 each.....	\$ 14,400
252	4 Stenographers at \$2,400 each	9,600
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		\$ 24,000

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

253	3 Commissioners at \$1,200 each	\$ 3,600
254	1 Examiner and Secretary	2,400
255	1 Assistant Secretary, Ord.....	1,500
256	2 Clerk Stenographers at \$1,200 each, Ord.....	2,400
257	1 Stenographer-typewriter, Ord	900
258	1 Counter Clerk, Ord.....	1,200
259	Extra Clerks and Special Examiners, Ord.....	4,000
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		\$ 16,000

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

260	1 Health Officer	\$ 3,600
261	1 Chief Clerk	2,700
262	1 Auditor	1,920
263	1 Clerk	1,920
264	1 Clerk	1,200
265	1 Clerk	1,080
266	1 Stenographer	1,200
267	2 Stenographers at \$1,080 each	2,160
268	1 Telephone Operator	960
269	1 Messenger	480
270	1 City Physician	2,400
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		\$ 19,620

Inspectors.—

271	1 Chief Sanitary Inspector	\$ 3,000
272	4 Sanitary Inspectors at \$1,560 each.....	6,240
273	2 Industrial Inspectors at \$1,380 each.....	2,760
273a	1 Chief Plumbing Inspector.....	2,100

274	5	Plumbing Inspectors at \$1,800 each.....	9,000
274a	1	Foreman Market Inspector	1,800
275	14	Market Inspectors at \$1,380 each.....	19,320
276	1	Dairy Veterinarian	1,800
276a	1	Chief Dairy Inspector	1,800
277	2	Dairy Inspectors at \$1,380 each.....	2,760
278	3	Food Inspectors at \$1,200 each	3,600
279	2	Disinfectors at \$1,380 each	2,760
280	1	Medical School Inspector	1,800
281	1	Medical School Inspector	1,500
282	14	Health Inspectors of Schools at \$900 each.....	12,600
283	1	Inspector of Indigents	1,200

\$ 74,040

Laboratory.—

284	1	Director of Laboratories	\$3,000
285	1	Assistant Director of Laboratories.....	1,500
286	1	Helper	600
287	1	Chemist	1,500
288	1	Assistant Chemist	1,320
289	1	Helper	1,080

\$9,000

Main Hospital.—

290	1	Resident Physician.....	\$1,500
291	9	Internes at \$480 each.....	4,320
292	1	Commissary Clerk.....	1,800
293	1	Secretary Clerk	1,800
294	1	Ambulance Driver	1,080
295	1	Watchman	900
296	1	Superintendent of Nurses	1,200
297	1	Operating Room Nurse	1,080
298	5	Graduate Nurses at \$720 each.....	3,600
299	50	Pupil Nurses at \$144 each	7,200
300	12	Pupil Orderlies at \$360 each	4,320
301	1	Druggist	1,500
302	1	Druggist Helper.....	600
303	1	Telephone Operator	780
304	1	Recording Clerk.....	1,200
305	1	Telephone Operator, night	420
306	1	X Ray Operator.....	480
307	1	Watchman-Storekeeper	960
308	1	Surgical Dresser	900
309	1	Teamster	960
310	3	Elevatormen at \$600 each	1,800
311	1	Chief Cook	1,200
312	1	Cook-Butcher	1,200
313	1	Cook	1,080
314	3	Waiters at \$672 each.....	2,016
315	1	Relief Waiter	420
316	1	Seamstress	600
317	1	Housekeeper	480
318	10	Kitchen Helpers at \$240 each.....	2,400
319	12	Orderlies at \$240 each.....	2,880
320	10	Pantrymen at \$240 each.....	2,400
321	10	Wardmen at \$120 each.....	1,200
322	20	Porters and Helpers at \$240 each.....	4,800
323	1	Ironer	420
324	1	Anaesthetist	900

\$60,396

Tubercular Hospital.—

325	1 Resident Physician	\$ 1,500
326	2 Internes at \$480 each	960
327	3 Gatemen at \$600 each	1,800
328	2 Graduate Nurses at \$720 each	1,440
329	1 Druggist	600
330	1 Telephone Operator	600
331	1 Chambermaid	420
332	2 Male Nurses at \$360 each	720
333	1 Superintendent of Nurses	900
334	2 Yardmen at \$240 each	480
335	1 Waiter	672
336	1 Waiter	480
337	4 Waiters at \$144 each	576
338	1 Cook	1,080
339	12 Pupil Nurses at \$144 each	1,728
340	6 Orderlies at \$240 each	1,440
341	3 Pantrymen at \$300 each	900
342	6 Helpers at \$216 each	1,296
343	1 Helper	120
344	1 Mattress Maker	240
345	1 Morgue Tender	240
346	6 Wardmen at \$144 each	864

 \$19,056
Isolation Hospital.—

347	1 Resident Physician	\$ 2,400
348	1 Stenographer-Bookkeeper	1,080
349	1 Nurse	1,080
350	1 Male Nurse	960
351	1 Nurse	900
352	2 Cooks at \$1,080 each	2,160
353	6 Pupil Nurses at \$144 each	864
354	1 Interne	480
355	1 Waitress	480
356	1 Night Watchman	960
357	1 Day Watchman	720
358	3 Wardmen at \$360 each	1,080
359	1 Helper	480
360	1 Helper	120
361	1 Laundryman	240

 \$14,004
Emergency Hospitals.—

362	1 Chief Surgeon	\$ 2,400
363	1 Chief Steward	2,100
364	1 Clerk Stenographer	960
365	15 Assistant Surgeons at \$1,320 each	19,800
366	18 Stewards at \$1,080 each	19,440
367	3 Nurses at \$960 each	2,880
368	6 Matrons at \$840 each	5,040
369	3 Pupil Nurses at \$144 each	432
370	1 Seamstress	720
371	15 Drivers at \$1,080 each	16,200

 \$69,972

372	Relief Home Salaries	\$ 64,000
373	Relief Home Expenses	130,000

 \$194,000

374	Health Department Expenses	\$ 6,280
375	Main Hospital Maintenance	73,820
376	Tubercular Hospital Maintenance	40,000
377	Isolation Hospital Maintenance	10,000
378	Emergency Hospital Maintenance	12,900
379	1 Motor Ambulance—Emergency Hospital	5,000
380	1 X Ray Equipment—Emergency Hospital	500
381	1 Motor Oil Wagon—Relief Home	5,500
382	Burial Indigent Dead	4,000

\$158,000

382a	For Special Emergency Sanitary Measures, to be expended by the Board of Health and the United States Marine Hospital Service under the direction of the Board of Supervisors	\$15,000
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

383	4 Commissioners at \$1,200 each	\$ 4,800
384	Secretary	2,400
385	Physician	1,800
386	Stenographer	1,800
387	Chief Engineer	5,000
388	1 First Assistant Engineer	3,600
389	1 Second Assistant Engineer	3,000
390	11 Battalion Chiefs at \$2,700 each	29,700
391	14 Operators at \$1,500 each	21,000
392	45 Engine Companies	733,262
393	2 Relief Companies	8,130
394	11 Chemical Engine Companies	70,710
395	12 Truck Companies	209,640
396	2 Fire Boats	73,980
397	3 Monitors	4,320
398	2 Water Towers	12,900

\$1,186,042

Corporation Yard.—

399	1 Superintendent of Engines	\$ 2,700
400	1 Clerk and Commissary	1,800
401	1 Night Watchman	1,200
402	4 Watchmen at \$1,200 each	4,800
403	3 Draymen at \$1,200 each	3,600
404	1 Helper	1,200
405	7 Machinists at \$4.50 per day	9,828
406	1 Foreman, wagon and carriage shop	1,560
407	5 Blacksmiths at \$4.50 per day	7,020
408	5 Blacksmith Helpers at \$3.75 per day	5,015
409	1 Woodworker at \$4.50 per day	1,404
410	1 Pattern Maker at \$5.25 per day	1,638
411	1 Brass Finisher at \$4.50 per day	1,404
412	2 Boiler Makers at \$4.50 per day	2,808
413	1 Steam Fitter at \$6.00 per day	1,872

Paint Shop.—

414	1 Foreman Painter at \$5.00 per day	1,560
415	3 Carriage Painters at \$4.50 per day	4,212

Harness Shop.—

416	1 Foreman at \$5.00 per day	1,560
417	3 Harness Makers at \$4.25 per day	3,978

Horse Shoeing Shop.—

418	4 Horseshoers at \$5.00 per day	6,240
419	7 Hydrant Men at \$1,200 each	8,400

Stables.—

420	1 Superintendent of Horses	1,860
421	1 Veterinarian	1,200
422	8 Hostlers at \$1,200 each.....	9,600
423	Charter Salary increases.....	7,000
424	New companies	15,000

AUXILIARY FIRE PROTECTION.

425	Pumping Station No. 1, Salaries and Maintenance.....	12,400
426	Twin Peaks Reservoir, Salaries and Maintenance.....	5,000
427	Distributing System, Salaries and Maintenance.....	6,000
428	Water	5,000

429	Fire Department Maintenance.....	160,000
430	For Purchase of Fire Fighting Apparatus and Hose.....	100,000

 \$396,859
DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICITY.**Office.—**

431	1 Chief	\$ 3,000
432	1 Secretary	1,800
433	1 Stenographer-Typewriter	1,200
434	1 Messenger	1,020

Inspectors.—

435	1 Chief Inspector.....	1,800
436	5 Inspectors at \$1,500 each.....	7,500
437	1 Inspector Aerial Construction.....	1,500
438	1 Clerk	1,200

Operators.—

439	1 Chief Operator.....	1,800
440	7 Operators at \$1,500 each.....	10,500
441	4 Telephone Operators at \$900 each.....	3,600

Machine Shop.—

442	1 Foreman	1,620
443	3 Instrument Makers at \$1,350 each	4,050
444	1 Machinist	1,350
445	1 Painter	1,350

Construction Department.—

446	1 Assistant Chief	2,400
447	1 Foreman Lineman	1,500
448	1 Cable Splicer	1,716
449	1 Batteryman	1,500
450	1 Storekeeper	1,200
451	1 Hostler	1,200
452	12 Linemen at \$1,350 each	16,200
453	1 Repairer	1,380
454	Laborers	2,160
455	1 Motor runabout	1,380
456	Extensions and equipment ..	15,000
457	Reconstruction	15,000

 \$103,926

458	DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS	\$265,000
459	Special Elections	50,000

 \$315,000

460	PLAYGROUND COMMISSION, Salaries, Maintenance, Extensions.\$	80,000
461	RELIEF OF EXEMPT FIREMEN	\$ 5,000

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

462	3 Commissioners at \$4,000 each	\$ 12,000
463	1 Secretary	1,800
General office.—		
464	1 Clerk	3,000
465	1 Clerk	2,400
466	1 Clerk	1,800
467	2 Stenographers at \$1,500 each	3,000
468	1 Messenger	1,500
469	1 Chauffeur	1,500
470	2 Telephone Operators at \$900 each	1,800
Bookkeeping Department.—		
471	1 Book-keeper	3,000
472	1 Clerk	2,100
473	2 Clerks at \$1,800 each	3,600
474	1 Stenographer	1,200
475	1 Timekeeper	1,380
Bureau of Light and Water.—		
476	1 Inspector	2,100
477	1 Assistant Inspector	1,680
Bureau of Building Inspectors.—		
478	1 Chief Inspector	3,000
479	1 Inspector	2,100
480	8 Inspectors at \$1,800 each	14,400
481	1 Boiler Inspector	1,800
482	1 Clerk-Stenographer	2,400
483	1 Clerk	1,800
Bureau of Streets—Office and Field.—		
484	1 Chief Deputy	3,000
485	1 Clerk	2,400
486	1 Clerk	1,800
487	1 Stenographer	1,200
488	4 Inspectors at \$2,100 each	8,400
488a	1 Inspector	1,800
488b	1 Inspector	1,500
489	1 Clerk	1,200
Cashier's Office.—		
490	1 Cashier	2,400
491	1 Clerk	1,800
492	1 Clerk-Stenographer	1,500
Maintenance—Bridges.—		
493	6 Engineers at \$1,560 each	9,360
494	7 Watchmen (Bridge Tenders) at \$1,080 each	7,560
Bureau of Building Repairs.—		
495	1 Superintendent	3,000
496	1 Assistant Superintendent	2,400
497	1 Clerk	1,800
498	1 Stenographer	1,200
Janitors.—		
499	1 Head Janitor	1,800
500	1 Assistant Janitor	1,380
501	1 Janitress	960
502	31 Janitors at \$960 each	29,760
503	1 Caretaker—Fountain, \$3 per day	936
504	2 Watchmen at \$1,080 each	2,160
Engineers, Elevator Operators, Etc., Hall of Justice.—		
505	1 Chief Engineer	2,100
506	3 Engineers at \$1,500 each	4,500
507	8 Elevator Operators at \$960 each	7,680

Engineers, Elevator Operators, Etc., Temporary City Hall.—

508	1	Chief Engineer	2,100
509	2	Assistant Engineers at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
510	6	Elevator Operators at \$960 each	5,760

Bureau of Architecture.—

511	3	Consulting Architects at \$25 per day, \$7,800 each.....	23,400
512	1	Clerk	2,100
513	2	Stenographers at \$1,200 each	2,400
514	1	Chief Draughtsman ..	3,000
515	1	Draughtsman	960
516	1	Chief Inspector	3,000

Bureau Repairs to Streets and Sewers.—

517	1	Superintendent of Streets	3,000
518	1	Assistant Superintendent of Streets	2,400
519	1	Superintendent of Sewers	3,000
520	1	Clerk	1,500
521	1	Stenographer ..	1,500

General Maintenance.—

522	Transportation—General ..		10,420
523	Transportation—Carfare ..		1,500
524	Supplies—Blue Prints, etc.		5,000
525	Supplies and Maintenance, including Janitors' Supplies, Fuel Oil, Electric Power, Engine Room Supplies, Lamps, etc., Repairs and Upkeep of Elevators and Engines.....		10,000
526	Maintenance—Municipal Water Works		3,000

\$259,996

BUREAU OF ENGINEERING.**Main Office.—**

527	1	City Engineer	\$ 7,000
528	1	Chief Assistant Engineer.....	3,600
529	1	Surveyor's Field Assistant ..	2,100
530	1	Draughtsman, in Charge of Records.....	1,800
531	1	Stenographer ..	1,500

Division Construction—Streets and Sewers.—

532	1	Assistant Engineer	2,100
533	1	Surveyor	2,100

Investigating Petitions for New Pavements, Sidewalks, Sewers, Preparing Plans and Specifications for Special Work.—

534	1	Draughtsman	2,400
535	1	Assistant Engineer.....	1,200
536	2	Draughtsmen at \$1,500 each.....	3,000

Laboratory.—

537	1	Chemist	2,100
538	1	Assistant Chemist	1,500

Division of Surveys.—

539	1	Assistant Engineer	3,600
540	1	Surveyor	1,800

Division of Surveys—Office.—

541	1	Draughtsman	2,100
542	2	Draughtsmen at \$1,800 each.....	3,600
543	3	Draughtsmen at \$1,500 each.....	4,500
544	2	Field Assistants at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
545	2	Field Assistants at \$1,200 each.....	2,400

Division of Surveys—Field Work.—

546	4	Surveyors at \$1,800 each.....	7,200
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547	2 Surveyors' Field Assistants at \$1,500 each.....	3,000
548	12 Surveyors' Field Assistants at \$1,200 each.....	14,400
		<hr/> \$76,000

**TO BE EXPENDED BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS UNDER THE
DIRECTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.**

549	For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures except school buildings	\$1,000,000
550	For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes.....	95,000
551	For the reconstruction, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings	100,000
552	For construction and equipment of Police Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Police Department purposes.....	50,000
553	For expense, maintenance and cleaning, sweeping and sprinkling streets	330,000
		<hr/> \$1,575,000

COMMON SCHOOL FUND.

554	4 Commissioners at \$3,000 each.....	\$ 12,000
555	1 Superintendent	4,000
556	4 Deputy Superintendents at \$2,820.....	11,280
557	1 Secretary	1,800
558	1 Financial Secretary	2,100
559	1 Recording Secretary	1,980
560	3 Stenographers at \$1,200 each.....	3,600
561	1 Telephone Operator	960
562	2 Messengers at \$960 each.....	1,920
563	1 Storekeeper	1,800
564	1 Assistant Storekeeper	960
565	1 Superintendent of Buildings.....	2,100
566	1 Clerk, Gas and Water Inspector.....	1,500
567	1 Foreman, Supply Department	1,500
568	1 Chauffeur	1,500
569	Other Salaries, Rents, Scavenger Service, Etc.....	1,641,000
570	Maintenance	119,000
571	Lecture Bureau	2,500
572	Incidental Fund, to be expended under the direction of the President of the Board of Education.....	1,000
		<hr/> \$1,812,500

573	LIBRARY FUND	\$ 80,000
574	PARK FUND	350,000
575	FIREMEN'S RELIEF AND PENSION FUND.....	70,000
576	BOND INTEREST AND REDEMPTION.....	1,962,565
577	FOR MUNICIPAL BAND IN SMALL PARKS.....	10,000

Total Amount, \$12,887,626.00.

Sec. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$26,392.40, and entered in Register of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 18,876 to 19,445, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy; Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

Park Fund.
Spring Valley Water Company, water service to parks and squares (claim dated April 26, 1912)..... \$1669.63

General Fund.
Daily Journal of Commerce, advertising (claim dated May 25, 1912)..... \$501.15
Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphalt to asphalt plant (claim dated May 22, 1912) 2221.29
Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphalt to asphalt plant (claim dated May 16, 1912) 3224.73
D. A. White, Chief of Police, contingent allowance for June (claim dated June 1, 1912) 666.74
L. Abrams, hauling, erecting and storing election booths (claim dated May 20, 1912) 1487.30

Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished public buildings (claim dated May 27, 1912)..... 1666.66
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 1, 1912) 517.13

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Troy Laundry Mch. Co., 2nd payment, laundry plant, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated May 28, 1912)..... \$2,992.50

F. C. Roberts Co., 3rd payment, steam turbines, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated May 10, 1912) 1650.00

Lowry & Daly, 2nd payment, tiling, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated May 21, 1912) 10,995.00

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.

John G. Sutton Co., in full, heating and ventilating Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated May 8, 1912)..... \$2,770.00

Bennett Bros., 1st payment, hardware, Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated May 25, 1912) 875.25

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

American Air Cleaning Co., vacuum cleaning, Denman School (claim dated May 23, 1912) \$698.00

W. H. Henning, assignee of Henning & Burke, 7th payment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated May 28, 1912)..... 25,946.25

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Providing \$1000 Out of Maintenance Fund of Department of Electricity for Purchase of Two Runabouts.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Maintenance fund of the Department of Electricity for the purpose of purchasing two motor "runabouts" for the use of said Department of Electricity.

Providing \$600 for Furnishing and Equipping Additional Auto Pound Wagon for June, 1912.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the sum of \$600.00

be, and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the item "For Continuance of Sanitary Measures," for furnishing and equipping additional auto pound wagon for the month of June, 1912.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Repealing Portion of Resolution No. 9415 (New Series), Appropriating \$3500 for Water for Twin Peaks Reservoir.

Resolution No. 9471 (New Series).

Resolved, That such portion of Resolution No. 9415, appropriating \$3500.00 out of Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1908, for the purchase of water for filling Twin Peaks reservoir and high-pressure water pipes, and testing high-pressure system be, and the same is hereby repealed; and be it further

Resolved, That said sum of \$3500.00 be and the same is hereby restored to said Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1908.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Auditor to Cancel Duplicate Assessment.

Also Resolution No. 9472 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Tax Collector, in communication filed May 15, 1912, certified to the Board of Supervisors that the hereinafter named assessments were duplicate assessments for the year 1911-1912, and should be cancelled in accordance with Section No. 3805, Political Code; therefore

Resolved, That the Auditor be and is hereby empowered and directed to cancel the following duplicate assessments for the year 1911-1912, in accordance with Section No. 3805 of the Political Code:

Vol. 6, page 71, Sub. 24, F. W. Griffin, 2008 Washington street (for duplicate, see Vol. 6, page 71, Sub. 17).....	\$102.50
Vol. 1, page 36, Sub. 1, American Fast Freight Line, Chicago (for duplicate, see Vol. 1, page 37, Sub. 44).....	123.00
Vol. 13, page 37, Sub. 31, Roberts & Co., 461 Market street (for duplicate, see Vol. 13, page 37, Sub. 24).....	89.18
Vol. 15, page 13, Sub. 26, J. Thorne, 2574 Broadway (for duplicate, see Vol. 15, page 16, Sub. 22).....	51.25
Vol. 17, page 113, Sub. 19, Carl A. Nelson, 533 Alvarado street (for duplicate, see Vol. 11, page 10, Sub. 28).....	39.57

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Tax Collector to Withdraw From Tax Sale Certain Property Erroneously Assessed.

Also, Resolution No. 9473 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Tax Collector be and is hereby directed to withdraw from tax sale for the year 1911 the following described property, in accordance with Section No. 3806 of the Political Code, said property having been erroneously assessed for said year, to-wit:

Vol.	Page.	Block.	Sub.
57	141	74	6
60	81	51	27-28
53	26	216	18-25
18	151	187-188	5
18	151	187-188	6
9	75	382	46
5	1	201	7
6	30	268	17
11	33	410	91
15	23	100	82
23	15	12	8
23	36	24	18
24	93	150	3
30	47	530	8
32	5	660	57
32	70	685	11
49	179	—	116
49	180	—	155
51	58	—	331
51	61	—	402-403
51	62	—	405
54	90	289	6
57	55	28	42
57	200	38	23
59	56	38	12
47	129	11	28

Further Resolved, That the Assessor be and is hereby directed to reassess the above described property for the year 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Suspension of Dollar Limit.

Bill No. 2145, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Determining and declaring that a great necessity and emergency exists within the City and County of San Francisco, and setting forth the character of such necessity and emergency which requires that the limitation of taxation contained in section 11, of chapter 1, of article III, of

the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, be temporarily suspended; temporarily suspending such limitation so as to enable the Supervisors to provide for such necessity and emergency, and increasing the rate of taxation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, over and above that authorized to be levied by said section 11, of chapter 1, of article III, of said charter; and authorizing and levying a tax of sixty-one cents upon each one hundred dollars of the assessed value of property within said City and County in excess of the sum and rate provided for in said section 11, of chapter 1, of article III, of said charter for the purpose of providing funds for the conduct of the City and County government, such tax to be for the benefit of the General Fund.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby recited, determined and declared that a great necessity and emergency exists within the City and County of San Francisco, which requires that the limitation of taxation contained in section 11 of chapter 1 of article III of the Charter of said City and County be temporarily suspended, and that the character of such necessity and emergency is as follows, to wit:

That on the 18th day of April, 1906, and days following, a fire destroyed a vast amount of the taxable property within the City of the approximate value of \$150,000,000.00.

That the assessment roll for the year 1905-6 aggregated \$525,000,000.00; that at no time since has the assessment roll of the City and County equaled that of said year; that said fire checked the normal increase of said assessment roll, and its restoration to the former amount has been impossible; that in addition to the loss of taxable property aforesaid, the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 1 by the voters on November 8, 1910, still further reduced the amount of taxable property of said City and County by approximately \$83,000,000.00, and at the same time deprived the City of certain license tax revenues amounting to a large sum; furthermore, by amendments made to the Charter in 1907, the salaries in the Police and Fire Departments were increased by the amount of more than \$1,000,000.00; also that by Charter Amendments adopted November 15, 1910, additional expenses were added to the expenses of the City in the aggregate of approximately \$100,000.00; that at the several sessions of the Legislature since 1905, large additional expenses

and financial burdens were laid upon the County of San Francisco, which expenses and burdens could not be anticipated and provided for under the provisions of the Charter of said City and County when adopted in 1898; that the Legislature in 1911 required the holding of an additional election at the expense of the City and County, and that the electors of the City in March, 1912, initiated an election at a large cost to the City, and are liable to initiate others during the next fiscal year; that furthermore, the Legislature, by various enactments, has materially reduced the sums heretofore received from the State in support of the Public School system, which reductions could not be foreseen and provided for at the time of the adoption of the said Charter.

That the demands due to the rapid growth of the City, particularly in new districts of the City and County, developed as a result of shifting of population caused by the fire aforesaid, for additional public institutions, services and necessities have been great, which demands and necessities could not be reasonably foreseen; that the revenue of the City and County from licenses has decreased by approximately the sum of \$250,000.00 since 1908-9.

That the estimated and necessary expenditures of the City and County of San Francisco for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, will be \$12,887,626.00.

That a great necessity or emergency exists for the suspension of the limitation in section 11 of chapter 1 of article III upon the rate of taxation, because of the inadequacy of a tax of \$1.00 on each \$100.00 upon the assessed valuation of property in the City and County of San Francisco arising from the conditions, acts, happenings and things above recited, and such limitation is hereby suspended.

Section 2. There is hereby levied a tax of sixty-one cents upon each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation of property within said City and County of San Francisco as the same appears, or will appear upon the assessment roll of said City and County for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, and the proceeds of such tax shall be part of the General Fund of said City and County.

Such tax is and shall be an increase of and an addition to the rate of one dollar taxation on each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation of property within the City and County of San Francisco, and an addition to and increase of all taxes of every amount and kind authorized to be levied under and by virtue of the provisions of sec-

tion 11 of chapter 1 of article III of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors: Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

(At this point in the proceedings Supervisor Hayden was noted present and, upon his request, was recorded as voting aye on the Budget and the Bill suspending the dollar limit.)

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named persons to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

F. Amator, for one horse, in rear of premises south of and immediately adjoining 1632 Alabama street.

Gus Emanuel, for two horses at 1448 Forty-eighth avenue (rear).

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of Louis P. Werner et al. to Sell for \$33,000 Certain Land Required for Marshall School.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9474 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Louis P. Werner, Walter W. Menne and Estelle F. Menne, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain lands, being a portion of Mission Block No. 34, the said land being required as a site for the Marshall School (communication from Board of Education filed March 28, 1912); and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Louis P. Werner, Walter W. Menne and Estelle F. Menne to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, for the sum of \$33,000.00, be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Fifteenth street with the westerly line of Capp street; running thence

southerly along said westerly line of Capp street 260 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 122 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 160 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 20 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 100 feet to the southerly line of Fifteenth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fifteenth street 143 feet to the said westerly line of Capp street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Mission Block No. 34.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$33,000 to Louis P. Werner for Certain Land Required for Marshall School Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of thirty-three thousand (\$33,000) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue of 1908, in payment to Louis P. Werner, Walter W. Menne and Estelle F. Menne, as purchase price of a lot of land situate at intersection of the southerly line of Fifteenth street with the westerly line of Capp street, of irregular dimensions, being a portion of Mission Block No. 34, required as a site for the Marshall School.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Mayor to Sell Shack Buildings Formerly Occupied by Detention Home.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: J. R. No. 247.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction, in accordance with provisions of the char-

fer, that certain shack building belonging to the School Department and located on the easterly line of the school lot on the northwest side of Harrison street, 136 feet 3 inches southwest of Tenth street (communication from the Board of Education filed May 22, 1912) ;

Also, further, to sell under said provisions the building formerly used as a Detention Home, located on the school lot situate on the northwest side of Harrison street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets.

It is requested that the proceeds of the sale of this old Detention Home building be devoted to the funds of the Juvenile Detention Home Department for doing necessary work on its present building. (Communication from the Probation Committee of the San Francisco Juvenile Court, filed May 20, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following resolutions laid over from last meeting were taken up, and on motion of Supervisor McLeran again laid over one week:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids For Construction of Fire House at Intersection of Girard and Wilde Streets.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the construction of a firehouse on property situate at the intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, in accordance with plans and specifications filed with the Board of Supervisors, which are hereby approved.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the opening of the bids, and the amounts bid. When this is done the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors will set aside a sum sufficient out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes," to cover the award of contract.

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Construction of Fire House on Twelfth Avenue South of Geary Street.

Also, J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the con-

struction of a fire house on property situate on the west side of Twelfth avenue, 225 feet south of Geary street in accordance with plans and specifications filed with the Board of Supervisors which are hereby approved.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the opening of the bids, and the amounts bid. When this is done the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors will set aside a sum sufficient out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes" to cover the award of contract.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted: Mayor to Sell Iron Yokes of Geary Street Railroad.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang: J. R. No. 248.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction, in accordance with the provisions of Art. II, Chapter II, Section 33 of the Charter, the following property unnecessary for use of the City and County, to wit: The iron yokes now being removed from the roadbed of the Geary Street Railroad, and that the moneys derived from such sale be deposited in the treasury of the City and County of San Francisco to the credit of the Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and passed for printing:

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Mahoney Bros. are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, for a period of thirty days, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the roadbed of the Geary Street Railroad at Geary street and Presidio avenue, provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of

as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m. and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said above named firm, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher and *referred to Public Utilities Committee*:

Public Utilities Committee to Take Steps to Increase Car Service on Sixth and on Sansome Streets.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Public Utilities Committee take steps to secure the placing of more cars on that line known as the Sixth and Sansome streets line; also that said Committee be requested to consider and report a regulation compelling a stop by cars upon signal by prospective passengers at any regular street crossing.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 10, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors, of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Announcement.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher announced that Water Rates Committee would meet Thursday evening, June 6, 1912, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of continuing Water Rates Investigation.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Hayden and *referred to Police Committee*:

Police Commissioners to Issue Permits for Maintenance of Billiard and Pool Tables.

Bill No. 2146, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 749, approved May 28, 1903, entitled, 'Imposing a license on billiard and pool tables,' the provisions of which require a permit from Board of Police Commissioners for maintenance of billiard and pool tables."

Announcement.

Supervisor Mauzy announced a continuance of hearing in matter of Stockton Street Tunnel on Wednesday evening, June 5, 1912, at 8 p. m.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 3:35 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

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MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday June 10, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journals of the meeting of June 3, 1912, were read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Report of Police Inspection Trip to Eastern Cities.

The following matter was presented and read:

Communication—From President of the Board of Police Commissioners, transmitting report on police inspection trip to Eastern cities, together with statement of expenses incurred.

Ordered referred to the *Publicity and Finance Committees and the Mayor*.

San Francisco to Join With Exposition Company in Inviting Distinguished Scientists and Other Eminent Men to This City.

The following matter was presented and read:

Communication—From the Bureau of Congresses, Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, thanking the Exposition committee and acceding to Bureau's request to join in making distinguished scientists and other eminent men who have been invited to visit this city, guests of the city of San Francisco as well as of the Exposition Company.

Motion.

Supervisor *Mauzy* moved that action of Exposition Committee be approved.

Motion carried.

Leave of Absence, W. H. Bemiss, Park Commissioner.

The following communication was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, June 7, 1912.

Hon Jas. Rolph, Jr., Mayor of San Francisco.

Dear Sir:

I have this morning received information by wire that my mother, who lives in Detroit, Michigan, is seriously ill. I have decided to visit her if possible, and to that end request permission to leave the state for thirty or sixty days.

Respectfully yours,

W. H. BEMISS,

Park Commissioner.

Approved June 7, 1912, to commence this date.

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,

Mayor.

Whereupon the following Resolution was adopted:

J. R. No. 249.

Resolved, That W. H. Bemiss, Park Commissioner be and is hereby granted leave of absence for a period of sixty days from and after June 7, 1912, with permission to leave the State.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Clerk to Return Certified Checks.

Supervisor Koshland moved that the Clerk, under instructions from the Supplies Committee, be directed to return certified checks to unsuccessful bidders. Motion carried.

Mayor to Transfer Certain Horses Heretofore Ordered Sold.

Supervisor McCarthy moved that the Mayor be authorized and requested to transfer to some other department of the city certain fire department horses heretofore ordered sold at public auction.

Motion carried.

Report of Committee of Efficiency and Civil Service.

The following report was presented and read by the Clerk:

To the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: The Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service respectfully reports:

1. It has completed the plan for revised method of payment of wages and salaries, and proposes that it be given a trial in the Board of Public Works whereby its practical working will be thoroughly tested. By actual use defects may be detected and possible improvements may be suggested. Its extension to other departments can be gradually made, entailing less confusion than would attend a complete change of system at one time.

It is recommended that the various departments and the county officers be required to comply with the method proposed, and to report the result with any suggestions as to modification that experience may suggest.

It is proposed that the July salaries and wages of per diem laborers in the Board of Public Works be tabulated and distributed as to funds, on a pay roll for each department certified by the head, which pay rolls shall be embraced in a demand or demands to be authenticated by the Board of Public Works, and approved by the Civil Service Commission and the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors, a copy of this demand and the pay rolls to be filed with the Board of Supervisors and another retained by the Board of Public Works. The original to be filed with the Auditor as his authority for drawing individual warrants on the Treasurer for each employee. These warrants to be returned to the Board of Public Works, who will deliver them to the employees, taking receipt of each on the department pay roll, which will be finally filed with the Auditor.

These warrants can be collected of the Treasurer or deposited in any bank.

It is estimated that at least \$1000 per month of the City's time, now allowed for receipting for and collecting demands, will be saved.

The work of the Auditor will be somewhat lessened.

The Board of Works will have the added work of delivering the warrants and may require one additional clerk.

It is our hope to pay per diem laborers twice a month after September 1st.

2. It is proposed to standardize as to size and form all demands on the treasury, adopting for salary warrants the size of 3 2/3x8 1/2 and for material and miscellaneous demands 8 1/2x11.

It is suggested that all bills or requisitions attached to demands shall not exceed 8 1/2x11 inches, and that, so far as possible, all office blanks shall conform to one of the following sizes: 3 2/3x8 1/2, 5 1/2x8 1/2, 7 1/3x8 1/2, 11x 8 1/2.

3. Attention is called to the fact that the National Municipal League is to hold its eighteenth annual session in the City of Los Angeles, July 8, 1912. It is urged that the City be represented at this important meeting. The deliberations and publications of this organization are of great value, and the opportunity offered for attendance at an annual meeting should be improved by Supervisors who are able to arrange for it. Mr. Clinton Rogers Woodruff, the Secretary of the League, has expressed the hope that the members of the Board may join the league. The recently established quarterly mailed to each member will be found very helpful and stimulating.

4. Among those who will attend the Los Angeles meeting will be Mr. L. G. Powers, Chief Statistician of the Department of Commerce and Labor, the Bureau of the Census. Mr. Powers is an enthusiast in the cause of good municipal government. He will visit San Francisco at the conclusion of the session, and has signified his willingness to address us. He is especially interested in the vital matter of uniform municipal accounts and reports, and the Committee recommends that he be invited to address a meeting of city officials and employes on some evening of the third week of July as may be acceptable to him.

CHAS. A. MURDOCK,

A. H. GIANNINI.

ANDREW J. GALLAGHER.

Report of Water Rates Committee.

The following report was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, June 10, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

The Committee of the Whole, after

four sessions at which the valuations of the Spring Valley Water Company, for rate fixing purposes, were considered, recommends the adoption of an ordinance continuing the existing rates for water.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher dissents from this recommendation.

It is believed after careful inquiry and consideration of all elements, including depreciation and capital investment that the existing rates will yield a reasonable, and in fact a liberal income to the Spring Valley Water Company. This rate allows for increased producing capacity, but does not take into consideration all of the capital investment claimed by the company, which capital investment has not as yet been put into actual use in the system which supplies water to the people of this City.

The Committee does not make an extensive tabulated report for the reason that negotiations are now pending with the Spring Valley Water Company looking toward the purchase of the entire system by the City. Because of these pending negotiations it was not deemed advisable to duplicate the work of the Advisory Committee and make extended expert investigations of the properties.

The Spring Valley Water Company filed its reports in the usual manner, and subsequently the City Engineer was called upon for a statement, estimating the value, for the purpose of fixing rates, of the Spring Valley water plant.

The Spring Valley Water Company requested an increase of 25 per cent over the 1902 rate based on valuation for water producing purposes of \$34,000,000 or \$35,000,000.

This estimate was carefully weighed, and while it is not wholly allowed it is partially granted.

The City Engineer estimated the values for water purposes of the Spring Valley water plant at \$28,162,904.17.

The annual reports of the Spring Valley Water Company show constant increases in the volume of business, which of course increases their net revenue. Your Committee took this average increase into consideration in the discussion prior to the recommendation of the passage of the existing rates.

It is hoped that this rate, which is deemed reasonable, will be acceptable to the Spring Valley Water Company, and that negotiations now pending will be brought to a successful conclusion and the whole water problem submitted to the people for final settlement in the near future.

Respectfully yours,

By direction of the Committee of the Whole.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Minority Report.

The following minority report was also presented and read:

San Francisco, June 10, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

In dissenting from the recommendation of the Committee of the Whole in the matter of the re-enactment of the existing rates for water, I beg leave to recommend that the ordinance be changed so that the Spring Valley Water Company shall receive 5 per cent net on a valuation of \$26,000,000.

I believe that \$26,000,000 is a fair and reasonable valuation of the properties used and usable at this time for the purpose of supplying water to the City and County of San Francisco.

If the existing rates were cut 4 per cent horizontally it would yield the Spring Valley Water Company something over 5 per cent on \$26,000,000. This would be a net income on their water product, and allow for depreciation and income from other sources than from water. I therefore suggest that a 4 per cent deduction of existing rates be made.

The report of the Committee of the Whole, which recommends the adoption of existing rates, in my opinion gives the Spring Valley Water Company too large an increase for appreciation and for capital investment. While it is no doubt true that the company has made investments of considerable sums for property in Alameda county, these investments have not so far produced any appreciable increase in the volume of water delivered to the City.

In this connection I wish to call the attention of the Board of Supervisors to the fact that the Spring Valley Water Company reports an investment of approximately \$2,000,000 for lands in Alameda county, and at the same time the same report shows that they have spent approximately \$20,000 in extensions and new pipes in the City. It is therefore obvious that the investments on which the company now asks for an income have not been productive of an increased supply of water for this City.

I should be willing to allow the Spring Valley Water Company liberal values for appreciations and extensions if that company were to show a disposition to provide adequate water service to this community.

I do not believe that 5 per cent on \$26,000,000 is an unreasonably low allowance at this time, and I do believe

the valuation is a fair estimate of the property actually employed in water service.

I take for the basis of my recommendation the opinion of Judge Farrington, wherein he says that less than 5 per cent is confiscatory, and I, therefore, after having the reports and testimony analyzed find that 5 per cent on \$26,000,000 would yield the company a net income, according to their own figures, of \$1,300,000 in round numbers, which is the amount the company received last year. When to this is added the increased volume of business for the next fiscal year, I think their income would be increased from \$50,000 to \$60,000 net.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW J. GALLAGHER.

Presentation of John R. Freeman.

John R. Freeman, city's water supply expert, who is in San Francisco for the purpose of gathering data to be used as a basis of the city's report to the Secretary of the Interior in the matter of the order to show cause why San Francisco should not be permitted to use Hetch Hetchy Valley for water supply purposes, was presented by his Honor, the Mayor, and addressed the Board. He expressed entire confidence in the success of the city in the presentation to the Interior Department of San Francisco's claim to the Hetch Hetchy Valley grant. He told the Board that since Grunsky's report was rendered ten years ago conditions had so changed that it necessitated an enlargement of the original plan for the development of a source of water supply in the Sierras. San Francisco's prospects of a wonderfully rapid development and growth in the immediate future, due to the Exposition and opening of the canal, made it mandatory that she proceed at once to develop her water sources in the Sierras. He declared that all the Pacific Coast cities were going to the mountains for their water. He mentioned Portland and Seattle, and the Owens River supply that has been recently developed by the city of Los Angeles. Los Angeles' growth would have stopped where it was had not its people been alive to the necessity for an adequate water supply. As to the difficulties to be overcome, he declared that the Owens river viaduct at Los Angeles was 50 per cent longer than the viaduct that it would be necessary to construct for San Francisco from the Hetch Hetchy Valley.

He thought there would be great advantage through the water district plan, and that the union of the cities about the Bay would assist greatly in bringing about a speedy result in this regard. The city now is prepared, he

declared, to ask for a broader permit than that granted by Garfield, and that he considered it fortunate that the Secretary of the Interior had demanded that San Francisco show cause why its permit to the use of Hetch Hetchy Valley should not be revoked, because it gave the city an opportunity to show the necessity of even a greater grant by Congress for a source of water supply for San Francisco and her sister cities about the Bay. "We should have a permit that would allow San Francisco to build a dam in the Hetch Hetchy Valley as large as that which the government is building at Boise, Idaho."

He stated that the greatest opposition to the use of Hetch Hetchy as a source of water supply for San Francisco came from the "nature lovers" who believed that the natural beauty of the valley would be destroyed by the building of the dam and the storing of the water, but he declared that, on the contrary, the beauty of the valley would be enhanced by the construction of a large artificial body of water.

He called attention to similar objections raised in regard to the lake regions from which the English cities of Manchester, Liverpool and Birmingham draw their water supply, as well as Boston and New York, but stated that the beauty of the places mentioned had been wonderfully enhanced rather than diminished, and that it would be the same with Hetch Hetchy Valley. He recommended and believed the city would see the value of constructing scenic roads in the valley that would make it accessible to one hundred tourists where it is accessible to one at the present time.

He stated further that he plans to substitute pressure pipes for all the open cuts proposed along the hillsides, and in that way to bring the water practically all the way into the city by gravity.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Stationery, Printed Books and Blanks, Municipal Reports and Municipal Record.

Proposals to the number of thirty-six for furnishing stationery, printed books and blanks and printing Municipal Reports for 1911-12 and Municipal Record during 1912-1913 were presented, opened and read by the Clerk.

Proposals for stationery, etc., referred to *Supplies Committee*.

Proposals for Municipal Reports and Municipal Record, referred to *Publicity and Interurban Relations Committee*.

Blon J. Arnold to Report on Effective Improvement of Street Car Service.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft, under

suspension of the rules, and referred to the Public Utilities Committee:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That Bion J. Arnold be requested to render to the Board of Supervisors as expeditiously as possible a report that will enable said Board to effect an improvement in the street car service of this City.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved that the Clerk be directed to communicate with the United Railroads and request a statement as to the number of new cars placed in use since January, 1911, how many have been contracted for, or about to be contracted for, and how many dismantled or fallen into disuse.

Amendment.

Supervisor Koshland moved as an amendment, that the United Railroads be required to file monthly a statement showing cars in use during previous month and number of passengers carried.

Supervisor Gallagher agreed to accept Supervisor Koshland's amendment and the motion was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Absent—Supervisors Jennings, McLeran—2.

SPECIAL ORDER, 4 P. M.

Hearing Protests, Stockton Street Tunnel.

The hearing of protests against construction of Stockton street tunnel, or against the plans and specifications therefor, or against the extent of the assessment district, or against the amount of damages or benefits therefor, or against any act, determination or proceeding of the Board of Supervisors, or the Board of Public Works in connection with said proposed tunnel, fixed for the hour of 4 p. m. this day, was declared open:

Whereupon *Supervisor Mauzy* presented the following matters:

Rejecting Report of Board of Public Works and Requesting New Report on Assessment District for Stockton Street Tunnel.

Resolution No. 9475 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That a hearing has been had by the Board of Supervisors of

the City and County of San Francisco of all protests filed with the Clerk of the said Board to the report of the Board of Public Works heretofore made and filed with the Board of Supervisors in the matter of the construction and completion of a tunnel with approaches and appurtenances thereto in Stockton street, between Sutter and Sacramento streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, pursuant to Resolution of Intention No. 8818 (New Series), and that all protests made in said matter have been duly considered;

Resolved, That the said report of the Board of Public Works be and the same is hereby rejected in whole;

Resolved That said report be returned to the Board of Public Works and that said Board of Public Works is hereby instructed to submit a new report in said matter to conform to the following suggestions made by this Board in respect thereto, to-wit:

Eliminate and omit all determination of or award of damages to the City and County of San Francisco in the sum of seventeen thousand five hundred and fifty (17,550) dollars by reason of damages to the property of said City and County situate at the southeast corner of Bush and Stockton streets.

Since the filing of the report of the Board of Public Works with this Board, certain protests have been filed and are now on file with the Clerk of this Board to the said report and in many of said protests damages are claimed with respect to real property concerning which no damages were awarded or determined in said report. The Board of Public Works is therefore requested to examine into the said protests and report to this Board whether or not damage will be sustained to several pieces of property mentioned in said protests by reason of said tunnel construction, and if so, to estimate and include the amount of such damage.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Amending Tunnel Ordinance.

Bill No. 2147, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

Amending Section No. 1 and Section No. 8 of Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the method by and under which tunnels and appurtenances thereto may be constructed within the City and County of San Francisco, and for the assess-

ment of the costs and damages thereof upon private property benefited thereby," approved September 6th, 1911, and adding a new Section thereto to be known as Section 9A.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section No. 1 of Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the method by and which tunnels and appurtenances thereto may be constructed within the City and County of San Francisco, and for the assessment of the costs and damages thereof upon private property benefited thereby", approved September 6th, 1911, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. This Ordinance, as the same is or may hereafter be from time to time revised or amended, shall be known as, and may be referred to in all proceedings had hereunder as "The Tunnel Procedure Ordinance."

The method of procedure for the construction of any tunnel in, on, under or over any accepted or unaccepted open public street, avenue, lane, alley, place or court within the City and County, or any other land of the City and County, or in, on, under or over any land in which and where the City and County may then have an easement or right of way therefor, and to levy the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, is hereby provided as follows:

Section 2. Section No. 8 of said Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 8. Any person interested, objecting to the said tunnel construction, or to the plans or specifications therefor, or to the extent of the assessment district or districts defined in the said Resolution of Intention of the Board of Supervisors, or to the amount of damages or benefits determined by the Board of Public Works and shown by its said report as the result of the said tunnel construction, or to the omission of said Board of Public Works to determine or award any damages with respect to any property claimed to be damaged as the result of said tunnel construction, or to any act, determination or proceeding of the Board of Supervisors or of the Board of Public Works in relation to such construction, or to any other matter in connection therewith as to which such person would have a legal right of protest, shall file a written protest with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors within twenty days after the first publication of the notice required by Section 7 of this Ordinance.

Every such protest must contain a description of the property in which each signer thereof is interested suffi-

cient to identify the same and must set forth the nature of his interest therein and shall set forth the specific grounds of objection of the protest.

In case said protest is made upon the ground that the amount of damages determined by the Board of Public Works and shown by its said report is insufficient, or upon the ground that no damages have been allowed to the protestant or protestants and that damages will result by reason of said tunnel construction to property of which said protestant is the owner or in which he is interested, the said protest shall also contain a claim for damages and a description of the property which it is claimed will be damaged, by metes and bounds, its market value, and the estimated amount of damages which the said property would sustain by the proposed tunnel construction if completed, stating the elements of said damage claimed.

No damages or compensation whatsoever in excess of or other than the damages determined by said report of said Board of Public Works shall be allowed or awarded to the owner of any property affected by said improvement, or to any person interested in any such property, unless a protest claiming the same shall be filed in the manner and within the time provided in this Section; and the owner or person interested in any property who fails to file a protest in the manner and within the time provided in this Section, claiming such damage in excess of or other than the damages determined in and by said report of said Board of Public Works, shall be deemed to have waived any and all claims for damages caused by said improvement or tunnel construction (other than such as are allowed by said report of the Board of Public Works), and such failure shall constitute a bar to any subsequent action looking either to a prevention of the work or the making of compensation in that behalf.

Every such protest must be verified by the oath of the protestant or his agent. In case any signature is made by an agent, there must be attached to the protest an affidavit of the agent that he is duly authorized to sign such protest. Any protest not complying with the foregoing requirements shall not be considered by the Board of Supervisors.

The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors shall endorse on every protest filed pursuant to this Section the date of its reception by him.

At the next regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors after the expiration of the time for filing protests, the Board of Supervisors shall fix a time

and place for the hearing of all protests filed as aforesaid. The Clerk of the Board shall give notice of the time and place of such hearing by the publication of a notice for at least five days in the official newspaper.

Section 3. A new Section is hereby added to said Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), to be known as Section 9A, and to read as follows:

Section 9A. At said hearing all property owners within the limits of the assessment district or districts shall be considered as defendants denying the statements contained in all protests claiming damages and shall be afforded an opportunity to produce witnesses to disprove the allegations of all persons claiming damages.

In case the Board of Supervisors should determine to allow any damages in excess of or other than those determined by the said Board of Public Works in its said report, or otherwise change or modify the said report of said Board of Public Works, it may require the said Board of Public Works to make and furnish to the Board of Supervisors any mathematical calculations necessary to make the said report conform to said proposed modification, and may adjourn the said hearing from time to time for the purpose of enabling said Board of Public Works to make and furnish the same.

Passed for printing by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9476 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Southern Pacific Co., freight on cast iron pipe, Anniston, Alabama (claim dated May 8, 1912) \$ 1,598.56

Chas. C. Moore & Co., eighth payment, mechanical equipment, Pumping Station No. 1 (claim dated May 22,

1912) 25,000.00
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co., fifth payment, cast iron pipe, Contract No. 55 (claim dated May 15, 1912) 2,234.36

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

John G. Sutton Co., full and final payment, plumbing, Nurses' Home, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated May 8, 1912) \$3,300.00

Columbia Marble Co., third payment, marble work, San Francisco hospitals (claim dated May 13, 1912) 3,262.50

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Central Electric Co., final payment, electric work, Peabody School (claim dated August 23, 1911) \$ 587.50

McSheehy Bros., final payment, general construction, Peabody School (claim dated May 9, 1912) 5,000.00

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., ninth payment, North Point main sewer "D 2" (claim dated May 16, 1912) \$21,722.35

Garbage Incinerator, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

The Destructor Company, second payment, Islais Creek, general construction (claim dated May 22, 1912) \$11,278.50

General Fund.

Westdahl-Hennessey Co., in full, street work, Corbett avenue (claim dated May 21, 1912) \$3,901.84

Phillips & Van Orden, lithographing maps (claim dated May 2, 1912) 1,367.00

Brown & Power Stationery Co., printing, Election Commissioners (claim dated May 17, 1912) 1,640.00

M. A. Terry, for furnishing lamps, chairs, etc., for election booths (claim dated May 15, 1912) 1,591.32

Whitcomb Estate, by James Otis, trustee, rent for temporary City Hall, Market street near Eighth street, March 26 to April 30, 1912 (claim dated May 6, 1912) 2,775.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Resolution No. 9477 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

Park Fund.

Spring Valley Water Company, water service to parks and squares (claim dated April 26, 1912)..... \$1669.63

General Fund.

Daily Journal of Commerce, advertising (claim dated May 25, 1912)..... \$501.15
 Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphalt to asphalt plant (claim dated May 22, 1912) 2221.29
 Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphalt to asphalt plant (claim dated May 16, 1912) 3224.73
 D. A. White, Chief of Police, contingent allowance for June (claim dated June 1, 1912) 666.74
 L. Abrams, hauling, erecting and storing election booths (claim dated May 20, 1912) 1487.30
 Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished public buildings (claim dated May 27, 1912)..... 1666.66
 Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated April 1, 1912) 517.13
San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.
 Troy Laundry Mch. Co., 2nd payment, laundry plant, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated May 28, 1912)..... \$2,992.50
 F. C. Roberts Co., 3rd payment, steam turbines, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated May 10, 1912) 1650.00
 Lowry & Daly, 2nd payment, tiling, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated May 21, 1912) 10,995.00
Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.
 John G. Sutton Co., in full, heating and ventilating Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated May 8, 1912)..... \$2,770.00
 Bennett Bros., 1st payment, hardware, Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated May 25, 1912) 875.25
School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.
 American Air Cleaning Co., vacuum cleaning, Denman School (claim dated May 23, 1912) \$638.00
 W. H. Henning, assignee of Henning & Burke, 7th pay-

ment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated May 28, 1912)..... 25,946.25
 Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9478 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For repairs and alterations to Fire Department houses Nos. 10 and 26; out of balance in moneys heretofore appropriated and set aside for the construction of "Engine House No. 28," out of item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, etc." \$3,000.00
 For the reconstruction of, repairs to, and equipment of School Department buildings for the month of June, 1912; to be expended by the Board of Public Works, out of item "For the reconstruction of, repairs to, and equipment of School Department buildings" 5,000.00
 For general repairs to public buildings other than school buildings, during the month of June, 1912; to be expended by the Board of Public Works, out of item "For paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."..... 5,000.00
 Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Providing \$40,000 to Pay Unpaid Bills For Street and Sewer Work.

Resolution No. 9479 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of forty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the item in the budget for "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc.," for the payment of accumulated and unpaid bills for street and sewer work, during the year 1911-12, and for street and sewer work during the month of June, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-

lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Providing \$1000 Out of Maintenance Fund of Department of Electricity for Purchase of Two Runabouts.

Resolution No. 9480 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Maintenance fund of the Department of Electricity for the purpose of purchasing two motor "runabouts" for the use of said Department of Electricity.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Providing \$600 for Furnishing and Equipping Additional Auto Pound Wagon for June, 1912.

Resolution No. 9481 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$600.00 be, and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the item "For Continuance of Sanitary Measures," for furnishing and equipping additional auto pound wagon for the month of June, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Suspension of Dollar Limit.

Bill No. 2145, Ordinance No. 1918 (New Series), Determining and declaring that a great necessity and emergency exists within the City and County of San Francisco, and setting forth the character of such necessity and emergency which requires that the limitation of taxation contained in section 11, of chapter 1, of article III, of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, be temporarily suspended; temporarily suspending such limitation so as to enable the Supervisors to provide for such necessity and emergency, and increasing the rate of taxation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, over and above that authorized to be levied by said section 11, of chapter 1, of article III, of said charter; and authorizing and levying a tax of sixty-one cents upon each one hundred dollars of the assessed value of property within said City and County in excess of the sum and rate provided for in said section 11, of chapter 1, of article III, of said charter for

the purpose of providing funds for the conduct of the City and County government, such tax to be for the benefit of the General Fund.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby recited, determined and declared that a great necessity and emergency exists within the City and County of San Francisco, which requires that the limitation of taxation contained in section 11 of chapter 1 of article III of the Charter of said City and County be temporarily suspended, and that the character of such necessity and emergency is as follows, to wit:

That on the 18th day of April, 1906, and days following, a fire destroyed a vast amount of the taxable property within the City of the approximate value of \$150,000,000.00.

That the assessment roll for the year 1905-6 aggregated \$525,000,000.00; that at no time since has the assessment roll of the City and County equaled that of said year; that said fire checked the normal increase of said assessment roll, and its restoration to the former amount has been impossible; that in addition to the loss of taxable property aforesaid, the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 1 by the voters on November 8, 1910, still further reduced the amount of taxable property of said City and County by approximately \$83,000,000.00, and at the same time deprived the City of certain license tax revenues amounting to a large sum; furthermore, by amendments made to the Charter in 1907, the salaries in the Police and Fire Departments were increased by the amount of more than \$1,000,000.00; also that by Charter Amendments adopted November 15, 1910, additional expenses were added to the expenses of the City in the aggregate of approximately \$100,000.00; that at the several sessions of the Legislature since 1905, large additional expenses and financial burdens were laid upon the County of San Francisco, which expenses and burdens could not be anticipated and provided for under the provisions of the Charter of said City and County when adopted in 1898; that the Legislature in 1911 required the holding of an additional election at the expense of the City and County, and that the electors of the City in March, 1912, initiated an election at a large cost to the City, and are liable to initiate others during the next fiscal year; that furthermore, the Legislature, by various enactments, has materially reduced the sums heretofore received from the State in support of

the Public School system, which reductions could not be foreseen and provided for at the time of the adoption of the said Charter.

That the demands due to the rapid growth of the City, particularly in new districts of the City and County, developed as a result of shifting of population caused by the fire aforesaid, for additional public institutions, services and necessities have been great, which demands and necessities could not be reasonably foreseen; that the revenue of the City and County from licenses has decreased by approximately the sum of \$250,000.00 since 1908-9.

That the estimated and necessary expenditures of the City and County of San Francisco for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, will be \$12,887,626.00.

That a great necessity or emergency exists for the suspension of the limitation in section 11 of chapter 1 of article III upon the rate of taxation, because of the inadequacy of a tax of \$1.00 on each \$100.00 upon the assessed valuation of property in the City and County of San Francisco arising from the conditions, acts, happenings and things above recited, and such limitation is hereby suspended.

Section 2. There is hereby levied a tax of sixty-one cents upon each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation of property within said City and County of San Francisco as the same appears, or will appear upon the assessment roll of said City and County for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, and the proceeds of such tax shall be part of the General Fund of said City and County.

Such tax is and shall be an increase of and an addition to the rate of one dollar taxation on each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation of property within the City and County of San Francisco, and an addition to and increase of all taxes of every amount and kind authorized to be levied under and by virtue of the provisions of section 11 of chapter 1 of article III of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Oil and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 9482 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

M. Fleishacker, southeast corner of Grant avenue and Bush street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Old Homestead Bakery, Inc., corner of Nineteenth and Shotwell streets, for 8500 additional gallons capacity.

Mr. Studlinski, southwest corner of Post and Scott streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Rose A. Buckingham and Geo. A. Luchsinger, south side of Golden Gate avenue 167 feet 6 inches east of Laguna street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Crocker Estate Company, east corner of Market and Ecker street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Franklin Realty Company, southeast corner of Franklin and Fell streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Mrs. I. Strauss, north side of Union street, 100 feet west of Fillmore street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Boilers.

No-Air Fire Filling Company, 1665 Van Ness avenue, capacity 10 horsepower.

Old Homestead Bakery Inc., corner of Nineteenth and Shotwell streets, capacity 55 horsepower.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9483 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named persons to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

Manuel Lucas, on east side of Kansas street, 125 feet north of Twenty-third street (rear) for one cow.

F. Cordina, at 23 Mullen avenue (rear), for one horse.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Resolution No. 9484 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named persons to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

F. Amator, for one horse, in rear of

premises south of and immediately adjoining 1632 Alabama street.

Gus Emanuel, for two horses at 1448 Forty-eighth avenue (rear).

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9485 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following extensions of time are hereby granted contractors on construction of the San Francisco Hospital, to wit:

McSheehy Bros., ninety days' time from and after May 25, 1912, to complete the carpenter work for the reason that the contract cannot be completed until certain portions of the work is completed by other contractors.

Lowry & Daly, ninety days' time from and after June 9, 1912, to complete the interior tiling, for the reason that their contract cannot be completed until other contractors install certain portions of their work; and be it further

Resolved, That the necessary advertising charges for printing this resolution be and the same are hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Koshland—1.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Authorization, \$1600, to Wm. G. Fanning and Wife at Girard and Wilde Streets for Fire Department Purposes.

Resolution No. 9486 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of sixteen hundred (\$1,600) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the item of the Budget of 1911-12, "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes", in payment to William G. Fanning and wife, as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, of dimensions 50 feet frontage on Girard street by a uniform depth of 120 feet along Wilde street.

Being Lot No. 8 of Block 34, Paul Tract Homestead Association, required for Fire Department purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion *laid over one week*:

Authorizing Payment of \$33,000 to Louis P. Werner for Certain Land Required for Marshall School Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of thirty-three thousand (\$33,000) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue of 1908, in payment to Louis P. Werner, Walter W. Menne and Estelle F. Menne, as purchase price of a lot of land situate at intersection of the southerly line of Fifteenth street with the westerly line of Capp street, of irregular dimensions, being a portion of Mission Block No. 34, required as a site for the Marshall School.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment of \$22,000 to Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church South for Certain Land Required for Lowell High School.

Resolution No. 9487 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$22,000.00 be set aside and authorized to be expended out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904, in payment to the Board of Trustees of Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church South of San Francisco, as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the southerly line of Bush street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Octavia street, of dimensions 68 feet 9 inches frontage by a uniform depth of 137 feet 6 inches, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 158, the said land being required as additional site for the Lowell High School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9488 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Mahoney Bros. are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, for a period of thirty days, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the

roadbed of the Geary Street Railroad at Geary street and Presidio avenue, provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m. and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said above named firm, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Establishing Grades.

Bill No. 2139, Ordinance No. 1919 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Trenton street between Jackson and Pacific streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2140, Ordinance No. 1920 (New Series), entitled:

"Establishing grades on Annie street, between the southeasterly line of Stevenson street produced, and on Jessie street, between New Montgomery and Third streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Changing Grades.

Bill No. 2141, Ordinance No. 1921 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Day street, between the easterly line of Noe street and the easterly line of Castro street, and in Noe street, between the northerly line of Day street and the northerly line of Thirtieth street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2142, Ordinance No. 1922 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Forty-fourth avenue, be-

tween Cabrillo and Fulton streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2143, Ordinance No. 1923 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Santa Marina street and on Mission street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Full Acceptance, Pixley Street.

Bill No. 2144, Ordinance No. 1924 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Pixley street, between Fillmore and Steiner streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$165,487.15 and entered in Register of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 19,451 to 19,766, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor McCarthy, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

General Fund.

Pacific Gas and Electric Company, gas and electricity supplied Public Schools and Public Buildings, during month of May, 1912 (claim dated June 3, 1912).....	\$34,562.55
Spring Valley Water Company, water supplied hydrants during month of May 1912 (claim dated June 3, 1912)	10,962.85
San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, impounding, feeding, etc., animals (claim dated May 1, 1912).....	1,354.00
San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, furnishing automobile pound wagon and equipment for catching dogs month of May, 1912 (claim dated June 1, 1912)	540.00
Cronan's Cornice Works, metal boxes and candle sticks for Department of Elections, Contract 154 (claim dated May 29, 1912).....	1,045.00
The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors (claim dated April 1, 1912)	3,677.80
Maud B. Booth Home for Children, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 30, 1912)	528.00
Whitcomb Estate, by James Otis, Trustee, rent of City Hall for month of May, 1912 (claim dated June 5, 1912)	5,250.00

Library Fund.

The Emporium, books, S. F. Public Library (claim dated May 31, 1912).....	\$712.21
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Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland, repaving over sidewalk trenches (claim dated June 4, 1912).....	\$934.70
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., division wall, Twin Peaks reservoir (claim dated May 28, 1912).....	\$1,000.00
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 14th progress payment, construction Twin Peaks reservoir (claim dated May 28, 1912)	12,000.00

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Awarding Contract, Lighting Streets and Outlying Districts.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. 9489 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contract to light the streets and the outlying districts of, and all public buildings (except school buildings) of the City and County of San Francisco with gas and electricity, and for supplying power for all purposes for the term of one year, commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, in strict accordance with the specifications and advertisements inviting proposals thereon, be and is hereby awarded to the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, at the hereinafter designated prices, said Company being the lowest responsible bidder, to wit:

For each single burner gas lamp, lighted all night, six (6) cents per lamp per night.

For each gas triple lamp cluster, lighted until 12 o'clock or all night, five (5) cents for each lamp of the cluster per lamp per night.

For a single lamp of a triple lamp cluster used all night where two lamps of the cluster are extinguished at midnight, six (6) cents.

For each electric arc lamp, lighted all night nineteen (19) cents per lamp per night.

For each electric arc lamp, lighted until midnight, thirteen and one-half (13½) cents per lamp per night.

For each electrolier of the type now in use in the down town retail shopping district, lighted all night, seventeen (17) cents per electrolier per night.

For furnishing gas to public buildings, offices, yards and public places, the sum of sixty (60) cents per 1000 cubic feet.

For electric current for lighting purposes, the sum of three (3) cents per kilowatt hour.

For electric current for power purposes for use in the corporation yard, Francisco and Stockton streets, the Board of Public Works, Sixteenth and Harrison streets, the Hall of Justice, 780 Kearny street, and the City Hall, Market street, near Eighth street, the sum of two and one-half (2½) cents per kilowatt hour.

For electric current for power purposes for all other public buildings, offices, yards, or places where not otherwise specifically mentioned, the sum of three (3) cents per kilowatt hour.

For each arc lamp inside public buildings or grounds adjacent thereto, when not connected with the metered service, the sum of two and one-half (2½) cents per lamp hour.

Provided, that the sureties on the bond of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, which bond is hereby fixed at \$45,000, shall be satisfactory to his Honor the Mayor, who is hereby au-

thorized to enter into said contract, subject to the following conditions, to wit:

That said Pacific Gas and Electric Company shall, during said term of one year from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, light the public streets and outlying districts of the City and County with not less than five thousand gas lamps and not less than twenty-five hundred electric arc lamps during the said term.

The term of lighting and extinguishing shall be as follows:

Arc lights shall be lighted three-quarters of an hour after sunset and shall be extinguished not earlier than three-quarters of an hour before sunrise. In the case of gas lamps the last lamp shall be lighted not later than one hour after sunset and the first gas lamp shall be extinguished not earlier than an hour and a quarter before sunrise, provided that the last lamp shall not be extinguished earlier than fifteen minutes before sunrise.

Deductions for lights not burning shall be computed at the rate of six (6) cents per night for single burner gas lamps; five (5) cents per night for each lamp of an all-night or twelve o'clock triple lamp cluster, except where one of the lamps of the triple lamp cluster should continue to burn all night, then the deduction charge of that lamp shall be six (6) cents per night; nineteen (19) cents per night for each all-night electric arc lamp and thirteen and one-half (13½) cents per night for each twelve o'clock arc lamp; and seventeen (17) cents per night for each electrolizer.

It is understood that in order to facilitate extinguishing all twelve o'clock triple lamp clusters shall be grouped and contiguous.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Providing \$247,000 for Construction of Carhouse, Substation and Office.

On motion of Supervisor McCarthy: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$247,000.00 be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the Geary Street Railway Construction Bond Fund of 1910, for the construction of car house, sub-station and office building for said Geary Street Railway to be segregated as follows:

For construction of said car house sub-station and office

building in accordance with plans and specifications as per proposition number three by the Board of Public Works, the sum of....	\$23,000
To cover possible bonus provided in the specifications, the sum of	12,000
To cover the cost of incidentals during construction, the sum of	5,000
Total	\$247,000

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:

For moving and fitting up departments in Temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice, additional appropriation, out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."	\$10,000.00
For cleaning, painting and relettering "Mission Bells" throughout the city, to be expended by the Board of Public Works; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to Streets, etc."	120.00
For construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section D-1, North Point main, additional appropriation; out of sewer construction account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908.	4,800.00
For the improvement of Corbett avenue, between Douglass and Ord streets, additional appropriation, out of item for "Paving, repaving, repairs to Streets, etc."	100.00
For the purchase of pianola and moving picture machine for use of Relief Home, out of General Fund	1,250.00
For transportation of leper patient at Isolation Hospital to Seattle, out of item "For continuance of sanitary measures"	131.30
For investigation of Hetch Hetchy Water supply, and the securing of data for submission to United States Army Engineers and Department of the Interior; to be expended by the City Attorney, out of Water Construction Bonds 1910	5,000.00
For the preparation of plans	

and supervising the construction of the Islals Creek and North Beach incinerators, to be expended by the Bureau of Engineering through the Board of Public Works, out of Garbage Disposal Bonds, issue 1908 5,000.00

Providing \$3430 for the Construction of "Special Construction" Building of the Ashbury Heights Pumphouse.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$3430 be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908, for the construction of "Special Construction Building" for the Ashbury Heights pump house, in accordance with communication from Board of Public Works, filed June 6, 1912, submitting list of bids therefor.

Providing for the Appointment of Two Engineers and One Fireman for Fire-Boats.

Also, Bill No. 2148 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the appointment of two engineers and one fireman for each of the fire boat companies in addition to those provided in the Charter and fixing their compensation."

TAX LEVY, 1912-1913:

Also, Bill No. 2149, Providing revenue and levying taxes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Under and pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, and in conformity thereto, a tax is hereby levied for City and County purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, on all property, real and personal, in the City and County of San Francisco, except such property as is by law exempt from taxation, the sum of two and five one-hundredths dollars on each one hundred dollars valuation of said taxable property, as the same appears, or will appear, upon the assessment roll for said fiscal year, which said sum of two and five one-hundredths dollars tax on each one hundred dollars valuation as aforesaid is hereby apportioned to the funds and accounts known and designated as follows:

For the General Fund, in addition to the rate fixed by Section 11, Chapter 1 of Article III of the Charter, and as authorized by Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series) \$.61
For the General Fund, as au-

thorized by Section 11, Chapter I of Article III of the Charter .....	.746
For the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund .....	.014
For the Common School Fund..	.224
For the Library Fund.....	.016
For the Park Fund.....	.07
For the respective funds to redeem and pay the interest on bonds sold prior to November 8, 1910, as follows:	
Hospital Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904....	.0048
Street Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904.....	.0106
School Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904....	.0186
County Jail and Additions to Hall of Justice Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904 .....	.0040
Library Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904 ....	.0100
Children's Playgrounds Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904 .....	.0071
Golden Gate Park and Presidio Extension Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904 .....	.0031
Mission Park Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, Issue 1904 .....	.0028
Fire Protection Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0385
Sewer Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.237
School Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0263
Hospital Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0204
Hall of Justice Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0117
Garbage Disposal Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0145
Water Supply Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1909 .....	.0202
Geary Street Railway Bond Interest Fund, issue 1910 .....	.0037
For the respective funds to redeem and pay the interest on bonds sold since November 8, 1910, as follows:	
Sewer Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904....	.0362
Street Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904.....	.0010
School Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904....	.0037
Library Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904....	.0031
Fire Protection Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0100
Sewer Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0116
School Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0175
Hospital Bond Interest Fund,	

issue 1908 .....	.0160
Hall of Justice Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0066
Garbage Disposal Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0023
Polytechnic High School Interest Fund, issue 1910.....	.0047
Geary Street Railway Bond Interest Fund, issue 1910 .....	.0136
Water Bond Interest Fund, issue 1910 .....	.0100
City Hall Bond Interest Fund, issue 1912 .....	.0062
Exposition Bond Interest Fund, issue 1912 .....	.0075

Total\$2.05

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Jennings—1.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Mayor to Sell or Dispose of Fire Department Horses and Junk.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. 9490 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction or otherwise dispose of five head of horses recently condemned by the Fire Department as unfit for further service and now in the hands of the superintendent of stables of said Department; also, in like manner to sell a quantity of old scrap iron, rubber tires, cotton hose, old barrels, rope, etc., that has accumulated at the quarters of Truck No. 7 and which is of no further use to the Fire Department or any other Department of the City Government.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Giannini and *indefinitely postponed*:

Regulating Use of Gasoline Pumps on Sidewalks and Curbs.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Bill No. 2431, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the use of gasoline pumps used by garages on street curbs and sidewalks."

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Increasing Charge for Installation of Private Fire Alarm on City's Fire Alarm System.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Bill No. 2150, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Adding a new section to be numbered Section 1A to Ordinance No. 698 entitled, "Providing for the regulation of the placing, installing, operating and use of electric wires, appliances, apparatus, construction or equipment connected to the Fire and Police Telegraph and Telephone systems in, on or about buildings in the City and County of San Francisco, and for the charges for such legislation."

Oil and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits be and the same are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

J. Olcovich, capacity 1500 gallons in premises southeast corner of Pine and Polk streets.

D. S. Dorn, capacity 1500 gallons in premises west side of Central avenue, 100 feet north of Fell street.

P. Fordacabe, capacity 1500 gallons in premises south side of Geary street, 100 feet west of Twenty-fifth avenue.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Boiler.

P. Fordacabe, twenty horsepower in premises south side of Geary street, 100 feet west of Twenty-fifth avenue.

Board of Public Works to Deliver Gas Standards and Granite Bases to Ashbury Heights Improvement Club for Buena Vista Park.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 250.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and requested to deliver two gas standards and granite basis, located at the City Hall site, to the Haight and Ashbury Improvement Club, for erection in Buena Vista Park, under supervision of said Club.

These standards are additional to those heretofore allowed; it being understood that the entire expense of removing, installation, etc., is to be borne by said Improvement Club, without any cost whatever to the City.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Requiring a Permit From the Board of Police Commissioners for the Conduct of Billiard and Pool Parlors.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

Bill No. 2151, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a license on billiard tables and pool tables and requiring permits to be obtained from the Board of Police Commissioners," the provisions of which require a permit to conduct a billiard or pool parlor from the Board of Police Commissioners.

Amending Taxicab Ordinance Permitting Charge for Valises Carried on Outside of Vehicles and Establishing Deadline for Runners and Solicitors at Ferries and Stations.

Also, Bill No. 2152, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Amending sections 18 and 32 of Ordinance No. 1898 (New Series), entitled "Regulating the use of Hackney carriages, automobiles, taxicabs and other public passenger vehicles, fixing the rates to be charged for transportation of persons and personal baggage, regulating the use of boats in the waters of the bay, providing a punishment for any violation thereof, and repealing Order No. 1611, Ordinances Nos. 446, 1033 and 514 (New Series)," the provisions of which permit a charge for valises carried outside vehicles, and fixes dead line for solicitors and runners at Ferries and Station.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Clerk to Obtain Opinion of City Attorney as to City's Right to Portion of \$18,000,000 to be Expended for State Highways.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 251.

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to request the City Attorney to render an opinion as to whether the County of San Francisco is legally entitled to a portion of the \$18,000,000 to be expended for the construction and improvement of a State Highway; also whether the law provides that the portion of said highway passing through the corporate limits of cities and towns shall be constructed by the State Highway Commission out of the funds derived from the sale of the \$18,000,000 bonds.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Invitation of South San Francisco Fourth of July Committee to Attend Its Celebration.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 252.

Resolved, That the invitation of the Fourth of July Committee of South San Francisco, San Mateo county, to attend the celebration and carnival to be held at South San Francisco, July 1, 2, 3 and 4th, be and is hereby accepted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Assigning Rooms in Temporary City Hall for Use of Veteran Firemen's Association.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 253.

Resolved, That rooms Nos. 336-7-8 situate on third floor temporary City Hall building be and are hereby assigned during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors to the Veteran Firemen's Association for its use as headquarters and meeting purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting, was taken up and on motion of Supervisor McLeran, *indefinitely postponed*:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Construction of Fire House at Intersection of Girard and Wilde Streets.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the construction of a firehouse on property situate at the intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, in accordance with plans and specifications filed with the Board of Supervisors, which are hereby approved.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the opening of the bids, and the amounts bid. When this is done the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors will set aside a sum sufficient out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes," to cover the award of contract.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Construction of Fire House on Twelfth Avenue South of Geary Street. On motion of Supervisor McLeran: J. R. No. 254.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the construction of a fire house on property situate on the west side of Twelfth avenue, 225 feet south of Geary street in accordance with plans and specifications filed with the Board of Supervisors which are hereby approved.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the opening of the bids, and the amounts bid. When this is done the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors will set aside a sum sufficient out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes" to cover the award of contract.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Extensions of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Troy Laundry Machinery Company be and is hereby granted an extension of forty-five days' time from and after May 19, 1912, to complete its contract for furnishing and installing Laundry Machinery in the San Francisco Hospital building, for the reason that the work cannot be completed owing to the incomplete state of certain portions of the building, and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

Resolved, That extensions of time be and the same are hereby awarded the following firms on their contracts for the certain work on the San Francisco Hospital building, in accordance with communications from the Board of Public Works, filed May 24, 1912, to wit:

Ninety days' time to the Vulcan Iron Works, from and after June 5, 1912, for work on the refrigerator plant, de-

lay being caused until the tile is laid on the interior of the refrigerator boxes.

Sixty days' time to Mangrum & Otter, from and after June 11, 1912, for completion of the cooking apparatus, delay having been caused on account of the incomplete state of certain portions of the building.

Further Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Assigning Rooms in the Temporary City Hall to the Board of Education.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft and adopted:

J. R. No. 255.

Resolved, That suite No. 218, consisting of five rooms in the temporary City Hall building, is hereby assigned and set apart for use and purposes of the Board of Education.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Koshland—1.

Absent—Jennings.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft and passed for printing:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That extensions of time be and the same are hereby awarded the following firms on their contracts for the certain work on the San Francisco Hospital building, in accordance with communications from the Board of Public Works filed May 24, 1912, to wit:

Ninety days' time to the Vulcan Iron Works, from and after June 5, 1912, for work on the refrigerator plant, delay being caused until the tile is laid on the interior of the refrigerator boxes.

Sixty days' time to Mangrum & Otter, from and after June 11, 1912, for completion of the cooking apparatus, delay having been caused on account of the incomplete state of certain portions of the building.

Further Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Koshland—1.
Absent—Jennings.

Reasons for Extensions of Time.

Supervisor Bancroft presented:

Communication—From consulting architects, Board of Public Works, giving reasons showing necessity of granting certain extensions of time to contractors on San Francisco Hospital building.

Passed for Printing.

The following bill was *passed for printing*:

Ordering the Construction of the Yard of the Visitacion Valley School.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Bill No. 2153, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled:

Ordering the construction of the yard of the Visitacion Valley School on Schwerin street, between Visitacion and Leland avenues, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Education, authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said yard and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed sixty-two hundred and seventy (\$6270) dollars out of the Public Building Fund, School Construction Account, bond issue 1908, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

United Railroads to File Plans of Cars Being Constructed for Its System in This City.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang: J. R. No. 256.

Resolved, That the United Railroads of San Francisco be requested to file with the Board of Supervisors plans and drawings of the proposed cars which they are preparing to install in service on their systems in this city.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Mayor to Require Board of Public Works to Provide Way for Closing Trenches and Expediting Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9491 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Numerous and increased number of complaints of the condition of the streets in the city, and particularly on and in the neighborhood of Market street because of the laying of the pipes of the high pressure water system, are being sent to his Honor,

the Mayor, and the Street Committee; and as this Committee has been doing everything in its power to bring about the closing of these trenches, and the restoration of the street to its former condition, and

Whereas, All of which work is placed under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and

Whereas, The contractors, public service corporations and others are charged with the responsibility of putting the street in proper condition after certain work shall have been done, and

Whereas, These unaccountable and unnecessary delays are apparently unchecked to the great inconvenience, distress, annoyance and loss to the merchants and citizens generally, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be respectfully requested to take cognizance of this condition and direct the Board of Public Works through its organization to hasten the closing of open trenches; the removal of dirt piles, and to perform such other details as to put all of these streets in such order so that these continued complaints will cease, and be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to change their specifications and embody therein a clause which calls for the wetting by the contractors of the piles of earth removed from the trenches at least four times a day.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Recommend to the Supervisors the Ordering of the Paving of the Roadway of Webster Street, Between Hermann Street and Duboce Avenue.

Resolution No. 9492 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to recommend to the Board of Supervisors the ordering of the following street work, to wit: The paving of the roadway of Webster street, between Hermann and Duboce avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Conditional Acceptance.

Bill No. 2154, Ordinance No. —

(New Series), entitled, Providing for conditional acceptance of Wayland street, between San Bruno avenue and Girard street; Irving street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth avenues; Balboa street, between Twentieth and Twenty-first avenues; crossing of Eighteenth street and Missouri street; Eighteenth street, between Texas and Missouri streets.

Full Acceptance.

Also, Bill No. 2155, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, Providing for full acceptance of Lake street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; crossing of Twenty-fifth street and Treat avenue; crossing of Balboa street and Twenty-first avenue; crossing of Army street and Dolores street; crossing of Fell and Pierce streets; crossing of Rhode Island and Twenty-third streets.

Ordering Street and Sewer Work.

Also, Bill No. 2156, Ordinance No. — (New Series): Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Public Works in written communication filed in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors the 23rd day of May, 1912, having recommended the ordering of the following street work, the same is hereby ordered to be done in the City and County of San Francisco in conformity with the provisions of chapter 2, article VI of the Charter, said work to be performed under the direction of the Board of Public Works, and to be done in accordance with the specifications prepared therefor by said Board of Public Works, and on file in its office, which said plans and specifications are hereby approved and adopted.

Changing Grades.

Also, Bill No. 2157, Ordinance No. — (New Series): Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Miguel street.

Also, Bill No. 2158, Ordinance No. — (New Series): Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Twenty-third avenue, on Twenty-fourth avenue, on Lawton street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-fifth streets, and on Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth avenues, between Kirkham and Moraga streets.

Also, Bill No. 2159, Ordinance No. — (New Series): Changing and re-establishing the official grades on

Forty-fourth avenue, between Clement street and Point Lobos avenue.

Also, Bill No. 2160, Ordinance No. — (New Series): Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Ashton avenue, between Ocean avenue and Holloway avenue.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9493 (New Series):

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed May 18, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Resolution No. 9494 (New Series):

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed March 20, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Resolution No. 9495 (New Series):

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed May 18, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Resolution No. 9496 (New Series):

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recom-

mendation of the Board of Public Works, filed May 18, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Willett and Burr, assignees of Foster & Vogt, be and are hereby granted an extension of seventy-five days' time from and after June 10, 1912, within which to complete the contract for construction of Harrison bridge across Beale street cut.

The extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works for the reason that the construction work has been repeatedly interrupted, and the shipment of steel girders and supports from the east, over which the contractors have no control, has been delayed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Koshland—1.

Absent—Jennings.

Action Deferred.

The following matters were introduced, and on motion *laid over one week*:

Telephone Rates, 1912-1913.

Bill No. 2161, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Fixing and determining the maximum rates or compensation to be collected for telephonic service in the City and County of San Francisco for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, and prescribing the quality of said telephonic service during said year."

Water Rates, 1912-1913.

Bill No. 2162, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating monthly rates of compensation to be collected by any person, company or corporation engaged in the business of supplying water to the inhabitants of the City and County of San Francisco for family uses, for private purposes, for municipal uses and for all public purposes of said City and County for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913."

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Passed For Printing.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Hocks, under suspension of the rules, and *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Mayor to Appoint Assistant Secretary.

Bill No. 2163, Ordinance No. — (New Series):

Authorizing the Mayor to appoint an assistant Secretary and fixing the compensation therefor, and repealing Ordinance No. 1747, approved February 5, 1906.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland, and on motion of Supervisor McCarthy, *referred to Finance Committee*:

Necessity of Convenience Stations.

J. R. No. —

Whereas, Public interest and necessity require the establishment of public convenience stations in various parts of the City, particularly in the downtown district and on the Ocean Beach; therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Board of Supervisors that these convenience stations should be established as soon as possible.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced by Supervisor Murdock, under suspension of the rules, and *adopted*:

In Memory of Lippman Sachs.

J. R. No. 257.

In expression of the respect entertained by the members of the Board of Supervisors for the worth of one of its foremost citizens this day called to the life beyond, be it

Resolved, That in Lippman Sachs we recognize a man whose long life has been of singular simplicity and usefulness. In business he was upright and diligent, meriting the high standing he held among his associates. He was a citizen who manifested from the beginning of his business career a keen sympathy with the unfortunate and suffering. He was a liberal supporter of many charitable movements and could always be relied upon to do his full share in the support of any worthy cause. He gave much of his valuable time to the best interests of the religious organization to which he belonged, especially earning the gratitude of his fellow members for the self-sacrificing superintendence of the re-erection of the Temple Emanu El after the fire of 1906.

Mr. Sachs was a public-spirited citizen and served the City with distin-

guished fidelity as a Supervisor, having been appointed by Mayor Edward R. Taylor on July 29, 1907. He served for the balance of his first term as a member of the Finance Committee, discharging a very arduous duty with fairness and ability.

Elected as a member of the Board for the succeeding term he accepted the chairmanship of the Committee on Artificial Lighting, and devoted his time to its duties with all the assiduity he ever gave to his own business. He greatly improved the lighting of the City, and took a commendable pride in his work. He served as Supervisor till May 29th, 1908, when he was compelled to resign that he might go abroad in the hope of recovering his health.

Mr. Sachs was a man of great sincerity of character, cordial in manner, with genuine friendliness and kindness, always good natured, but firm in his opinions and unmovable from a position taken in support of what he considered right. He made every member his friend, and when he resigned sincere regret was felt at its necessity.

He was an ardent lover of San Francisco, and, when he returned, freely expressed his preference for it, and his pride in its restoration. Unable longer to actively serve her, he took up his life with its lessened power, and bravely and patiently awaited the end.

Resolved, In token of our respect, that this memorial be adopted and spread upon the minutes of the Board, and that when we adjourn it shall be in respect to his memory.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Auditor and Treasurer Requested to Co-operate in Plan for Payment of Salaries and Wages.

Also, J. R. No. 258.

Resolved, That the Auditor and Treasurer, and the various departments of the City Government be requested as called upon by the Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service to conform to the plan arranged for the payment of salaries and wages by warrants to be delivered to employees, and that they be asked to co-operate in securing the best results through reports and suggestions.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Uniform Blanks for Departments.

Also, J. R. No. 259.

Resolved, That all departments be required to adopt and use, as far as reasonably possible for all official blanks, the following sizes:

3 2-3x8½, 5½x8½, 7 1-3x8½, 11x8½.

It is requested that bills to be attached to demands on the treasury shall not exceed 11x8½ inches.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Mayor to Appoint Delegates to Annual Meeting of National Municipal League.

Also, J. R. No. 260.

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to appoint not to exceed three members of the Board, or other City officials, to represent the City of San Francisco at the eighteenth annual meeting of the National Municipal League at Los Angeles to be held July 8th to 12th.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Clerk to Invite L. G. Powers, Chief Statistician, Department of Commerce and Labor, to Address Municipal Employees and Citizens.

J. R. No. 261.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Board be instructed to write Mr. L. G. Powers, Chief Statistician of the Department of Commerce and Labor to address a meeting of public officials and employees, together with citizens interested in Good Municipal Government, or "Uniform Municipal Accounts and Reports", on the evening of July 15, 1912, or any other evening that may be selected, and that, if the invitation be accepted, that he arrange for the meeting.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

City Attorney to Cause Cancellation of Assessment Against Properties Belonging to San Francisco in Tuolumne County.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

Resolution No. 9497 (New Series):

Resolved, That the City Attorney of this City and County be and he hereby is authorized, on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco, to request and demand of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tu-

olumne, State of California, that said Board of Supervisors of said county of Tuolumne direct the Auditor of said county of Tuolumne to cancel any and all assessments for taxes which have been levied against any and all property of any nature whatsoever belonging to the said City and County of San Francisco and located in said county of Tuolumne, in accordance with Section 3804a of the Political Code of the State of California,

And further, the City Attorney is hereby authorized to take any proceedings on behalf of this City and County necessary under said Section 3804a of said Political Code, or any other proceedings whatsoever necessary to pro-

tect any and all said property of said City and County of San Francisco so located in said county of Tuolumne against assessments for taxes or sale for taxes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 6:35 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 17, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, June 17, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Attendance of Supervisor Thos. Jennings.

Supervisor Jennings, who since his election has been ill, appeared for the first time today at the meeting of the Board. His desk was adorned with flowers from his fellow members, and he was welcomed by his Honor Mayor Rolph, who in a short address expressed for himself and the members of the Board the pleasure they felt at his recovery and the fact that he would now be able to take up his duties.

Supervisor Jennings thanked the Mayor and members of the Board and stated that he was thankful for his recovery and was now ready to take up his work.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journals of the meetings of May 29 and June 10, 1912, were read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Report of Mayor Rolph on Obstruction of Berry Street.

The following matter was presented by the Mayor, read and ordered referred to *Streets and Sewers Committee*:

San Francisco, Cal., June 17, 1912.

Hon. Board of Supervisors, San Francisco—Gentlemen: Referring to Joint Resolution No. 222, adopted Monday, May 13th, 1912, whereby I was

requested to ascertain from the Board of Public Works why said Board has not complied with the provisions of Journal Resolution No. 136, adopted March 25th, 1912, wherein and whereby the Board of Public Works was requested to cause the removal of the lumber from the roadway of Berry street, between Second and Third streets, and to grant no extensions of time. This request received my immediate attention, and the facts reported to me by the Honorable Street Committee at a conference in my chambers were that a survey was being made by the engineers of the Board of Public Works and the engineers of the State Harbor Commissioners regarding the condition of the piling supporting Berry street, which is a wharf, and their findings were to be reported to me as soon as ascertained.

This matter having been again called to my attention at a meeting of your Honorable Board last Monday afternoon, I immediately addressed the following communication to the Board of Public Works:

June 10th, 1912.

Honorable and Dear Sir: Will you please favor me with a report of your action in regard to the closing of Berry street, as requested by the Street Committee of the Board of Supervisors, which matter was again brought up by them at today's meeting, with the complaint that no action had thus far been taken in the matter.

Awaiting your explanation of the case, I beg to remain, Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor.

Hon. Michael Casey, President, Board of Works, San Francisco, California.

I am in receipt of the following reply to this communication:

June 11th, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph Jr., Mayor, City and County of San Francisco—Dear Sir: I am directed by the Board of Public Works to forward to you the attached copy of the report of Assistant Engineer Judell, compiled at your request, and relating to the matter of the removal of obstructions from Berry

street, between Second and Third streets. Respectfully,

(Signed) RICHARD J. CLINE,
Secretary Pro Tem, Board of Public Works.

Following is a copy of the report of Assistant Engineer Judell to the Honorable Board of Public Works, relating to said matter:

"June 11th, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: Reporting to you on matter of improving Berry street, between Second and Third streets, I can say as instructed at the conference between Mr. Frazer, Mr. Laumeister and Mr. Casey of your Board, and Mr. Hill of the Harbor Commission, held on Berry street on May 23; Mr. McLean, assistant engineer of the Harbor Commission, and myself made an examination of existing wharf and plank roadway in Berry street, between Second and Third streets. We found that the piles supporting the roadway for a distance of 550 feet east of the easterly line of Third street were decayed to an amount to make them dangerous as a foundation. A survey was made showing location of wharf and improvements of Pope Talbot Lumber Co.

An opinion of the City Attorney defined the boundary of Pope & Talbot's property on a decision of the Superior Court on December 24, 1909, which adjudged Pope & Talbot a strip of 35 feet by 825 feet and the city the remainder, a strip 47 feet 6 inches by 825 feet.

By a state law, the jurisdiction of the Harbor Commission is defined as the center line of Berry street, between Second and Third streets. This leaves considerable doubt as to the area the city has jurisdiction over, and what area the State Harbor Commission should construct and maintain. I took the matter up with Mr. Daniel Ryan at the suggestion of Commissioner Hill of the Harbor Commission, and he wished to consider the matter further before saying where the jurisdiction of the Harbor Commission began on the street in question. Mr. Hill of the Harbor Commission was of the opinion that a seawall be built on the water frontage at this place, as I understood, by the state, and a fill be made in back of this wall, the city filling and paving its portion.

Am unable to give you an estimate of the cost of this work until the respective areas are defined by the attorneys.

A survey line has been run on the ground, defining the limit of Pope & Talbot's property and, as ordered by your Board, the lumber piles of Pope & Talbot are being removed on to their

own property as rapidly as practical. This will be done by tomorrow evening. Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) A. JUDELL,
Assistant Engineer."

In company with City and County Attorney Long and Supervisor Vogelsang, I visited Berry street last Saturday to familiarize myself with the conditions existing there. It appears that Berry street is approximately 40 feet in width, 20 feet of which, commencing at the northerly line of Berry street and extending to a point covering one-half of the street, is under the jurisdiction of the City and County of San Francisco, and the other 20 feet from the Center line of Berry street to the southerly line of said street, together with all of the wharf adjacent thereto and running south to the line of the channel, is under the jurisdiction of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners. The Board of State Harbor Commissioners rent to the Pope & Talbot Lumber Co. all of the property under their jurisdiction, from the center line of Berry street south to the channel, at a monthly rental. It is pointed out that the lumber taken from the vessels discharging at this point is trucked across Berry street into the lumber yards of Pope & Talbot, which extend from Berry to King and from Third to Second streets. When their lumber yards are crowded, they have been in the habit of allowing their lumber to remain on the one-half of Berry street belonging to the city. Since Joint Resolution No. 222 was adopted by the Board on Monday, May 13th, 1912, Berry street has been, more or less, clear of lumber.

I am advised that the piling under this street is badly decayed, and the question is one which the Board of State Harbor Commissioners are giving serious consideration to. Either a bulkhead will have to be constructed on the pierhead line of the channel and the wharf space and Berry street filled or else a new piling will have to be constructed along the channel and the space occupied by the wharf and Berry street. The city, in the construction of Berry street will be involved in an expenditure of a sum of money for the repair of the piling under Berry street, or the filling thereof, whichever course is ultimately pursued. I am informed that the Pope & Talbot Lumber Co. have maintained the piling and road plank on Berry street at their own expense, and that, as the piling is in a weakened condition at the present time, trucks containing about 1000 feet of lumber, or an approximate weight of two tons are all carted across from the city property to their own property on the block adjacent to Berry street.

I am convinced that if six or eight ton trucks go over Berry street a serious accident is likely to occur, and it is my recommendation that this matter be re-referred to the Honorable Street Committee, or to the Board of Supervisors as a whole, having jurisdiction in the matter of harbors and wharves that the city may control, as set forth in Chapter 5, Section 1 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

To the end that immediate action may result, I respectfully suggest that the Clerk of the Board be requested to communicate with the Attorney of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners, Honorable Daniel A. Ryan, asking his opinion on the points involved wherein the Board of State Harbor Commissioners are concerned at as early a date as possible, and that, thereafter, the Honorable Street Committee, in conjunction with the City and County Attorney, take up the whole question with the Board of State Harbor Commissioners. Respectfully submitted,
JAMES ROLPH JR., Mayor.

Correspondence of Mayor Relative to Leaky Condition of Twin Peaks Reservoir and the Appointment of Engineers to Inspect Same.

The following matters were presented by his Honor the Mayor, read and ordered *filed*:

San Francisco, Cal., June 17, 1912.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco—Gentlemen: With reference to the dispute between the Board of Public Works and the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company over the leaky condition of the Twin Peaks Reservoir, the details of which I have explained to you heretofore verbally, I beg to hand you herewith copy of my letter of even date to the three engineers whom I have appointed to make a survey of the work, namely: Messrs. M. M. O'Shaughnessy, W. R. Eckhart and Howard C. Holmes, setting forth therein the points I feel are necessary of explanation in making a thorough survey of the whole work.

As explained to you, Mr. M. M. O'Shaughnessy has been absent from the city and was due to arrive today, and by agreement between the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company and the Board of Public Works, the investigations have waited until his return.

When the reports of these engineers are received, I shall transmit copies to your Honorable Body.

Yours respectfully,
JAMES ROLPH JR.,
Mayor.

June 17, 1912.

Board of Public Works. Mr. Michael Casey, President and Commissioner,

Mr. Daniel G. Fraser, Commissioner, Mr. C. S. Laumeister, Commissioner, San Francisco—Honorable and Dear Sirs: In compliance with the request contained in your favor to me of the 5th instant to appoint three competent engineers to make a survey of the work in connection with the Twin Peaks Reservoir, I beg to hand you herewith copy of my letter of even date to Messrs. M. M. O'Shaughnessy, W. R. Eckart and Howard C. Holmes; also copy of my respects of even date to the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and a copy of my respects of even date to the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, all of which are self-explanatory.

When the reports from the three engineers named have been received I shall transmit copies thereof to you. In the meantime I beg to remain,

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,
Mayor.

Messrs. Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, Mr. W. H. Healy, President, Main and Market street, San Francisco—Dear Sirs: In compliance with the request contained in your favor to me of the 5th instant, to appoint three competent engineers to make a survey of the work in connection with the Twin Peaks Reservoir, I beg to hand you herewith copy of my letter of even date to Messrs. M. M. O'Shaughnessy, W. R. Eckart and Howard C. Holmes; also copy of my respects of even date to the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and a copy of my respects of even date to the Board of Public Works, all of which are self-explanatory.

When the reports from the three engineers named have been received, I shall transmit copies thereof to you. In the meantime, I beg to remain,

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,
Mayor.

June 17, 1912.

Mr. M. M. O'Shaughnessy, Nevada Bank Building, San Francisco—Dear Sir: A dispute having arisen between the Board of Public Works and the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company over the construction work done on the Twin Peaks Reservoir I have been requested by the parties interested to appoint three engineers to make a survey of the work and at the same time I am anxious to have a full report on all details connected with the construction of the reservoir, and to that end, beg to submit to you herein the questions appearing to me to cover the points involved and necessary to be decided by the judgment of the three engineers I am appointing, of

which you are one, together with Mr. W. R. Eckart, No. 3014 Clay street, and Mr. Howard C. Holmes, No. 112 Market street.

I leave you to arrange a conference with each other and to render to me, at the earliest possible moment your opinion or opinions, either separately or collectively, on the following points:

1. To investigate and decide dispute existing between Contractors Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company and the Board of Public Works over completion of Twin Peaks Reservoir. All papers in connection with this dispute are on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and at your disposal. You are at liberty to inquire, from either the Board of Public Works or Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, contractors, for any data you may require in your investigation and findings.

2. Do you approve of the design or plan of the above reservoir? If not, why not?

3. What is the principal cause of the leaky condition of the same?

4. Who is to blame for the condition of the reservoir—the man or men that designed it and made the specifications; the men who inspected and supervised the construction of it; or the contractors who built it; or all?

5. Can the reservoir be made permanently watertight and serviceable?

6. If so, what do you advise to be done to make it so?

7. Do you advise any alteration to be made in the general plan of any portion of the reservoir, and what is the character of such alteration?

8. What do you estimate the cost of such repairs and/or alterations to be, and how much time would be required to make them?

You are respectfully requested to report to me in writing, and I trust you will be able to do so on or before July 1st, 1912.

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His Honor the Mayor announced that the New England Committee has invited himself and the members of the Board of Supervisors to dinner at the Palace Hotel this evening, and asked the members what was their pleasure in the matter.

Motion.

Supervisor Glannini moved that his Honor the Mayor send his regrets, and that on account of the important matters before the Board that it remain

in session until its business is completed.

Motion *carried*.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Electricity Committee—Ralph McLeran, Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Giannini, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Band Stands In Parks.

Supervisor Bancroft moved that a copy of the Building Committee recommendations relative to band stands in parks be sent by the Clerk to the Park Commissioners.

Motion *carried*.

GAS AND ELECTRIC RATES 1912-1913.

Report of Committee on Lighting and Rates.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco:

Gentlemen—

Your Committee on artificial lighting and rates, to whom was referred by the Committee of the Whole the matter of preparing a report on rates for gas, electric light and power and heat for the fiscal year 1912-1913, begs leave to report as follows:

The Committee of the Whole held ten separate hearings on the following dates:

February 14, 1912, 8 o'clock p. m.

February 28, 1912, 8 o'clock p. m.

March 13, 1912, 8 o'clock p. m.

March 20, 1912, 7:30 o'clock p. m.

March 29, 1912, 7:30 o'clock p. m.

April 12, 1912, 7:30 o'clock p. m.

April 26, 1912, 7:30 o'clock p. m.

May 2, 1912, 8 o'clock p. m.

June 11, 1912, 3 o'clock p. m.

June 13, 1912, 2:30 o'clock p. m.

It interrogated the following witnesses:

John A. Britton, Vice-President and Manager of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, which carries on the business formerly conducted by the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company.

Mr. Frederick G. Cartright, Director

Consumers Light and Power Company, and of the Southside Light and Power Company, and of the Equitable Light and Power Company.

Mr. E. C. Jones, Chief Engineer of the gas division of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

Mr. William R. Morgan, Superintendent of Distribution of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

Mr. A. F. Hockenbeamer, Treasurer Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

Mr. George C. Holberton, District Manager Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

Mr. A. W. Bullard, Vice-President of the Great Western Power Company, and the City Electric Company.

Mr. Joseph D. Butler, Auditor Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

Mr. W. D. Brown, a citizen, asking for lower rates.

Numerous statements, reports, and arguments were filed with the Committee of the Whole, and are herein referred to:

Exhibit No. 1—Showing revenue for the year 1911, and original and present cost of plant, Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

Exhibit No. 2—Southside Light and Power Company's statement, showing gross earnings, costs of manufacture, original cost of plant, etc.

Exhibit No. 3—Equitable Light and Power Company's statement, showing gross earnings, costs, of manufacture, cost of plant, etc.

Exhibit No. 4—Consumers Light and Power Company's statement, showing gross earnings, costs of manufacture, original cost of plant, etc.

Exhibit No. 5—City Electric Company's statement, showing gross earnings, costs of manufacture, original cost of plant, etc.

Exhibit No. 6—Communication from the United Railroads of San Francisco, stating that its plants are used exclusively for supplying its own system, except in very limited quantities, and of a temporary nature.

Exhibit No. 7—Statement from the Alaska Commercial Building, showing revenue derived for the year 1911, cost of manufacture, and original cost of plant.

Exhibit No. 8—Memorandum of assessment reported by the Assessor—San Francisco Gas and Electric Company, Metropolitan Light and Power Company, City Electric Company, Mutual Electric Light Company, Southside Light and Power Company, Municipal Light and Power Company.

Exhibit No. 9—City Electric Company, additional statement of operating expenses for year 1911.

Exhibit No. 10—Metropolitan Light and Power Company—Statement of

revenues, expenditures for manufacture and cost of plant.

Exhibit No. 11—The Municipal Light and Power Company—Statement of revenues, expenditures for manufacture and cost of plant.

Exhibit No. 12—Statement of the Telephone, and Heat, and Light, and Power rates of the City of Oakland.

Exhibit No. 13—Correspondence with 21 cities with reference to light and power.

Exhibit No. 14—Pacific Gas and Electric Company—Statement of actual replacement of gas properties for year 1911; itemized statement of property values, San Francisco District; rate of wages paid, and cost of labor per cubic foot of gas; statement of assets; statement of liabilities; statement of income; statement of expenses; cubic feet of gas made; material used; service pipes; number of consumers.

Exhibit No. 15—Sierra Light and Power Company, stating it is not in position to furnish information as to business done by said company during the year 1912.

Exhibit No. 16—Statement showing operative and non-operative values of real estate, improvements, personal property and franchises of San Francisco Gas and Electric Company; Metropolitan Light and Power Company; City Electric Company; Mutual Electric Light Company; Southside Light and Power Company; Municipal Light and Power Company; Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company; Home Telephone Company; Spring Valley Water Company.

Exhibit No. 17—United Railroads of San Francisco—Statement of current furnished by it for the year 1911.

Exhibit No. 18—Printed pamphlet issued by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company—value of properties, detail of costs, etc.

Exhibit No. 19—Pacific Gas and Electric Company—Statement of per cent of unaccounted for gas in San Francisco for years 1876 to 1911, inclusive.

Exhibit No. 20—Pacific Gas and Electric Company—Comparison statement for the years 1910-1911 of revenue and costs.

Exhibit No. 21—Pacific Gas and Electric Company—Statement of costs of gas manufactured by the Metropolitan Light and Power Company.

Exhibit No. 22—Circular by "The Edison Illuminating Company of Boston" referring to the price of electricity in Boston, Mass.

Exhibit No. 23—Woman's Political League of California, protesting against the raising of gas and electric rates in San Francisco.

Exhibit No. 24—Communication from Pacific Gas and Electric Company, re-

fering to contract for oil for the year 1912, and stating that the price of oil contracted for, for the year 1912, as being 68 1-2 cents per barrel.

Exhibit No. 25—Communication from "Residents of the Mission Road," referring to charge for service pipes by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

The Committee will first consider in this report the rates to be charged for gas.

The only gas producing company in San Francisco at this time is the Pacific Gas and Electric Company. They absorbed during December, 1911, the properties of the Metropolitan Light and Power Company, which had theretofore been a competitor in the gas business in the City of San Francisco.

The Committee very seriously considered the method by which gas rates should be fixed. It has been stated on behalf of the company, and it has been the custom in the past, that rates should be fixed upon the consideration of the actual sum of money earned by the company, and a comparison of this sum with the amount of money invested. To a very great extent this method of fixing the rate is mere guesswork, inasmuch as that with the expert, intricate system of bookkeeping in vogue in many of the large corporations and with the frequently excessive charges upon the books of such corporations for depreciation, and the placing of items into operating accounts, and into expenses, when they should be properly placed to Plant Investment charges, it becomes exceedingly difficult for the rate-making body to proceed upon this basis.

No mistake, however, can be made if a scientific method of preparing a rate is developed, if the basis of calculation for rate making purposes is the actual unit cost of the commodity, and all other items of cost and necessary revenue are constructed and added thereon. The Committee proceeded upon this line, and it finds that its conduct is borne out by the accepted theories of the most advanced rate makers. The important factors then to be considered in the making of a rate for artificial gas are:

1. Cost of the product to the company.
2. The value of the property actually in use, and actually needed in the carrying on of the business.
3. What rate of investment return should be allowed thereon.
4. An allowance for depreciation.

Ad. 1. In estimating the cost of one thousand cubic feet of gas as made by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, the Committee relies mainly upon the statement and the testimony offered by

the Company. The cost of gas is made up from the following factors:

(a) *Manufacture.* This includes cost of oil from which the gas is made; the labor and material necessary in the manufacture of gas and repairs to generating plant.

The report for 1911 shows a production of 3,700,320,000 cubic feet. It accounts for gas sold and on hand to the amount of 3,212,257,500 cubic feet—leaving unaccounted for 488,062,500 cubic feet. This amount of gas was manufactured from 747,953.13 barrels of oil, for which the Company says it paid 83 cents per barrel. Testimony has been introduced showing that a greater production than the one thus indicated is possible, and is looked for by improved methods; and the testimony also indicates a production at different times of vastly more gas from each barrel than the average above would indicate. At the same time the company claims to be unable to account for the vast number of feet mentioned above, namely 488,062,500, and ascribes this leakage to a disturbed condition of their distribution system. This leakage would indicate an unusual percentage when compared with the allowances for "unaccounted for gas" in other communities; for instance, the Committee understands that, in Massachusetts, and in Wisconsin, the percentage allowed is 7 per cent; that, in other states it is even smaller. It is shown by the report of the Metropolitan Light and Power Company, in the statement of their operations, up to December 11, 1911 (See Exhibit No. 21), that their leakage of unaccounted for gas in 1911 amounted to only about 4 1-2 per cent, which is proven by the following figures: Amount of gas produced by that company, 456,232,000 cubic feet; amount of gas sold during the same period, 436,831,800 cubic feet. At the same time, this company reports that it paid only 52 cents per barrel for its oil, as against the 83 cents per barrel paid by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

In view of this the Committee is of the opinion that no more than 7 per cent should be allowed for "unaccounted for gas;" that a greater percentage would be a heavy and unreasonable burden on the consumer, and entirely unjustified by conditions; and it is hoped and desired that, if a leakage of more than 7 per cent should really occur, inasmuch as it can then be due only to negligence on the part of the company, that this allowance of a more normal percentage for leakage and unaccounted for gas, will have the tendency of making this company keep its system of distribution in the best condition possible.

The statement of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company shows the cost of gas in the holder in 1911 to have been 27.046 cents per thousand cubic feet.

(b) *Distribution*—This item includes labor, material and repairs involving the distributing system and amounted, according to the statement of the company, to 13.474 cents per thousand cubic feet.

The Third important factor in the cost:

(c) *Administration*—This includes Labor, Material, Legal Expenses, Fire Insurance, Bad Debts, Advertising, Damages to Persons, Rents, Taxes, and Interest on Floating Debt.

The committee is not at this time eliminating any of these items, although it is no doubt a debatable point as to whether such items as "Legal Expense, Bad Debts, Advertising, Damages to Persons" are properly chargeable to the consumers of the community. If these charges were eliminated they would reduce the cost of Administration by about 1.7 cents per thousand cubic feet. While the committee will not eliminate these charges at this time, it does not wish to allow the insertion of these charges to become an established precedent by this acquiescence at this time.

The Company estimated a considerable item for Depreciation, which will be discussed later on, but its actual cost of Administration, according to the figures submitted, amounted to 12.889 cents per thousand cubic feet. So that, summed up, the total cost of gas during 1911 amounted to—

Manufacture	27.046 cents
Distribution	13.474 "
Administration	12.889 "

Total 53.409 cents

It is interesting to note that the statement of the Metropolitan Light and Power Company for 1911, in the same items, shows the cost to that Company to have been as follows:

(a) Manufacture	23.65 cents
(b) Distribution	13.70 "
(c) Administration	13.93 "
or a total of.....	51.28 "

and this in spite of the fact that the Metropolitan Company had a much smaller output, and a much smaller plant. A closer comparison shows that the expense for repairs to the distributing system of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company is proportionately more than twice that of the Metropolitan Light and Power Company. One should also think that, the cost for administration of the Company producing about eight times as much gas, would be proportionately smaller, but this does not seem to be the case.

For the year 1912, it is stated, the

Company is getting its oil at 68½ cents per barrel. Taking the same number of barrels of oil as were used in 1911, namely, 750,000 barrels, at 68½ cents per barrel, the cost of oil to the Company would be \$513,750.

Assuming that the Company again produced 3,700,000,000 cubic feet of gas, and that we allow them to lose by leakage or otherwise 7 per cent, which would roughly be 260,000,000 cubic feet,—this should leave the Company 3,440,000,000 cubic feet—costing for oil 14.937 cents per thousand cubic feet.

Assuming that the Company spends the same sum for other items, of labor and repairs, etc. at the generating plant, namely, \$225,699.96; this would be 6.561 cents per thousand cubic feet—making the gas in the holder cost the Company 21.498 cents.

Again assuming that the same expense would be incurred in distribution,—this item would cost 12.582; and on the same basis the cost of administration would be 12.036 cents per thousand cubic feet; making a total cost of transacting every phase of the business connected with the manufacture and sale of 46.116 cents per thousand cubic feet.

As above indicated, these figures include debatable items, and they do not take into consideration the fact that the business of the Company is growing. The Company admits a growth in consumption of gas of at least three per cent, and states that it has a growth of about twelve per cent in the number of its consumers.

The Committee also finds in the testimony that a considerable portion of the gas manufactured is used for cooking and fuel purposes.

It is reasonable to assume that, while the income of the Company increases by reason of the added number of consumers and the greater consumption, that proportionately the cost of distribution and of administration becomes smaller as the business grows.

It is fair, then, in view of all these factors, to say that the total cost will be no more than 45 cents per thousand cubic feet; and the Committee entertains considerable doubt as to the justification of charges named for repairs, amounting to \$190,696.01,—part of which was for renewals, and as such, might properly have been charged to Capital Investment instead of to Operating Expenses.

Values of Properties Used in the Manufacture of Gas.

The Company's statement, and which they acknowledge to be misleading, shows a book valuation for these properties of \$16,840,606.67; and a further statement is submitted by the Company (Exhibit No. 18), containing a

report from the firm of J. G. White and Company, estimating the total value of the gas division, as of December 31, 1911, which of course includes the Metropolitan Light and Power Company, of \$13,993,887.

Considerable time and attention was given to the investigation of the need of the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company to acquire at this time the properties of the Metropolitan Light and Power Company; and while the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company claims to have needed this property, sufficient testimony was adduced to show that the capacity of the works of the San Francisco Company was and is sufficiently great to be able to take care of any demand,—even a most abnormal one of lengthy period—to be able to get along without the investment in so considerable a property operated by a rival concern.

The fact is deeply impressed upon this Committee, that this purchase was unnecessary and was made, rather for the purpose of buying off or removing a competitor.

It is true that the pipes and other distributing system of the Metropolitan Company are partly in use at this time, but the purchase was unnecessary as far as the public was concerned and had the former owners of the Metropolitan Company continued their ownership, that separate ownership would have proved beneficial to the community.

The fact that the purchase of the Metropolitan Company was unnecessary is proven, since the Pacific Gas and Electric Company shut down the Metropolitan works,—practically immediately after purchase, and easily managed to supply all the needs of the whole community, including that which was theretofore supplied by the Metropolitan, from its own works; namely, the Pacific works, and this despite the fact that the daily production and sale of the Metropolitan amounted to about one and a half million feet,—being about 12 per cent of the average daily output of the Pacific before the purchase. And the fact that the purchase of the Metropolitan on the part of the Pacific was entirely unnecessary is further proven by the statement of the representatives of the Pacific, that the growth in the gas consumption in San Francisco is only about three per cent per annum—that this was the growth in 1911, and that it is about the growth for the first quarter of 1912.

The statements made, and those submitted by the Company, and the investigation on the part of this Committee, show that the works of the Pacific Company were capable of de-

velopment far above their present output; and the Committee does not hesitate to say that the Potrero works of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company could easily produce quite a number of million of feet of gas per day more than it did prior to the purchase of the Metropolitan Company; and that, furthermore, the Company possessed a property of its own right across the County line in San Mateo County, which, in case of an emergency, could have been put into use.

The Committee determined, referring to the testimony given by Engineer Jones on page 201 of the transcript—from which it is reasonable to assume that the total capacity of the Potrero plant is easily 18 to 20 million cubic feet per day, and under pressure for short periods, the generators could no doubt be made to do more. So that an enlargement of the works, or any addition to the generating capacity would have been necessary only after from 6 to 10 years according to the present rate of growth in consumption. The Company would have been fully able to take care of the added demand by constructing additional holders if its present holders were not sufficient. It is reasonable therefore to exclude from any consideration, as far as investment return is concerned, the property acquired from the Metropolitan Company; and the Committee calls this matter to the attention of future rate making committees so that the duplication of plant equipment and of distribution system may well be borne in mind in the allowance of a sufficient income on investment actually in use and needed.

This brings us to a discussion of the rate of income which should be allowed upon property necessary in the business of the Company. Arguments have been made on behalf of the Company that it has entered into an agreement with bond holders that it would earn at least one and one-half times the interest on its outstanding bonds. Inasmuch as these bonds carry 5 per cent interest, and are issued in the amount of \$10,999,000.00 outstanding on December 31, 1911, the Company need have absolutely no fear as to not earning enough from whatever rate this Committee will allow,—particularly, if it is borne in mind that the bonds underlie the gas as well as the electric properties.

The amount of capital stock on December 31, 1911, was \$17,098,433.33.

The Committee finds that a proper and safe and a very liberal return would be found in the allowance of 7 per cent.

The Wisconsin State Railroad Com-

mission deemed an allowance of $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent on a gas plant, in which was included the depreciation item, a full and fair return. So that this Committee is extremely liberal in allowing a 7 per cent return. And the New York Commission states that a return of 8 per cent, which included depreciation, would be a full and fair return on a gas property. English rate-making bodies are allowing but 5 per cent income even on the electric properties.

The Committee will allow a rate per thousand cubic feet of gas to be charged to the consumers in San Francisco, which will yield to the Company a return of 7 per cent on the value of the property actually in use and needed for the manufacture and distribution of gas to the inhabitants of San Francisco.

By reason of supplying the Metropolitan's customers from the works of the Pacific Company at this time through the distributing system in part of the Metropolitan, the annual amount of gas sold by the Metropolitan previous to their sale might be considered in comparison with the cost of distribution through the Metropolitan system.

Testimony shows that the extent of the Metropolitan system of distribution was about 51 miles of pipe; and the Committee here refers to the testimony given by Mr. Morgan, Superintendent of Distribution, as to the cost and value of pipe in the ground.

Inasmuch as the Metropolitan plant was unnecessary to be acquired by the Pacific Company, and inasmuch as independent distribution over the Metropolitan system did not cost the consumer any more than the distribution in the Pacific's system, we may completely eliminate any portion of the Metropolitan system in plant valuation.

The Committee then finds that a full and complete valuation of all the property needed and to be used by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company is \$12,000,000.00. It finds 7 per cent of

this sum would amount to \$840,000.00, which, when divided by the number of feet of gas which the Pacific Company would generate upon the basis named above, would amount to 24.418 cents per thousand cubic feet.

If it should be claimed that the Pacific Company is now supplying consumers of the Metropolitan Company with gas, this would mean that they are producing approximately 500,000,000 feet per annum more than they did in 1911; and if they should claim they were justly entitled to a return upon the distributing system of the Metropolitan which they are using for supplying gas, it might be granted that there is merit in this contention. In that case we might assume the properties rightly in use amount to in value—\$13,500,000.00; but against that we would have to figure the increased number of feet distributed by the Pacific Company, and our factor would become about 3,940,000,000 cubic feet. In fact, it might well be calculated at 4,000,000,000 cubic feet, in view of the additional increase in consumption. So, that the needed return upon the investment,—figuring the same at 7 per cent, would in no case exceed the item of 24.418 cents per thousand cubic feet. On the contrary, this item should probably fall below 24 cents per thousand cubic feet, and on a basis of 4,000,000,000 cubic feet would be $23\frac{5}{8}$ cents. The Committee, however, will allow 24.418 cents per thousand cubic feet.

It might be claimed that the allowance of 7 per cent should be a sufficient return on the investment to enable the Company to take care of depreciation. The Committee, however, is desirous of being extremely liberal with the Company, and wishes to allow the Company a certain amount to take care of depreciation. At this point the Committee will introduce a statement showing the manner in which the Pacific Gas and Electric Company computed the item of \$689,096, which they claim to be depreciation for 1911.

*Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Francisco District.
Depreciation of Gas Properties, Year 1911.*

CLASSES OF PROPERTY	VALUE		DEPRECIATION AMOUNT
	12/31/10	%	
Automobiles	\$ 10,315.00		
Gas mains	4,490,695.00	2%	\$ 89,813.90
Services	2,471,964.00	10%	247,196.00
Meters	1,026,509.00	20%	205,301.80
Lamp posts	172,614.00	10%	17,261.00
Buildings	542,693.00	2%	10,853.00
Pumps	72,363.00	10%	7,236.00
Oil tanks	85,323.00	2%	1,706.00
Water tanks and connections.....	10,000.00	10%	1,000.00
Generators and connections.....	725,055.00	2%	14,501.00
Lampblack separators	25,714.00	20%	5,143.00
Purifiers and connections.....	237,281.00	5%	16,369.00
Scrubbers and connections.....	191,083.00	2%	3,822.00
Boilers and connections	118,712.00	5%	5,936.00
Coal bunkers and connections	164,000.00	5%	8,200.00
Engines and connections	106,489.00	5%	5,324.00
Shop equipment	18,029.00	2%	3,605.00
Piping	156,500.00	2%	3,130.00
Exhausters and connections.....	48,543.00	5%	2,427.00
Holders and connections	1,121,351.00	2%	22,427.00
Station meters and connections.....	58,000.00	2%	1,160.00
Miscellaneous structures	77,469.00	20%	15,493.00
Office equipment	23,818.00	5%	1,191.00
	<u>\$12,044,620.00</u>		<u>\$689,096.00</u>

This item of \$689,096.00 is plainly excessive. Testimony has been given, that the life of a gas property is taken to be 33 years. We are informed that it is estimated variously to run from 35 to 45 years. This Committee is of the opinion that depreciation should be computed by a sinking fund method, and it finds that, if we take the life of the gas property to be 35 years, and if we put the value of the properties for the purpose of a depreciation fund to be \$14,000,000.00; that a sum of \$155,008.00 at the end of each year, and compounded annually at the rate of 5 per cent would, at the end of 35 years, amount to \$14,000,000.00.

The Committee believes that a computation at 5 percent is fair inasmuch as the testimony of the Company shows that they have always been reinvesting their depreciation funds in the properties of the Company itself; and, since the bonds of the Company bear 5 per cent interest, and income on its property is greater than that, the sinking fund for depreciation should carry also 5 per cent; and the Committee is willing to allow the sum of \$155,008 in this wise as depreciation. This sum, when divided by the divisor representing the number of cubic feet of gas, namely, 3,440,000,000, would indicate 45.06 cents per thousand cubic feet.

The Committee thus allows a full valuation of the property as it exists at this time.

It is interesting to note that, on

December 31, 1911, there appeared upon the books of the Company a depreciation fund of \$3,976,574.43; while this depreciation reserve on March 31, 1912, appears upon the books of the Company as amounting to only \$839,000.

The testimony of Mr. George C. Holberton shows that this vast depreciation reserve had been accumulated inside of four years upon the properties of the Gas and Electric works, and the difference, no doubt, was transferred to other accounts—probably as Plant Investment, or as charges to Capital account; thus increasing the book values of the properties as they may appear at subsequent hearings and in subsequent statements. This form of absorbing accumulated undivided profits seems to have been the custom among great corporations; however, it is unfair and should not be tolerated. It proves that greater sums have been calculated for depreciation than the risks of the business called for, and the surplus thus created is, at a later date, taken out of the account and used either for the payment of dividends when the fund is carried separately in the form of Plant Investment, or it takes the form of Stock Dividends when the money may have been reinvested in the Company itself, or the account may be juggled in some other manner unfair both to the gas consumers of the years when this surplus was claimed and allowed in the rate, or to the Stockholders of previous years who did not then

get the full benefit of that year's gain.

Mains and pipes in use in the distribution of gas have a probable life of 100 years or more. Meters have a life of at least ten years. It will thus be seen, with a comparison of the depreciation statement showing the Company's calculation, that their method of calculating depreciation is excessive on the very face of it.

Some rate making bodies, instead of creating a sinking fund for depreciation and obsolescence, or instead of allowing a separate annual sum continuously, set aside a greater percentage for a short period of years, or until this depreciation reserve fund has attained to a certain sum previously definitely ascertained. At that time the company is obliged to insure its own depreciation thereafter by using this accumulative fund as a reserve, or sinking, or investment fund, which in time will grow to the full value of the initial property. The percentage allowed, and the sum to which it is allowed to accrue by the community, are based upon the same theory as the one which this Committee follows, and no doubt the life of the plant, and the accumulation of compound interest is taken into consideration. There may be one advantage to this latter method, and that is this—until the fund attains to the sum stipulated, which may be about 20 per cent of the plant value, the fund is inviolate; thereafter it may be considered sufficiently large to be allowed to be reinvested in the Company's own plant—the element of a great loss being eliminated to a considerable extent by that time.

Under the system which this Committee advocates the Company may, as it has done heretofore, invest in its own plant such sums as are properly liable for this sinking fund. The Company no doubt found this highly profitable and advantageous heretofore, and it appears likely to this Committee that the Company will find it profitable to do so in the future.

The items which thus make up the rate properly chargeable for Gas will appear as follows:

- | | |
|---|--------|
| 1. Cost of gas as produced, delivered and collected for per thousand cubic feet, 45 cents | 45 |
| 2. Investment return 24.418..... | 24.418 |
| 3. For Depreciation Sinking Fund, 4.506 | 4.506 |

A total of 73.924 cents...73.924 cents per 1000 cubic feet.

In order to provide for any further contingencies, the Committee allows an additional 1.076 cents per thousand cubic feet; thus making the maximum charge allowable in San Francisco for

the fiscal year 1912-1913, 75 cents per thousand cubic feet of gas.

With reference to the quality of gas furnished, the Committee is of the opinion that a candle power of 18 minimum per cubic foot would be sufficient. The ordinance now in effect prescribes a minimum of 600 B T U and the Committee is of the opinion that this minimum should be maintained.

The Committee also recommends that the gas furnished to the people of San Francisco should contain no sulphuretted hydrogen, and that it may not contain more than 25 grains of sulphur per hundred cubic feet; nor more than five grains of ammonia per hundred cubic feet. We recommend, furthermore, that the pressure shall not be less than two inches nor more than nine inches water in height against atmospheric pressure.

This Committee has carefully considered all the arguments put forth in behalf of the Company, as well as for the people. It desires to be eminently fair to all concerned. It takes pleasure in stating that the quality of gas served the community is of a very high grade and very satisfactory; and it believes that the departmental heads of the Company are men of very rare and exceptional technical skill and knowledge. And the Committee, furthermore, recognizes that the relations of a great public service corporation and the community are in the nature of a partnership,—that one depends upon the other, and that they must mutually assist each other.

We desire, therefore, to state that we have wished to fix a true and scientific basis of calculations for rate making purposes; and that we believe that the rate so fixed yields a very liberal and fair income to the Company,—securing it in the growth, and development, and the safe-guarding of its interests, and giving to the community at the same time that small benefit which the growth of the community itself and the natural advantages of the situation contribute to. The saving in the cost of gas to the community in round numbers is estimated at about \$150,000 to \$200,000.

Electric Current.

As in the matter of gas rates, this Committee wishes to state that it considers of prime importance the actual cost of the electric energy produced. This must form the basic item of the rate to be determined; whatever is added thereto must be to give the company a safe return on its investment, and to enable it to keep its investment secure and protected in depreciation and obsolescence.

From the statements and testi-

mony submitted, we find that there are several companies operating in the manufacture and sale of electric energy and light—some of them operating with a small capital and in a very limited territory; others, like the City Electric Company and the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, with a considerable plant investment, and over a more extended field.

With reference to the City Electric Company, their statement shows a particularly favorable condition—they produce electric energy at a cost of .550 cents per kilowatt-hour, distributing at a cost of .061 cents per kilowatt-hour, with an administration expense of .301 cents per kilowatt-hour, or a total of .912 cents per kilowatt-hour, sold; against which they have obtained a price of 1.909 cents per kilowatt-hour, sold. This company states the original cost of its plant to be approximately \$7,700,000. Inasmuch as this company has placed its business upon a very unusual and exceptionally remunerative basis, by reason of the fact that it has entered into a contract for the sale of a very considerable quantity of power to one customer, it would be unfair to take the condition of this company as the basis for fixing rates. The committee will therefore take the condition of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company as that of a representative concern.

The firm of J. G. White & Co. places a valuation, as of December 31, 1911, upon the electric properties of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company in San Francisco at \$11,152,006. In its statement submitted to the Board of Supervisors, the Pacific Gas and Electric Company estimates the depreciation which occurred in its plant during 1911, or the amount properly chargeable therefor, as .709 cents per kilowatt-hour, or a total sum of \$543,268.16. This item the Committee will, at this time, eliminate, in order to take it up later on.

The statement then shows the following items of cost of electric energy:

Generating	1.060
Distribution . . . . .	.505
Administration . . . . .	.582

A total of 2.147
cents per K W H.

The Committee wishes to allow the company a full and fair return on the property in use, and it takes the valuation placed upon it by J. G. White & Co., disregarding at this time, without prejudice, for further consideration, the possibility that the acquisition of the Mutual Electric Company plant for the sum of \$1,294,230 dur-

ing the year 1911 was unnecessary, and the further possibility that these properties are not completely in use or needed for the purpose of furnishing the community with electricity.

On the basis of the number of kilowatt-hours sold during 1911, namely, approximately 68,800,000 kilowatt-hours, and allowing an income of 7 per cent upon \$11,000,000, the apportionment per kilowatt-hour would be 1.119 cents.

Depreciation—The Committee, upon the best information which it could obtain, estimates the life of an electric plant at twenty years. It takes the ground that the public service corporation should be protected against the growth of obsolescence and necessary replacement of its properties. As it did in the gas rate it will follow the method of providing a sum for a sinking fund which, with compound interest at 5 per cent, would, at the end of twenty years produce the total value of the property as it now appears, namely, \$11,000,000. This sum is found to be \$332,673, and the Committee considers this a very full and ample figure, particularly in view of the fact that it takes a valuation of \$11,000,000, although, for rate fixing purposes, possibly a much smaller sum should suffice. This sum for a depreciation sinking fund, when apportioned over the number of kilowatts sold during 1911, would give the figure .483 cents per kilowatt-hour; and adding all these items together, the company should be entitled to a rate or rates for electric current, for lighting and power, equivalent to the sum of these items, namely:

Representing actual cost	2.147
Representing investment return	1.119
Representing depreciation sinking fund allowance . . . . .	.483

Total 3.749
cents per K. W. H.

The testimony of the company shows, furthermore, that its cost of generating electricity will be reduced henceforth through the lower cost of oil, and possibly through improved methods of manufacture. The company will also extend its use of hydro-electric energy, which is decidedly cheaper than steam generated electric energy; and the company will furthermore benefit very materially by the natural great growth in consumption of electric energy in this city.

It has recently entered into a contract with the municipality for furnishing a considerable quantity of electric power, and it has again ob-

tained the contract for lighting public buildings, streets, parks, etc., both of which will mean a substantial increase in the income of the company, this increase representing practically a clear profit to the company without large additional expense to them.

In view of all these circumstances the Committee recommends a reduction in the rates charged for electric current, for lighting and for power, from the rates now in existence.

The present rate charged for electric light current is a graduated rate, with a top rate for the smallest consumption, of 9 cents per kilowatt-hour. Special attention has been given to the claim of the company, and of other experts that this rate of 9 cents for the smallest consumption is not excessive; but the Committee finds that the graduated rate scale is irregular, calling for interpretation on the part of the public, and that the present rates may, in full justice to the company, be lowered materially for the various classes of consumers, according to the quantity consumed; and it desires to establish a flat basis of rates, as follows:

\$1.00 per month minimum charge for up to 1250 W. H.

8 cents on from 1250 to 2000 W. H. per 16 C. P. incandescent lamp per month.

7 cents on from 2000 to 3000 W. H. per 16 C. P. incandescent lamp per month.

6 cents on from 3000 to 5000 W. H. per 16 C. P. incandescent lamp per month.

5 cents on from 5000 to 9000 W. H. per 16 C. P. incandescent lamp per month.

4 cents on from 9000 W. H. upwards per 16 C. P. incandescent lamp per month.

This shows the following reductions:

9c reduced to 8c.

3.55c reduced to 7c.

8.10c and 7.65c reduced to 6c.

7.20c, 6.75c, 6.30c and 5.85c reduced to 5c.

5.40c reduced to 4c.

The Committee does not desire to disturb the present minimum charge of \$1 per month for the maintenance of a meter to any consumer whose bill for current furnished during such month does not exceed \$1, inasmuch as it considers this a reasonable and legitimate charge.

The Committee recommends the following rates for arc lights:

For each arc light burning twenty-four hours, \$5 per week.

For each arc light burning from sunrise to sunset, \$3 per week.

For each arc light burning from sunset to sunrise, \$2.25 per week.

For each arc light burning from sunset to midnight, \$1.75 per week.

For each arc light burning for six nights from sunset to 9:30 p. m., \$1.40 per week.

The Committee believes that a lowering of the 9-cent rate for the smallest consumption will be conducive to an increase in the consumption of electricity, and that whatever loss in income the company might anticipate on this account it would amply be reimbursed for by the added consumption of electric current; however, until it can make further investigation it hesitates to put a radically lower rate for the minimum quantity into operation; but it is desirous, nevertheless, of securing to the smaller consumer the benefit of a lower rate, and it has therefore fixed the maximum rate at 8 cents for the consumption of from 1250 to 2000 watt-hours, which reduction secures to the consumer a lower rate than heretofore.

The argument of the Company appears to be reasonable. We realize that it must install a lighting service, and a distributing system, and current sufficient for a possible peak load—the consumer using their equipment, and their current but a very small portion of the time than which they must hold themselves in readiness for service to him, is not entitled to as low a basis of rate as the consumer who helps them to use up a greater portion of their output, and who helps them to earn an income on their investment.

Heat and Power.

The Committee recommends the same maximum rates for electric current used for heat or power as for that used for lighting, each horsepower of motor capacity connected being considered as equivalent to 12½ sixteen candle power incandescent lamps.

The Committee believes to have found a measurably good solution of the question of rates for electric current, and presents this report in the full conviction that the rates named herein are fair to the Company and favorable to the community, inasmuch as they should effect a saving to the community of fully \$200,000 per annum on electricity. We wish to point out that the schedule of rates here proposed benefits all classes of consumers, but particularly the users of electricity in households and in domestic purposes.

Conclusion.

In summing up our work we will say that we have aimed to be liberal and fair throughout in all the calculations made. In many instances items of value have been taken into account which are at least debatable, and a return has been allowed to the Company on prop-

erties which the Committee strongly believes are not in use and unnecessary in the conduct of the business. We would refer for instance to a portion of the gas distributing system. Testimony shows that a portion of this system, consisting of old mains and pipes, is neither needed nor used for the distribution of gas. At the same time it presumably has received a valuation in the estimate made by J. G. White and Company.

We also wish to point out that in calculating depreciation of the gas properties we have allowed a valuation of \$14,000,000 as for properties necessary or in use, which is clearly a greater sum than could justly be even claimed, inasmuch as it includes real estate which should properly be excluded.

The Committee has allowed to the Company full reimbursement for all the money spent for repairs, renewals and maintenance, both in the naming of the gas rate, as well as in the naming of the rate for electricity.

It might therefore have been possible for the Committee to reduce the rates still lower, but the Committee believes that these rates will be of such great benefit to the community that the community can well afford to continue to encourage its public service corporations in the development and extension of their service, both with regard to the physical properties as well as with an eye to the efficiency thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. NOLAN, Chairman.

HENRY PAYOT.

ADOLF KOSHLAND.

Privilege of the Floor.

John A. Britton, President of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that owing, no doubt, to the short time allowed the Lighting Committee to investigate and adjust the rates, that several inaccuracies, seriously affecting the result arrived at by the committee, had crept into the report.

He purposed, he said, to prove from the committee's own figures that the rate of 75 cents for gas was confiscatory and that the company's contention for a rate exceeding 80c was justified.

He alleged an omission of \$81,000 from the calculation paid for materials which alone added 2.715 cents to the 75-cent rate fixed by the committee; also that approximately \$2,000,000 paid for the Metropolitan plant was not allowed in the valuation taken as a basis for fixing rate; this, he declared, would add 4 cents more to the rate, bringing it over 80 cents.

He presented a letter from J. G. White & Company, who are engaged in

preparing an appraisal of the properties of the company, stating that the plant of the Metropolitan Light and Power Company had not been included in the valuation of the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company's properties, submitted under date of March 15, 1912.

He declared, further, that the committee's methods of calculating depreciation was erroneous and grossly unjust to the company, but had accepted them for the purpose of his argument.

He declared that the Committee also erred in its estimate of income on a 75-cent rate for the reason that if the rate is fixed at 75 cents the actual rate will be about 74 cents. There are a number of large consumers who receive a special rate—the city only pays 60 cents per thousand feet. This condition reduces the average rate to about 74 cents. He concluded by saying that the same general arguments may be properly applied to electric lighting rates, only they are more drastic in their conclusions.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the following matters were passed for printing:

Gas Rates.

Bill No. 2164, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Fixing the minimum standard quality and illuminating power of gas and the maximum rate and price to be charged therefor, for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913."

Ayes—Supervisors Baneroff, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Electric Rates.

Also, Bill No. 2165, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Fixing the maximum rate and price to be charged for incandescent and electric lights, and for electricity for heat and power purposes for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913."

Ayes—Supervisors Baneroff, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Water Rates, 1912-1913.

The following bill, being the majority recommendation of Water Service and Rates Committee, was taken up:

Bill No. 2162, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating monthly rates of compensation to be collected by any person, company or

corporation engaged in the business of supplying water to the inhabitants of the City and County of San Francisco for family uses, for private purposes, for municipal uses and for all public purposes of said City and County for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913."

Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved a horizontal reduction of 4 per cent on the rate recommended.

Motion *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Nolan—2.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed to Print.

Whereupon, the above bill was passed for printing by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Nolan—2.

Report of Telephone and Rates Committee.

San Francisco, June 10, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Telephone and Rates to whom was entrusted the duty of preparing a bill fixing and determining the maximum rates or compensation to be charged for telephonic service during the coming fiscal year, respectfully reports, that after careful consideration of the testimony given and the exhibits filed during the telephone rates hearings, it recommends for passage the bill herewith submitted fixing and determining the maximum rates to be collected and the quality of the telephone service to be furnished during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913.

The changes made by the Bill presented from the rates at present in operation are as follows:

BUSINESS MEASURED SERVICE.

The complement of exchange switches included with the \$5.00 per month rate is increased from 75 to 80 switches.

The complement of exchange switches included with the \$7.50 per month rate is increased from 175 to 185 switches.

The complement of exchange switches included with the \$9.15 per month rate is increased from 240 to 250 switches.

The complement of exchange switches included with the \$12.47 rate per month is increased from 380 to 390 switches.

The complement of exchange switches included with the \$15.00 per month rate is increased from 530 to 540 switches.

The complement of exchange switches included with the \$17.48 per month rate is increased from 750 to 780 switches.

The complement of exchange switches included with the \$19.57 per month rate is increased from 1080 to 1100 switches.

Your Committee also decided that the following paragraph in Section 2 of the Ordinance now in effect should be eliminated:

"It shall be the duty of the telephone company to advise their subscribers by written notice if it is found that for three consecutive months the schedule charged is higher than the number of contract switches shown. Said notice to state:

"1. The rate charged.

"2. The number of contract switches.

"3. The number of excess switches.

"4. Advice as to average number monthly switches.

"5. Advice as to what proper schedule subscriber should be under."

Before arriving at this decision, your Committee became satisfied that the above duty imposed on the company furnishing telephonic service does not result in material benefit to the subscriber. The subscriber each month receives a bill showing the number of switches used in excess of the complement allowed under the rate paid for and thus has all needed information as to the proper schedule he should be under.

The testimony of telephone officials was that from 5000 to 5500 of these notices have been sent out each quarter, with practically little result, as the reply notices received making change in the rate taken do not average more than 100 each month. Under this condition your Committee felt that the company could be relieved of the duty imposed without working any injury to the subscriber.

While your Committee has been unable to determine what effect the increases allowed in the complement of switches will have on the revenue of the company, it has been informed and believes that a saving of between \$30,000 and \$35,000 to telephone subscribers will be made during the coming year.

Your Committee was anxious to bring about a reduction in the rates collected for residence telephones, but found, owing to limited time, that it was unable to secure the necessary

data upon which to base an intelligent reduction. It was stated by the telephone company officials that a reduction in residence telephone rates would result in a loss to the company, the amount of which could not be foretold. Your Committee is of the opinion that the rates for residence telephones should be revised, but this revision cannot be intelligently made until after the books and physical properties of the company have been examined by an expert. To make this examination would require weeks of close and careful study and your Committee recommends that before the next annual rate fixing investigation your Honorable Body authorize the employment of an expert to conduct such an investigation.

In the matter of the increase in the complement of switches allowed with each rate of business measured service, your Committee became satisfied from the statements of the company that subscribers are using more than the complement of switches allowed them under the present ordinance and that the number could be increased with advantage to the patrons and without serious loss to the corporation.

Your Committee is of the opinion that a flat rate with unlimited switching would prove of great advantage to all classes of subscribers, but is not in possession of the data required to determine what rate would be equitable and fair to both the patron and the company. Now that the public service corporations are required to make statements to the State Railroad Commission, your Committee believes that much valuable data relating to the telephone service will be available for use by your Honorable Board when the next rates investigation is commenced.

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company some years ago entered into an agreement by the terms of which the city was to be allowed 600 free telephones for use of the various municipal officers, departments and bureaus. This complement of telephones has proved insufficient, owing to the growth of the city's business and at the present time the municipality is using approximately 230 more telephones than are called for in the agreement. While the company has never raised objection to this excess, your Committee deemed it advisable to take up the matter with the company officials, to the end that a new agreement be reached. The officials of the company have agreed with your Committee that they will continue this service and allow any additional telephones that may be required by the city. The company is planning to

erect a station for the use of the municipality in the Civic Center area, or immediately adjacent thereto, and expects to have it in operation when the new City Hall is occupied. With the operation of this station the company expects to reduce the number of phones required by the city and at the same time give an improved service. Until this time the new agreement for city telephones will remain in operation.

Respectfully submitted.

FRED L. HILMER,

Chairman.

J. EMMET HAYDEN,

OSCAR HOCKS,

Telephone and Rates Committee.

Telephone Rates, 1912-1913.

Thereupon, Supervisor Hilmer presented:

Bill No. 2161, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Fixing and determining the maximum rates or compensation to be collected for telephonic service in the City and County of San Francisco for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, and prescribing the quality of said telephonic service during said year."

Motion.

Supervisor Giannini moved to amend as follows:

Business Rates.

Reduce \$5.00 rate to \$4.00, increase switches from 75 to 100.

Reduce \$7.50 rate to \$6.00, increase switches from 175 to 200.

Reduce \$9.15 rate to \$7.50, increase switches from 240 to 275.

Reduce \$12.47 rate to \$10.00, increase switches from 380 to 425.

Reduce \$15.00 rate to \$12.50, increase switches from 530 to 650.

Reduce \$17.48 rate to \$15.00, increase switches from 750 to 1000.

Reduce \$19.57 rate to \$17.50, increase switches from 1080 to 1350.

Supervisor Giannini stated that the adoption of his amendment would mean a reduction of about \$90,000. He believed that the company's claim for depreciation in sum of \$498,555.71 should not be allowed. He thought that \$272,500, determined by Supervisor Koshland by the Sinking Fund Method, was a proper allowance.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. W. Gilkyson, representing the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, protested against proposed reduction in rates and increased switching service. He said that unlike the regulation of water or lighting rates, the effect of a reduction of telephone rates was an unknown factor and he did not think his company could stand it. The increased switching means increase of operators and plant, but does

not mean an increased revenue, and he believed that it would materially increase operation and plant cost.

Amendment Lost.

Whereupon, the question being taken on Supervisor Giannini's amendment, same was *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, Murphy, Payot—9.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan, Vogelsang—9.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the above entitled bill was *passed for printing* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—12.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy—6.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Journal and Calendars.

A proposal from the Recorder Printing and Publishing Company for printing the Journal of Proceedings and Calendar of the Board of Supervisors, Dail Trial and Law and Motion Calendars and Decisions of the Supreme and Appellate Courts for the fiscal year 1912-1913, was received, read and referred to the Publicity Committee.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

TAX LEVY, 1912-1913.

Bill No. 2149, Ordinance No. 1925 (New Series), Providing revenue and levying taxes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Under and pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, and in conformity thereto, a tax is hereby levied for City and County purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, on all property, real and personal, in the City and County of San Francisco, except such property as is by law exempt from taxation, the sum of two and five one-hundredths dollars on each one hundred dollars valuation of said taxable property, as the same appears, or will appear, upon the assessment roll for said fiscal year, which said sum of two and five one-

hundredths dollars tax on each one hundred dollars valuation as aforesaid is hereby apportioned to the funds and accounts known and designated as follows:

For the General Fund, in addition to the rate fixed by Section 11, Chapter 1 of Article III of the Charter, and as authorized by Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series)	\$.61
For the General Fund, as authorized by Section 11, Chapter I of Article III of the Charter .....	.746
For the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund .....	.014
For the Common School Fund..	.224
For the Library Fund.....	.016
For the Park Fund.....	.07
For the respective funds to redeem and pay the interest on bonds sold prior to November 8, 1910, as follows:	
Hospital Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904...	.0048
Street Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904.....	.0106
School Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904....	.0186
County Jail and Additions to Hall of Justice Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904 .....	.0040
Library Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904 ....	.0100
Children's Playgrounds Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904 .....	.0071
Golden Gate Park and Presidio Extension Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904	.0031
Mission Park Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, Issue 1904 .....	.0028
Fire Protection Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0385
Sewer Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.237
School Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0263
Hospital Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0204
Hall of Justice Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0117
Garbage Disposal Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0145
Water Supply Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1909	.0202
Geary Street Railway Bond Interest Fund, issue 1910 ....	.0037
For the respective funds to redeem and pay the interest on bonds sold since November 8, 1910, as follows:	
Sewer Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904....	.0362

Street Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904.....	.0010
School Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904....	.0037
Library Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1904....	.0031
Fire Protection Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0100
Sewer Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0116
School Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0175
Hospital Bond Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0160
Hall of Justice Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0066
Garbage Disposal Bond Redemption and Interest Fund, issue 1908 .....	.0023
Polytechnic High School Interest Fund, issue 1910.....	.0047
Geary Street Railway Bond Interest Fund, issue 1910 .....	.0136
Water Bond Interest Fund, issue 1910 .....	.0100
City Hall Bond Interest Fund, issue 1912 .....	.0062
Exposition Bond Interest Fund, issue 1912 .....	.0075

Total\$2.05

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

RECESS.

Thereupon, the Board at the hour of 6:30 o'clock p. m. took a recess until 8:30 p. m.

Reassembled.

The Board reassembled at the hour of 9:45 o'clock p. m., the following members being noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—14.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9498 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

General Fund.

Pacific Gas and Electric Company, gas and electricity

supplied Public Schools and Public Buildings, during month of May, 1912 (claim dated June 3, 1912).....	\$34,562.55
Spring Valley Water Company, water supplied hydrants during month of May 1912 (claim dated June 3, 1912)	10,962.85
San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, impounding, feeding, etc., animals (claim dated May 1, 1912).....	1,354.00
San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, furnishing automobile pound wagon and equipment for catching dogs month of May, 1912 (claim dated June 1, 1912)	540.00
Cronan's Cornice Works, metal boxes and candle sticks for Department of Elections, Contract 154 (claim dated May 29, 1912).....	1,045.00
The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors (claim dated April 1, 1912)	3,677.80
Maud B. Booth Home for Children, maintenance of minors (claim dated April 30, 1912)	528.00
Whitcomb Estate, by James Otis, Trustee, rent of City Hall for month of May, 1912 (claim dated June 5, 1912)	5,250.00

Library Fund.

The Emporium, books, S. F. Public Library (claim dated May 31, 1912).....	\$712.21
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Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland, repaving over sidewalk trenches (claim dated June 4, 1912).....	\$934.70
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Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., division wall, Twin Peaks reservoir (claim dated May 28, 1912).....	\$1,000.00
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Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 14th progress payment, construction Twin Peaks reservoir (claim dated May 28, 1912)	12,000.00
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Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Providing \$247,000 for Construction of Carhouse, Substation and Office.

The following Resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$247,000.00

be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the Geary Street Railway Construction Bond Fund of 1910, for the construction of car house, sub-station and office building for said Geary Street Railway to be segregated as follows:

For construction of said car house sub-station and office building in accordance with plans and specifications as per proposition number three by the Board of Public Works, the sum of....	\$23,000
To cover possible bonus provided in the specifications, the sum of	12,000
To cover the cost of incidentals during construction, the sum of	5,000
Total	\$247,000

Report of Supervisor McLeran on Modified Plan of Geary Street Car Barn.

Whereupon, the following report was presented by Supervisor McLeran, read by the Clerk and ordered *filed*:

San Francisco, Cal., June 13, 1912.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, California.
Gentlemen:

Looking over the plans for the municipal car barn I find that the layout is rather extravagant and that the cost amounts to about ten per cent of the total bond issue for the entire railroad. It strikes me this is entirely out of proportion and that the amount of money to be expended on the car barn should be greatly reduced.

My criticism, generally, is that the entire layout is too extravagant; that the method of construction adopted should be changed to meet the conditions imposed and yet give a satisfactory car barn.

I would suggest, briefly, that a one-story car barn be built, using steel columns, light steel trusses without intermediate columns, 2-inch concrete roof slab reinforced with high rib, or like material covered on top with asphalt roof; the division partitions between each section of the barn to be of 6-inch hollow terra cotta tile; that a single continuous pit for repairs in each section would be sufficient; this could be formed by using continuous wall on each side of pit in place of separate piers as indicated.

If there is not sufficient fill on the premises to level off the lot to meet the conditions, there is plenty of sand in the neighborhood which could be utilized for this purpose.

The retaining walls, of course, will be of concrete. The exterior enclosing walls could be built of brick in suitable colors, getting a much nicer effect

than the concrete cemented, at the same or less cost.

The exposed roof finish as shown, using terra cotta tile with concrete underneath, is rather extravagant. The design could be changed to use less expensive materials and effect considerable saving.

Particular attention is called to the method of construction. While not criticizing the method adopted, the reinforced concrete work shown is of the very highest order, and very expensive, inasmuch as the edges and shoulders in the corners where they join the slab are chamfered and shouldered. There is no question in my mind that this concrete construction as shown is vastly more expensive than the light steel frame construction which I have recommended in the foregoing. Some of the girder sections shown on the drawings are built of concrete fully 8 inches in depth. The finest of materials have been used in all cases in the skylights where steel section has been used, lead and copper gutters, ornaments, bronze hold fasts for flagpoles, and in fact as fine material as used in any municipal building, let alone a car barn.

At the lower end of Presidio avenue there is shown a sub-station basement. If there is any space required for the men I see no reason why the entire second floor can not be eliminated and this used for that purpose. This report is in no way a criticism on the drawings and specifications. They are the most complete set of plans I have ever seen, although they are drawn to a 3/32-inch scale, which is unusual, the figures are so complete that any one who understands plans can readily read them.

In conclusion I wish to state that I have carefully gone over the plans, having had them in my office for one week, and feel absolutely safe in asserting that a first class municipal car barn can be erected for a cost not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand (\$150,000) dollars.

The extravagance of the building can be judged from the cost of a few of the items as follows: It will cost \$19,000 for the copper, sheet and metal work; \$21,000 for lath and plaster; \$27,500 for reinforcing steel and the balance of the building equally as expensive in proportion.

It is not necessary that one must be an engineer, architect or builder, but it must be apparent to any intelligent man that the plans and specifications as drawn by the engineering department of the Board of Works for the Geary street car barn is an un-

necessary waste of public money and could be averted.

Respectfully submitted,
RALPH McLERAN.

Motion.

Thereupon, Supervisor McLeran moved that the above Resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Motion *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, McLeran, Nolan—4.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Murdock,
Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—11.

Absent — Supervisors Jennings,
Mauzy, McCarthy—3.

Final Passage.

Thereupon, the above resolution was finally passed as Resolution No. 9499 (New Series) by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher,
Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,
Koshland, Murdock, Murphy, Payot,
Vogelsang—13.

Noes—Supervisors McLeran, Nolan—2.

Absent — Supervisors Jennings,
Mauzy, McCarthy—3.

Adopted.

Whereupon the following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Vogel-
sang under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Approval of Plan No. 1, Geary Street
Car Barn.

J. R. No. 262.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Board that plan No. 1 for the Geary Street Railway car house be adopted and that the contract be let to the successful bidder on his bid of \$210,000.00 for a car house according to said plan No. 1; and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be directed to send a copy of this Resolution to the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher,
Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,
Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy,
Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Final Passage.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing, was taken up out of order and finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Amending Taxicab Ordinance Permitting Charge for Valets on Outside of Vehicle, and Establishing Deadline for Runners and Solicitors at Ferry and Stations.

Bill No. 2152 Ordinance No. 1926 (New Series), Amending sections 18 and 32 of Ordinance No. 1898 (New

Series), entitled, "Regulating the use of Hackney carriages, automobiles, taxicabs and other public passenger vehicles, fixing the rates to be charged for transportation of persons and personal baggage, regulating the use of boats in the waters of the bay, providing a punishment for any violation thereof, and repealing Order No. 1611, Ordinances Nos. 446, 1033 and 514 (New Series)."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9500 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:

For moving and fitting up departments in Temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice, additional appropriation, out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."\$10,000.00

For cleaning, painting and relettering "Mission Bells" throughout the city, to be expended by the Board of Public Works; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to Streets, etc." 120.00

For construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section D-1, North Point main, additional appropriation; out of sewer construction account, Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908. 4,800.00

For the improvement of Corbett avenue, between Douglass and Ord streets, additional appropriation, out of item for "Paving, repaving, repairs to Streets, etc." 100.00

For the purchase of pianola and moving picture machine for use of Relief Home, out of General Fund 1,250.00

For transportation of leper patient at Isolation Hospital to Seattle, out of item "For continuance of sanitary measures"..... 131.30

For investigation of Hetch Hetchy Water supply, and the securing of data for submission to United States Army Engineers and Department of the Interior; to be expended by the City Attorney, out of

Water Construction Bonds
1910 5,000.00

For the preparation of plans and supervising the construction of the Islais Creek and North Beach incinerators, to be expended by the Bureau of Engineering through the Board of Public Works, out of Garbage Disposal Bonds, issue 1908 5,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Providing \$3430 for the Construction of
"Special Construction" Building of the
Ashbury Heights Pumphouse.

Resolution No. 9501 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$3430 be
and the same is hereby set aside and
appropriated out of the Fire Protection
Account, Public Building Fund, Bond
Issue 1908, for the construction of
"Special Construction Building" for
the Ashbury Heights pump house, in
accordance with communication from
Board of Public Works, filed June 6,
1912, submitting list of bids therefor.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Providing for the Appointment of Two
Engineers and One Fireman for Fire-
Boats.

Bill No. 2148, Ordinance No. 1927
(New Series), entitled, Providing
for the appointment of two engineers
and one fireman for each of the fire
boat companies in addition to those
provided in the Charter and fixing
their compensation.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Increasing Charge for Installation of Pri-
vate Fire Alarm on City's Fire Alarm
System.

Bill No. 2150, Ordinance No. 1928
(New Series), Adding a new section to
be numbered Section 1A to Ordinance
No. 698 entitled, "Providing for the
regulation of the placing, installing,
operating and use of electric wires,
appliances, apparatus, construction or
equipment connected to the Fire and
Police Telegraph and Telephone sys-
tems in, on or about buildings in the
City and County of San Francisco, and
for the charges for such legislation."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.

Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Oil and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 9502 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following revoc-
able permits be and the same are
hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

J. Olcovich, capacity 1500 gallons in
premises southeast corner of Pine and
Polk streets.

D. S. Dorn, capacity 1500 gallons in
premises west side of Central avenue,
100 feet north of Fell street.

P. Fordacabe, capacity 1500 gallons
in premises south side of Geary street,
100 feet west of Twenty-fifth avenue.

Boiler.

P. Fordacabe, twenty horsepower in
premises south side of Geary street,
100 feet west of Twenty-fifth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Amending Tunnel Ordinance.

Bill No. 2147, Ordinance No. 1929
(New Series), as follows:

Amending Section No. 1 and Section
No. 8 of Ordinance No. 1651 (New Se-
ries), entitled, "Providing for the
method by and under which tunnels
and appurtenances thereto may be
constructed within the City and County
of San Francisco, and for the assess-
ment of the costs and damages thereof
upon private property benefited there-
by," approved September 6th, 1911, and
adding a new Section thereto to be
known as Section 9A.

Be it ordained by the People of the
City and County of San Francisco as
follows:

Section No. 1 of Ordinance No. 1651
(New Series), entitled, "Providing for
the method by and which tunnels and
appurtenances thereto may be con-
structed within the City and County of
San Francisco, and for the assessment
of the costs and damages thereof upon
private property benefited thereby",
approved September 6th, 1911, is here-
by amended to read as follows:

Section 1. This Ordinance, as the
same is or may hereafter be from time
to time revised or amended, shall be
known as, and may be referred to in
all proceedings had hereunder as
"The Tunnel Procedure Ordinance."

The method of procedure for the con-
struction of any tunnel in, on, under
or over any accepted or unaccepted
open public street, avenue, lane, alley,
place or court within the City and
County, or any other land of the City
and County, or in, on, under or over

any land in which and where the City and County may then have an easement or right of way therefor, and to levy the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, is hereby provided as follows: .

Section 2. Section No. 8 of said Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 8. Any person interested, objecting to the said tunnel construction, or to the plans or specifications therefor, or to the extent of the assessment district or districts defined in the said Resolution of Intention of the Board of Supervisors, or to the amount of damages or benefits determined by the Board of Public Works and shown by its said report as the result of the said tunnel construction, or to the omission of said Board of Public Works to determine or award any damages with respect to any property claimed to be damaged as the result of said tunnel construction, or to any act, determination or proceeding of the Board of Supervisors or of the Board of Public Works in relation to such construction, or to any other matter in connection therewith as to which such person would have a legal right of protest, shall file a written protest with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors within twenty days after the first publication of the notice required by Section 7 of this Ordinance.

Every such protest must contain a description of the property in which each signer thereof is interested sufficient to identify the same and must set forth the nature of his interest therein and shall set forth the specific grounds of objection of the protest.

In case said protest is made upon the ground that the amount of damages determined by the Board of Public Works and shown by its said report is insufficient, or upon the ground that no damages have been allowed to the protestant or protestants and that damages will result by reason of said tunnel construction to property of which said protestant is the owner or in which he is interested, the said protest shall also contain a claim for damages and a description of the property which it is claimed will be damaged, by metes and bounds, its market value, and the estimated amount of damages which the said property would sustain by the proposed tunnel construction if completed, stating the elements of said damage claimed.

No damages or compensation whatsoever in excess of or other than the damages determined by said report of said Board of Public Works shall be allowed or awarded to the owner of any property affected by said improvement, or to any person interested in any such property, unless a protest

claiming the same shall be filed in the manner and within the time provided in this Section; and the owner or person interested in any property who fails to file a protest in the manner and within the time provided in this Section, claiming such damage in excess of or other than the damages determined in and by said report of said Board of Public Works, shall be deemed to have waived any and all claims for damages caused by said improvement or tunnel construction (other than such as are allowed by said report of the Board of Public Works), and such failure shall constitute a bar to any subsequent action looking either to a prevention of the work or the making of compensation in that behalf.

Every such protest must be verified by the oath of the protestant or his agent. In case any signature is made by an agent, there must be attached to the protest an affidavit of the agent that he is duly authorized to sign such protest. Any protest not complying with the foregoing requirements shall not be considered by the Board of Supervisors.

The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors shall endorse on every protest filed pursuant to this Section the date of its reception by him.

At the next regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors after the expiration of the time for filing protests, the Board of Supervisors shall fix a time and place for the hearing of all protests filed as aforesaid. The Clerk of the Board shall give notice of the time and place of such hearing by the publication of a notice for at least five days in the official newspaper.

Section 3. A new Section is hereby added to said Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), to be known as Section 9A, and to read as follows:

Section 9A. At said hearing all property owners within the limits of the assessment district or districts shall be considered as defendants denying the statements contained in all protests claiming damages and shall be afforded an opportunity to produce witnesses to disprove the allegations of all persons claiming damages.

In case the Board of Supervisors should determine to allow any damages in excess of or other than those determined by the said Board of Public Works in its said report, or otherwise change or modify the said report of said Board of Public Works, it may require the said Board of Public Works to make and furnish to the Board of Supervisors any mathematical calculations necessary to make the said report conform to said proposed modification, and may adjourn the said hearing from time to time for the

purpose of enabling said Board of Public Works to make and furnish the same.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Authorizing Mayor to Appoint Assistant
Secretary.

Bill No. 2163, Ordinance No. 1930
(New Series):

Authorizing the Mayor to appoint an
assistant Secretary and fixing the
compensation therefor, and repealing
Ordinance No. 1747, approved Febru-
ary 5, 1906.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Requiring Permits From Police Com-
missioners for Billiard and Pool Parlors.

Bill No. 2151, Ordinance No. 1931
(New Series), entitled, "Imposing a
license on billiard tables and pool
tables and requiring permits to be ob-
tained from the Board of Police Com-
missioners."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9503 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the Troy Laundry
Machinery Company be and is hereby
granted an extension of forty-five days'
time from and after May 19, 1912, to
complete its contract for furnishing
and installing Laundry Machinery in
the San Francisco Hospital building,
for the reason that the work cannot be
completed owing to the incomplete
state of certain portions of the build-
ing, and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising fee
for printing this resolution is hereby
remitted.

Resolved, That extensions of time be
and the same are hereby awarded the
following firms on their contracts for
the certain work on the San Francisco
Hospital building, in accordance with
communications from the Board of
Public Works, filed May 24, 1912, to
wit:

Ninety days' time to the Vulcan Iron
Works, from and after June 5, 1912,
for work on the refrigerator plant, de-
lay being caused until the tile is laid
on the interior of the refrigerator
boxes.

Sixty days' time to Mangrum &
Otter, from and after June 11, 1912,
for completion of the cooking appar-

atus, delay having been caused on ac-
count of the incomplete state of cer-
tain portions of the building.

Further Resolved, That the adver-
tising free for printing this resolution
is hereby remitted..

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Report of Consulting Architects on San
Francisco Hospital.

The following report was thereupon
presented out of order by Supervisor
Bancroft and ordered spread at length
in the Journal:

The San Francisco Hospital required
immediate attention. The entire hos-
pital scheme, as planned by Mr. Tharp,
is composed of three distinct groups:
The main group, the tuberculosis
group, and the infectious group. The
main group consists of the adminis-
tration building, the receiving build-
ing, the nurses' home, the four ward
buildings, the service building, power
house and laundry, the morgue and the
stables. All of these buildings except
the morgue and the stables are more
or less advanced to completion. Work-
ing drawings were started for the
morgue; but the stables have received
no consideration. No construction
work has been done on the tubercu-
losis group, and only sketches exist for
the infectious group. It is the main
group that is now under construction.
The total amount provided for by the
five per cent bonds of 1908 is \$2,113,-
733.60, which includes the premium on
the bonds. On May 16, \$1,881,932.30
had been expended, leaving \$231,781.30.
We have estimated the cost to com-
plete the main group at \$478,636.00.
This will leave a deficit of \$246,954.70
for the main group. Our estimate to
complete the infectious and tubercu-
losis groups is \$815,503.00, on the basis
of thirty-seven and one-half cents a
cubic foot, the cost of the main group.
This makes a total estimated deficit
for the entire hospital system of \$1,-
062,457.70.

The following problems were in
urgent need of settlement: flooring,
ventilation, signal call system and
sterilizing system. The question of
flooring, which seems to have been the
cause of holding up the work, was im-
mediately settled upon a consultation
with the Board of Health. Ventilation
was a more difficult problem. There
had been no provision made for the
ventilation either in the sanitary tow-
ers and the operating rooms, where
there is absolute need of it, or in those
parts of the receiving building where
forced ventilation is absolutely es-
sential. After consultation with the

local authorities and communications with the best known experts throughout the east, by telegram and letter, the matter of ventilation is now definitely settled and a satisfactory system planned. A complete system of sterilizing water has been devised for the operating section. In addition, all odds and ends left out or overlooked in previous specifications have been gathered together in one final specification, this work being extremely trying and requiring much patience and care. It has been unceasingly carried on for the last two months and will yet require another before the finishing contract of the building now under construction can be sent out for bids. All plumbing not already provided for was let on June 5, 1912; this will permit the finishing of other trades on the job. According to the present schedule, the contract for the completed work will be signed on or before August 15, and should be completed by May 15, 1913. Where not provided for contracts, painting to preserve the work already installed has been and is being done by day work by men of the Board of Public Works. This, except, where necessary to preserve unprotected work, will be dispensed with and the remaining work handled by contract. The installation of electric work has been done not by contract but by day labor, under the supervision of a man employed by this department. This unsatisfactory and impractical method will be stopped as soon as possible and the remaining work conducted by contract. The unsettled state of work and the overlapping of contracts has naturally called for extensions of time. One of the greatest tasks has been the straightening out of the angle due to letting contracts out of their natural sequence. It has been our one object to hurry completion of all unfinished contracts now at the building. There are at present twenty-four contractors working on the San Francisco Hospital. Arrangements have been made, after much study, to have fourteen of these complete within their time. Three others will probably require short extensions. Owing to their inability to finish work until other work as yet not let is installed, five will be unable to complete their contracts until the general contract for completion, which is now being prepared for the finishing of all work on these buildings. This provisional date is May 15, 1913. An extension to this date should be granted to each of these.

JOHN REID JR.,
JOHN GALEN HOWARD,
FREDERICK H. MEYER,
Consulting Board of Architects.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9504 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That extensions of time be and the same are hereby awarded the following firms on their contracts for the certain work on the San Francisco Hospital building, in accordance with communications from the Board of Public Works, filed May 24, 1912, to-wit:

Ninety days' time to the Vulcan Iron Works, from and after June 5, 1912, for work on the refrigerator plant, delay being caused until the tile is laid on the interior of the refrigerator boxes.

Sixty days' time to Mangrum & Otter, from and after June 11, 1912, for completion of the cooking apparatus, delay having been caused on account of the incomplete state of certain portions of the building.

Further Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy—3.

Authorizing Payment of \$33,000 to Louis P. Werner for Certain Land Required for Marshall School Purposes.

Resolution No. 9505 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of thirty-three thousand (\$33,000) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue of 1908, in payment to Louis P. Werner, Walter W. Menne and Estelle F. Menne, as purchase price of a lot of land situate at intersection of the southerly line of Fifteenth street with the westerly line of Capp street, of irregular dimensions, being a portion of Mission Block No. 34, required as a site for the Marshall School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Kosland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Ordering the Construction of the Yard of the Visitation Valley School.

Bill No. 2153, Ordinance No. 1932 (New Series), entitled:

Ordering the construction of the yard of the Visitation Valley School on Schwerin street, between Visitation and Leland avenues, in accordance

with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Education, authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said yard and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed sixty-two hundred and seventy (\$6270) dollars out of the Public Building Fund, School Construction Account, bond issue 1908, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9506 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Willett and Burr, assignees of Foster & Vogt, be and are hereby granted an extension of seventy-five days' time from and after June 10, 1912, within which to complete the contract for construction of Harrison bridge across Beale street cut.

The extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works for the reason that the construction work has been repeatedly interrupted, and the shipment of steel girders and supports from the east, over which the contractors have no control, has been delayed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—13.

No—Supervisor Koshland—1.

Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran—3.

Conditional Acceptance.

Bill No. 2154, Ordinance No. 1933 (New Series), entitled, Providing for conditional acceptance of Wayland street, between San Bruno avenue and Girard street; Irving street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth avenues; Balboa street, between Twentieth and Twenty-first avenues; crossing of Eighteenth street and Missouri street; Eighteenth street, between Texas and Missouri streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Full Acceptance.

Bill No. 2155, Ordinance No. 1934 (New Series), entitled, Providing for full acceptance of Lake street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; crossing of Twenty-fifth street and Treat avenue; crossing of Balboa

street and Twenty-first avenue; crossing of Army street and Dolores street; crossing of Fell and Pierce streets; crossing of Rhode Island and Twenty-third streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Ordering Street and Sewer Work.

Bill No. 2156, Ordinance No. 1935 (New Series): Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Public Works in written communication filed in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors the 23rd day of May, 1912, having recommended the ordering of the following street work, the same is hereby ordered to be done in the City and County of San Francisco in conformity with the provisions of chapter 2, article VI of the Charter, said work to be performed under the direction of the Board of Public Works, and to be done in accordance with the specifications prepared therefor by said Board of Public Works, and on file in its office, which said plans and specifications are hereby approved and adopted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Changing Grades.

Bill No. 2157, Ordinance No. 1936 (New Series): Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Miguel street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Bill No. 2158, Ordinance No. 1937 (New Series): Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Twenty-third avenue, on Twenty-fourth avenue, on Lawton street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-fifth streets, and on Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth avenues, between Kirkham and Moraga streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Bill No. 2159, Ordinance No. 1938

(New Series): Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Forty-fourth avenue, between Clement street and Point Lobos avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Bill No. 2160, Ordinance No. 1939
(New Series): Changing and re-
establishing the official grades on Ash-
ton avenue, between Ocean avenue and
Holloway avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND AC- COUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting
to \$103,584.56 and entered in Register
of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and
numbered consecutively therein 19,772
to 20,302, inclusive, were presented,
read and ordered *referred to Finance
Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Super-
visor Murphy, Acting Chairman, re-
ported in favor of allowing the de-
mands heretofore read and referred,
said Committee having duly examined
and approved the same, and on his mo-
tion, said demands were so allowed
and ordered *paid* by the following
vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed
for printing*:

Underground Conduit System.

On motion of Supervisor McLeran:
Bill No. 2166, Ordinance No. —
(New Series), as follows:

Adding a new section to be num-
bered Section 1AA to Order No. 214
(Second Series), entitled, "Providing
for placing electrical wires and con-
ductors underground in the City and
County of San Francisco."

Be it ordained by the people of the
City and County of San Francisco as
follows:

Section 1. A new section to be
numbered Section 1AA is hereby added
to Order No. 214 (Second Series), the
title of which is recited in the title
to this ordinance, to read as follows:

Section 1AA. An additional district
to those described in Section 1, within
which it will be unlawful to maintain

poles and overhead wires after De-
cember 31, 1913, is hereby designated,
to wit:

Underground District No. 7.

Stockton street from the northerly
line of Sutter street to the southwest-
erly line of Columbus avenue.

Broadway from the southwesterly
line of Columbus avenue to the east-
erly line of Powell street.

Grant avenue from the northerly
line of Bush street to the southwest-
erly line of Columbus avenue.

Bush street from the westerly line
of Grant avenue to the easterly line of
Stockton street.

Pine street from the westerly line
of Kearny street to the easterly line
of Stockton street.

California street from the westerly
line of Kearny street to the easterly
line of Stockton street.

Sacramento street from the westerly
line of Kearny street to the easterly
line of Stockton street.

Clay street from the westerly line of
Kearny street to the easterly line of
Stockton street.

Washington street from the westerly
line of Kearny street to the easterly
line of Stockton street.

Jackson street from the westerly
line of Kearny street to the easterly
line of Stockton street.

Pacific street from the westerly line
of Kearny street to the easterly line
of Stockton street.

Geary street from the westerly line
of Mason street to the easterly line of
Larkin street.

Post street from the westerly line of
Mason street to the easterly line of
Larkin street.

Hyde street from the northerly line
of O'Farrell street to the southerly
line of Sutter street.

Leavenworth street from the north-
erly line of O'Farrell street to the
southerly line of Sutter street.

Taylor street from the northerly line
of O'Farrell street to the southerly
line of Sutter street.

Geary street from the westerly line
of Larkin street to the easterly line
of Polk street.

Post street from the westerly line of
Larkin street to the easterly line of
Polk street.

Grove street from the westerly line
of Polk street to the easterly line of
Van Ness avenue.

Fulton street from the westerly line
of Polk street to the easterly line of
Van Ness avenue.

McAllister street from the westerly
line of Polk street to the easterly line
of Van Ness avenue.

Golden Gate avenue from the west-
erly line of Polk street to the easterly
line of Van Ness avenue.

Turk street from the westerly line of Polk street to the easterly line of Van Ness avenue.

Eddy street from the westerly line of Polk street to the easterly line of Van Ness avenue.

Ellis street from the westerly line of Polk street to the easterly line of Van Ness avenue.

O'Farrell street from the westerly line of Polk street to the easterly line of Van Ness avenue.

Geary street from the westerly line of Polk street to the easterly line of Van Ness avenue.

Post street from the westerly line of Polk street to the easterly line of Van Ness avenue.

Mission street from the northerly line of Twenty-third to the southerly line of Twenty-ninth street.

Polk street from the northerly line of Clay street to the northerly line of Vallejo street.

Van Ness avenue from the southerly line of Broadway to the northerly line of Vallejo street.

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1904.

J. F. O'Brien Co., 4th payment, Brannan street sewer (claim dated June 5, 1912) \$8,142.56

Karl Ehrhart, 1st payment, sewer construction, 13th avenue and Cabrillo street (claim dated June 5, 1912) 1,900.28

Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1904.

Fay Improvement Co., 2nd payment, street work, Powell to Jones streets (claim dated June 12, 1912) \$1,759.69

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

F. Rolandi, 7th payment, North Point main sewer "E" (claim dated June 4, 1912) \$22,130.14

John Daniel, 9th payment, North Point main sewer "G" (claim dated June 5, 1912) 9,785.78

Contra Costa Construction Co., 3rd payment, Ingleside outlet sewer "C" (claim dated June 5, 1912) 12,056.25

Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., sureties on bond of Keystone Const. Co., 13th payment, Mission street sewer, Silver avenue to Bosworth (claim dated June 5, 1912) 1,286.25

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.

Atlas Heating & Vent. Co., 1st payment, blast and exhaust system, Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated June 6, 1912) \$1,185.00

Wm. S. Snook & Son, final payment, plumbing, Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated May 24, 1912) 1,892.50

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co., assignee of Lenning Rappaple Co., heating and ventilating City and County Jail (claim dated June 5, 1912) \$2,524.50

Park Fund.

Chas. Brown & Sons, 1 Coldwell auto lawn mower (claim dated May 13, 1912) \$1,745.00

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Southern Pacific Co., freight on cast iron pine from Alabama (claim dated June 6, 1912) \$534.95

Enterprise Foundry Co., 22nd payment, contract 39, cast iron specials (claim dated June 11, 1912) 2,673.65

Compressed Air Machinery Co., in full, contract 32, valves, etc., Ashbury Heights reservoir (claim dated June 12, 1912) 2,449.00

Selby Smelting & Lead Co., contract 65, lead to Municipal Pipe Yard (claim dated May 29, 1912) 17,640.00

Caldwell & Co., 2nd payment, contract 34 Pumping Station No. 2 (claim dated June 4, 1912) 9,045.00

R. C. Storrie & Co., 3rd payment, contract 44 (claim dated June 4, 1912) 27,099.85

Coast Improvement Co., 7th payment, contract 48 (claim dated June 4, 1912) 19,915.89

Michael Murphy, 7th payment, contract 50 (claim dated June 4, 1912) 9,353.04

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Smith & Johnson, extra plastering, S. F. Hospital

(claim dated June 3, 1912)	\$664.22
Lange & Berstrom, final payment terra cotta clothes chute, S. F. Hospital (claim dated May 28, 1912)	1,021.00
Vulcan Iron Works, 2nd payment, ice refrigerator, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 5, 1912)	3,187.50
Mangrum & Otter, 1st payment, kitchen apparatus, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912)	15,000.00
McLean, Haggans & Aden, 1st payment, general finish power house and laundry, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912)	3,288.75
Ralston Iron Works, 2nd payment, interior ornamental iron work, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912)	1,500.00
Otis Elevator Co., 2nd payment, elevators, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 4, 1912)	3,000.00
Electric Cable Co., in full cable, S. F. Hospital (claim dated May 18, 1912)	3,109.60
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
C. F. Weber & Co., blackboard, John Swett School (claim dated June 11, 1912)	\$1,199.78
Standard Electrical Construction Co., 2nd payment, electric work, Girls' High School (claim dated June 3, 1912)	1,425.00
General Engineering Co., in full, vacuum cleaning, Girls' High School (claim dated May 24, 1912)	577.00
Elmer Carlson, 10th payment, general construction, Lowell High School (claim dated June 4, 1912)	20,025.00
O. C. Holt, 8th payment, general construction, John Swett School (claim dated June 4, 1912)	12,085.00
<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
Mahoney Bros., 1st payment, track construction, Geary Street Railway (claim dated June 5, 1912)	9,834.00
<i>General Fund.</i>	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 13th payment, Mission street viaduct, northerly section (claim dated June 5, 1912)	\$9,428.62
Spring Valley Water Co., water supplied for sprinkling streets, May, 1912	

(claim dated June 3, 1912)	683.28
G. H. Umbesen & Co., rent, City Departments, Grant Building, month of March, 1912 (claim dated May 27, 1912)	1329.25
G. H. Umbesen & Co., rent, City Department, Grant Building, month of April, 1912 (claim dated May 27, 1912)	1245.15
John Hayden, meats, County Jails (claim dated June 3, 1912)	543.86
H. M. Lehrke Sons, groceries and supplies, County Jails (claim dated May 28, 1912)	508.74
Henry R. Worthington, power pump, Relief Home (claim dated Dec. 6, 1911)	1425.00
Kiernan & O'Brien, plumbing, Potrero Police Station (claim dated June 4, 1912)	2215.00
Robert Trost, final payment, general construction, Potrero Police Station (claim dated June 5, 1912)	12,862.00
W. A. Newsom, final payment, photograph gallery, Hall of Justice (claim dated May 28, 1912)	2300.00
<i>The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors (claim dated May 1, 1912) ..</i>	
The Rincon Publishing Company, printing public documents (claim dated June 13, 1912)	771.88
H. Lehrke Sons, supplies, Relief Home (claim dated May 31, 1912)	2933.37
Miller & Lux, meats, Relief Home (claim dated May 31, 1912)	2241.70
Sherry Freitas Co. Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated June 1, 1912)	1160.49
Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated June 1, 1912)	1387.78
Peter Cauby, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912)	664.95
Herbert F. Dugan, drug supplies, City and County Hospital (claim dated May 29, 1912)	502.27
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, City and County Hospital (claim dated May 31, 1912)	745.56
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated May 31, 1912)	544.59
The White Co., 1 Standard express motor car (claim dated June 3, 1912)	3500.00
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil,	

fire boats (claim dated May 31, 1912)	766.31
D. Demartini, garbage removal (claim dated May 31, 1912)	570.00
Thos. Morton & Co., coal, Fire Department (claim dated May 31, 1912)	1520.35
Scott, Magner & Miller, hay, Fire department (claim dated May 31, 1912)	1400.00
Somers & Co., oats, Fire Department (claim dated May 28, 1912)	1573.94
Union Iron Works Co., repairs to fire boat "Dennis T. Sullivan" (claim dated May 31, 1912)	962.22
<i>Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
J. H. Dockweiler, service engineer, investigation Hetch Hetchy (claim dated May 31, 1912)	\$750.00

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned fund for the following purposes, to wit:

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

For the construction of sewer and appurtenances in Steuart street, between Howard and Folsom streets \$11,000.00

For the construction of sewer and appurtenances in Beach street, between Laguna and Webster streets; Webster street, between Beach and Tonquin streets; Tonquin street, between Webster and Baker streets 41,200.00

Action Deferred.

The following matter was introduced by Supervisor Murphy and on motion *laid over one week*:

Repealing Ordinance Authorizing Sheriff Two Deputies and Cashier.

Also, Bill No. 2167, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1745, passed February 5, 1905, authorizing the Sheriff to appoint two additional deputies, and Ordinance No. 1636 (New Series), passed August 7, 1911, authorizing the Sheriff to appoint a Cashier."

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting O. C. Holt permission, re-

vocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in lot situate at the east side of Stockton street, 25 feet north of Greenwich street for grading purpose in the construction of a fire engine house; provided, that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$2500, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor, the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said above named permittee, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Oil, Cleaning Establishment and Garage Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the following revocable permits:

Storage Tank.

Marion Leventritt, 1500 gallons capacity, in premises northeast corner of Market and Franklin streets.

J. Weirich and R. R. Collins, 1500 gallons capacity, in premises No. 922 Valencia street.

Cleaning Establishment.

Home Dyeing and Cleaning Works, for a boiler and benzine tank at No. 911 Washington street.

This is to validate a transfer of ownership. Permission was heretofore granted K. Yoshikawa at said premises.

Garage.

Whittell Realty Company, for public garage at east side of Taylor street, 57 feet 6 inches north of Eddy street. Storage and Transportation of Oils and

Explosives.

Also, Bill No. 2168, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance to amend Sections 10 and 12 of Ordinance No. 302 of the City and County of San Francisco, approved May 24, 1901, and entitled, 'Providing for the regulation and controlling of the storage of crude petroleum, use of crude petroleum, storage of any of the products of petroleum, use of gasoline, storage of kerosene of coal oil, adulteration of oils prohibited, cases and packages of heating or illuminating oils to be stamped, tests of oils and instruments to be used, refining oils, storage of explosives, prohibiting the transportation of nitro-glycerin, storage of gunpowder, conveyance of gunpowder, gunpowder shipping, discharging and having gunpowder on Board, gunpowder when loaded to be immedi-

ately forwarded, vessels having gunpowder on Board to be afloat at low tide, storage and sale of fireworks, duty of the police, transportation of calcium carbide, liquified acetylene, duty of the fire marshal, erection of gas works or gas machines, gas machines: Arson—Reward for arrest of: rubbish, shavings, hay, straw or litter, gas and electric lights in show windows, ashes, fire in open tins, pans, etc., manufacture of matches, enforcement of the provisions of this ordinance, this ordinance to take effect, the provisions of which relate to the handling of explosives in terminals and yards of steam railway corporations, being subject to the jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission.’”

Muzzling of Dogs.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:
Bill No. 2169, Ordinance No. —
(New Series), entitled, “Requiring the Muzzling of Dogs”.

Veterinary Hospitals.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, to Dr. K. O. Steers to maintain and conduct a Veterinary Hospital in premises situate on the south side of Irving (formerly I) street, 56 feet 6 inches east of Thirty-fourth avenue.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Accepting Offer of R. Flaherty to Sell for \$27,500 Certain Land on McAllister Street East of Polk Street Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
Resolution No. 9507 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from R. Flaherty to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of R. Flaherty to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all encumbrances, for the sum of \$27,500 be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 110 feet easterly from the easterly line of Polk street; running thence easterly along said southerly line of McAllister street 55 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 120

feet; thence at a right angle westerly 55 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the said southerly line of McAllister street, and point of commencement. Being a portion of W. A. Block No. 4.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft and on motion *laid over one week*:

Advisory Board of Architects to Plan all Public Buildings.

Also, J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to have all plans and drawings for public buildings of every character prepared by the Advisory Board of Architects.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Bureau of Architects to Provide for Memorial Hall in New City Hall.

J. R. No. 263.

Whereas, Application has been made by the various war veteran organizations of San Francisco that a permanent headquarters be provided in the new City Hall to be used as a Memorial Hall and for meeting purposes of said organizations; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Bureau of Architects through the Board of Public Works, be and is hereby authorized and requested to include in the plans and specifications for the said City Hall, provision for a Memorial Hall and meeting rooms to be assigned to the war veterans of the United States, located in San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Board of Public Works to Replace Original Corner Stone in Hall of Justice.

Also, J. R. No. 264.

Resolved, That the Board of Public

Works be and is hereby directed to replace the original corner stone slab, now under its custody and control, in its position at the Hall of Justice building, Kearny and Washington streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Award of Contract, Municipal Record.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

Resolution No. 9508 (New Series), Awarding the contract for printing and furnishing the Municipal Record for the fiscal year, 1912-13, to the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with specifications and notice inviting proposals therefor, which proposals were received and considered by this Board on the tenth day of June, 1912, to the Rincon Publishing Company for the price stated in its bid therefor; provided the sureties on the bond of said Rincon Publishing Company, which is hereby fixed in the sum of One Thousand (1000) Dollars, satisfactory to his Honor the Mayor, who is hereby authorized to enter into such contract at said price.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Absent—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy—3.

Refused Passage.

The following Bill heretofore referred to Streets and Sewers Committee was presented by Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher and on his motion *refused passage*:

Amending Traffic Ordinance.

Bill No. 2130, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 21 of Ordinance No. 1857 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating moving travel and traffic upon the streets and other public places,' etc., approved March 26, 1912, the provisions of which permit vehicles to stand on Market street from First street to The Embarcadero, and on Montgomery street, from California street northerly.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—12.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Conditional Acceptance.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2170, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for

conditional acceptance of the road way of crossing of San Bruno avenue and Bacon street."

Ordering Sewer Work.

Also, Bill No. 2171, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Steuart street between Howard and Folsom streets, approving and adopting plans and specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing of said work at an estimated cost of Eleven Thousand Dollars (\$11,000.00) out of the proceeds of sale of Sewer Bonds, issue of 1904, for the doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Action Deferred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on motion *laid over one week*:

Also, Bill No. 2172, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Beach street, between Laguna and Webster streets;

Webster street, between Beach and Tonquin streets;

Tonquin street, between Webster and Baker streets: approving and adopting plans and specifications and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost of forty-one thousand two hundred (\$41,200.00) dollars out of the proceeds of sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, for doing said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

Resolution No. 9509 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on Oakdale avenue, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above city base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Works filed May 31, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Also, Resolution No. 9510 (New Series), Declaring the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated,

in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed May 31, 1912, to wit:

On Hampshire street, between the northerly line of Eighteenth street and the northerly line of Twentieth street; on Eighteenth street at the crossing of Hampshire street, and on Nineteenth street, between the westerly line of Hampshire street and a line parallel with and twenty-five feet easterly from the easterly line of Hampshire street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Also, Bill No. 9511 (New Series), Declaring the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed May 24, 1912, to wit:

On Elsie street, between a line parallel with and ninety feet southerly from the southerly line of Eugenia avenue and the northerly line of Cortland avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Also, Resolution No. 9512 (New Series), Declaring the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on Staples avenue, between Foerster street and a point 375 feet westerly from the westerly line of Genesee street, and on Genesee street, between Flood and Staples avenue, at the point hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed June 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Award of Contract, Municipal Reports.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden: Resolution No. 9513 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contract for printing, binding and furnishing the Municipal Reports for the fiscal year 1911-12, to the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with specifications and notice inviting proposals therefor, which proposals were received and considered by this Board on the tenth day of June, 1912, be

and the same is hereby awarded to the Neal Publishing Company at the prices stated in its bid therefor; provided the sureties on the bond of said Neal Publishing Company, which is hereby fixed at One Thousand (1000) Dollars are satisfactory to his Honor the Mayor, who is hereby authorized to enter into such contract at said prices.

Action Deferred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Payot and on motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher made a special order of business for 4 p. m., June 24, 1912:

Library Trustees to Erect and Equip Library Building on Civic Center.

Bill No. 2173, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Board of Library Trustees to erect and equip a public library building, such building to constitute a part of a Civic Center."

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Announcement.

Supervisor Bancroft reported that the jury on competitive plans for City Hall on Civic Center met on this day and elected Mr. Cook chairman and Mr. Reid secretary, that 73 competitive plans have been submitted upon which the competing architects have spent from \$150,000 to \$200,000 and that a decision would be reported shortly.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Recorder to Cancel Deeds for Property Sold to State for Delinquent Taxes.

Also, J. R. No. 265.

Resolved, That the Recorder be directed to cancel all deeds issued for property sold for delinquent taxes described in Journal Resolution No. 171.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Correcting Bill Number of Traffic Ordinance.

J. R. No. 266.

Resolved, That Bill No. 1984, preceding Ordinance No. 1857, be corrected to read Bill No. 1984A, on account of duplication of numbers.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Regulating the Opening of Streets for Installing Pipes and Conduits.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and referred to *Streets Committee*:

Bill No. 2174, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the use of the public streets for the purpose of placing therein pipes and other conduits in supplying water, steam, gas, electricity, or other fluid for lighting, heating, power, telephone, telegraph or messenger service, or for other purposes, in the City and County of San Francisco; providing for charges or fees to be collected for inspection and supervision of work or excavating and restoring public streets; and the payment of the same to the Treasurer of said City and County, and the application of the same to defray the cost of such inspection, and providing for damages and indemnity for damages."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Fire Commissioners to File Statement Showing if City Is Using Water of Mains of Olympic Salt Water Company.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden: J. R. No. 267.

Resolved, That the Board of Fire Commissioners be and is hereby requested to file with the Clerk of this Board at its earliest convenience a statement as to whether the city is at present using water from the mains of the Olympic Salt Water Company's system, or enjoying any of the privileges as set forth in subdivision 2 of Order No. 2492, approved February 1st, 1892, granting the franchise to said company, and if so, to state the location of the hydrants connected to said mains.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Mayor to Sell Police Department Horses.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks: J. R. No. 268.

Resolved, That the Mayor is authorized to sell at public auction ten (10) horses condemned by the Police Department as being unfit for public services in the department; provided that should any of such horses be suitable to be used by any other department, such horses may be exchanged for any horses unfit for service in such department, and all horses received in exchange may be sold at public auction in lieu of those of the Police Department.

Journal Resolution No. 9466 (New Series) is hereby rescinded.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Hayden and on motion ordered referred to the *Judiciary Committee*:

Relative to Sale of Fire Arms.

Resolved, That inasmuch as Ordinance No. 1683 (New Series), intended to regulate the sale of fire arms within the City and County of San Francisco, has failed in its purpose, the attention of the Judiciary Committee be and it is hereby called to the defects of said Ordinance, with the recommendation that a more drastic law be drafted and presented to this Board at the earliest possible date, for passage.

Fees for Building Permits.

Supervisor Bancroft presented Bill No. 2175, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 12 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), relative to fees for building permits."

Ordered referred to *Public Buildings Committee*.

Standard Specifications for Street and Sidewalk Work.

Supervisor Ralph McLeran introduced:

Bill No. 2176, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Prescribing general rules and standard specifications for street and sidewalk work and limiting the use of various kinds of pavements and sidewalks in the City and County of San Francisco."

Ordered referred to *Streets Committee*.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was read by Supervisor Murdock and adopted:

In Memoriam Daniel H. Burnham.

J. R. No. 269.

The late Daniel H. Burnham believed in the destiny of San Francisco. He had attained great distinction as a "builder of cities" when he volunteered his services to prepare a plan for a new San Francisco, to meet the higher demands of taste and order as well as to facilitate the growing traffic of the streets.

He lingered many months in San Francisco and worked from a selected location on the eastern slopes of Twin Peaks, from which his views commanded the city.

He loved his work and was devoted to the artistic welfare of San Fran-

cisco, to which he has contributed so much.

On May 12th last, in a strange land, he died, and the world of art and achievement mourns his loss. Be it therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco hereby expresses its appreciation of the unselfish devotion of Mr. Daniel H. Burnham in the preparation and presentation of the plans that bear his name, and that sincere sympathy be extended to the members of the family of the eminent architect and noble man in their great bereavement.

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Clerk of the Board be requested to transmit this testimonial of respect and regard.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Install Street Lamps.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:
J. R. No. 270.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby directed to install a gas lamp in the south side of Commercial street about 110 feet west of Montgomery street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-

lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Bureau of Efficiency.

Supervisor Payot presented:

Bill No. 2177. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordinance for Bureau of Efficiency."

Ordered referred to Efficiency and Civil Service Committee.

Communication From Treasurer as to Contents of Corner Stone Box of Old Hall of Justice.

The following matter was presented, read and ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee:

Communication—From the Treasurer, giving detailed statement of contents of corner stone box taken from foundation of old Hall of Justice, and requesting to be advised as to disposition of same.

Vacation for Clerks.

Supervisor A. J. Gallagher called attention to the fact that several of the clerks have been working on Saturday afternoon, Sundays and sometimes in the evenings for several months past, and moved that the Clerk be directed to so arrange matters that they may be given an extra week vacation.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 11:25 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 24, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervision of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Monday, June 24, 1912

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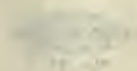


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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JUNE 24, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, June 24, 1912, 2:30 p. m.
The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of June 17, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Leave of Absence, Frank J. Klimm, Member of Board of Health.

His Honor the Mayor presented the following:

San Francisco, Cal., June 18, 1912.
Hon. James Rolph Jr., Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

My Dear Mayor:

Will your Honor please grant me a leave of absence, approved of by the Honorable Board of Supervisors, in accordance with Charter Amendment, Section 3, Article XVI, page 172 of the Charter, for sixteen days commencing July 10 and ending July 25, 1912, for the purpose of leaving the State to attend the 31st annual convention of the National Association of the Master Plumbers of the United States of America, of which I have the honor of being National Director.

Thanking you in advance for your very kind favor, I beg to remain,

Faithfully yours,

FRANK J. KLIMM,

Member of the Board of Health.

June 22nd, 1912.

My Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your favor of the 18th instant requesting a leave of ab-

sence for sixteen days, commencing July 10th, and this request I will place before the Board of Supervisors at Monday's meeting. I feel confident that same will be granted, as it will have my approval.

Yours very truly,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,
Mayor.

Mr. Frank J. Klimm, 1085 Mission street, San Francisco, Cal.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

J. R. No. 271.

Resolved, That Frank J. Klimm, member of the Board of Health, be and is hereby granted leave of absence, with permission to leave the State, for a period of sixteen days commencing July 10, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Use of City Flags Denied.

The following matter was *presented and read* by the Clerk:

Communication from the Citizens' Committee of Santa Cruz, stating that said committee desires to rent certain flags belonging to San Francisco, and that it will file bond to insure return of same.

Motion.

Supervisor Jennings moved that request be denied.

Motion *carried*.

Address of Dr. Le Grande Powers, Federal Statistician.

The following matter was presented and read:

Communication from Dr. Le Grande Powers, Federal Statistician, agreeing to address municipal employees and citizens.

Referred to Clerk with instructions to *arrange for meeting*.

City Automobiles for Pacific Coast Women's Press Association.

The following matter was presented by the Mayor and read:

Communication from Pacific Coast Women's Press Association, requesting use of city automobiles for purpose

of entertaining visiting delegates to convention in this city.

Referred to Public Welfare Committee with instructions to do what it can to comply with request.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee—Charles A. Murdock, Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Gianinni, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Mocks, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnel Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—Alexander Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Report of Special Committee on Transbay Bridge.

The following report was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, June 24, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

Your Joint Committee, composed of the Chairmen of the Interurban Relations, Land and Tunnels and Public Utilities Committees, to whom was referred the communication of Allan C. Rush, relative to building a suspension bridge between San Francisco and Oakland, respectfully reports that said Rush appeared before it on June 18th and stated that financiers are ready to furnish the \$26,000,000 capital required to carry the project to successful issue, as soon as Congress approves the measure authorizing the construction of the bridge.

Rush said the project has met with the approval of Engineer Bixby, head of the Federal Engineering Service, and of the Secretary of War. He added that he would not ask either San Francisco or Alameda County to contribute anything toward the cost of construction. All that San Francisco would be asked to give would be sufficient land for piers and anchorage for the bridge. In return for the conces-

sion, San Francisco would be given a third interest in the bridge; another third will be given to Alameda County in return for 60 acres of land given for a terminal on the other side of the bay, while the remaining one-third interest will be retained by the Construction Company.

Rush was of the opinion that the bridge will pay for itself within 15 years.

After giving a detailed description of the proposed bridge and exhibiting a model showing the proposed style of construction, Rush said that he would make formal request on the City for the required land immediately after final passage of the measure pending in Congress.

Respectfully submitted,
J. EMMET HAYDEN,
ALEXANDER VOGELSANG,
BYRON MAUZY.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

ELECTRIC RATES, 1912-1913.

Bill No. 2165, Ordinance No. 1940 (New Series), "Fixing the maximum rate and price to be charged for incandescent and electric lights, and for electricity for heat and power purposes for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913."

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The maximum rate and price to be charged by any person, company or corporation for furnishing incandescent electric light to the City and County of San Francisco and the inhabitants thereof for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, is hereby fixed per one thousand watt hours, as follows:

On a consumption per 16 candle power incandescent lamp to 2000 watt hours in one month, eight (8) cents.

On a consumption per 16 candle power incandescent lamp of 2000 to 3000 watt hours in one month, seven (7) cents.

On a consumption per 16 candle power incandescent lamp of 3000 to 5000 watt hours in one month, six (6) cents.

On a consumption per 16 candle power incandescent lamp of 5000 to 9000 watt hours in one month, five (5) cents.

On a consumption per 16 candle power incandescent lamp of 9000 or more watt hours in one month, four (4) cents.

In estimating the amount of current used, one arc lamp shall be equivalent to two sixteen incandescent lamps for each ampere of current used by said arc lamp.

Section 2. The maximum rate and price to be charged by any person, company or corporation for furnishing electricity for heat and power purposes to the City and County of San Francisco and the inhabitants thereof for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, is hereby fixed per one thousand watt hours, as follows:

On a consumption per 16 candle power incandescent lamp to 2000 watt hours in one month, eight (8) cents.

On a consumption per 16 candle power incandescent lamp of 2000 to 3000 watt hours in one month, seven (7) cents.

On a consumption per 16 candle power incandescent lamp of 3000 to 5000 watt hours in one month, six (6) cents.

On a consumption per 16 candle power incandescent lamp of 5000 to 9000 watt hours in one month, five (5) cents.

On a consumption per 16 candle power incandescent lamp of 9000 or more watt hours in one month, four (4) cents.

In estimating amount of current used each horsepower of motor capacity connected, being considered as equivalent to twelve and one-half sixteen candle power incandescent lamps.

Section 3. The maximum rate and price to be charged by any person, company or corporation for furnishing arc lights of 7 amperes and pressure at each lamp of not less than 70 volts, or lamps of equal wattage, to the City and County of San Francisco and the inhabitants thereof for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, is hereby fixed as follows:

For each arc light burning twenty-four hours, \$5.00 per week.

For each arc light burning from sunrise to sunset, \$3.00 per week.

For each arc light burning from sunset to sunrise, \$2.25 per week.

For each arc light burning from sunset to midnight, \$1.75 per week.

For each arc light burning for six nights from sunset to 9:30 p. m., \$1.40 per week.

Section 4. A charge of \$1.00 for the maintenance of a meter during any month may be made to any consumer whose bill for current furnished during such month does not exceed \$1.00, but in the event of such charge being made no further charges shall be made for current furnished during said month to said consumer.

Section 5. All ordinances or parts

of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 6. Any person, company or corporation, or any officer or agent of any person, company or corporation, violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred (\$500) dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and such person, company or corporation shall be guilty of a separate offense for every day that such violation shall continue, and shall be subject to the penalty imposed by this section for each and every separate offense.

Section 7. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the first day of July, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

GAS RATES, 1912-1913.

Bill No. 2164, Ordinance No. 1941 (New Series), Fixing the minimum standard quality and illuminating power of gas and the maximum rate and price to be charged therefor, for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The minimum standard quality and illuminating and heating power of gas to be furnished by any person, company or corporation, to be used in the City and County of San Francisco, is hereby established at nineteen (19) candles, with a minimum heat value of 600 British thermal units.

The pressure shall not be less than two (2) inches nor more than nine (9) inches of water in height against the atmospheric pressure, said candle and heating power and pressure to be determined by the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco.

Section 2. The maximum rate and price to be charged and collected therefor from consumers by any such person, company or corporation for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, is hereby fixed and established at Seventy-five (75) cents per one thousand cubic feet.

Section 3. The maximum rate and price to be charged by any person, company or corporation for furnishing gas for lighting public buildings

for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, is hereby fixed at Seventy-five (75) Cents per one thousand cubic feet.

Section 4. The maximum rate and price to be charged by any person, company or corporation for furnishing incandescent gas lamps for lighting the public streets, parks or squares for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, is hereby fixed at Eight (8) Cents per lamp per night, including care, lighting and extinguishing, each lamp to be kept burning from thirty (30) minutes after sunset until thirty (30) minutes before sunrise on the next day, and the number of such gas lamps may be increased or diminished by the Board of Supervisors, and subject to any moonlight schedule the Board may adopt, provided that the price of incandescent gas lamps of three lights each is hereby fixed at Fifteen (15) Cents a cluster lamp per night.

Section 5. The maximum rate and price to be charged by any person, company or corporation for furnishing gas for heating purposes for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, is hereby fixed at Seventy-five (75) Cents per one thousand cubic feet.

Section 6. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 7. Any person, company or corporation, or any officer or agent of any person, company or corporation, violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred (\$500) dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and such person, company or corporation, or officer or agent of any such person, company or corporation shall be guilty of a separate offense for every day that such violation shall continue, and shall be subject to the penalty imposed by this section for each and every separate offense.

Section 8. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the first day of July, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

TELEPHONE RATES, 1912-1913.

Bill No. 2161, Ordinance No. 1942 (New Series), "Fixing and determining the maximum rates or compensa-

tion to be collected for telephonic service in the City and County of San Francisco for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, and prescribing the quality of said telephonic service during said year."

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The maximum rates or compensation to be collected by any person, company or corporation for telephonic service supplied to the City and County of San Francisco, or to the inhabitants thereof, for the year commencing July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1913, shall be as follows:

Business and Professional Rates.

The following maximum charges shall be made for business or professional measured service:

For a single party line telephone, business or professional, including 80 exchange switches, \$5.00 per month, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate a sum not to exceed 5 cents each.

For a single party line telephone, business or professional, including 185 exchange switches, \$7.50 per month, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 4 cents each.

For a single party line telephone, business or professional, including 250 exchange switches, \$9.15 per month, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 3½ cents each.

For a single party line telephone, business or professional, including 390 exchange switches, \$12.47 per month, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 3 cents each.

For a single party line telephone, business or professional, including 540 exchange switches, \$15.00 per month, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 2½ cents each.

For a single party line telephone, business or professional, including 780 exchange switches, \$17.48 per month, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 2 cents each.

For a single party line telephone, business or professional, including 1100 exchange switches, \$19.57 per month, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 1½ cents each.

Business or Professional Service, With Coin-Collecting Attachment.

The following maximum charges shall be made for business or profes-

sional measured service with coin or token-collecting attachment:

For a single party line telephone, business or professional, including 60 exchange switches, \$5.50 per month, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 5 cents each.

For a two-party line telephone, business or professional, including 60 exchange switches, \$4.50 per month, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 5 cents each.

For a single party line telephone, business or professional, including five exchange switches per day, 25 cents per day, and for each exchange switch in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 4 cents each.

For a two-party line telephone, business or professional, including four exchange switches per day, 20 cents per day, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 5 cents each.

For a four-party line telephone, business or professional, including two exchange switches per day, 10 cents per day, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 5 cents each.

For a four-party line telephone, business or professional, \$1.00 per month, and for each exchange switch a sum not to exceed 5 cents.

Extension Telephones.

For each extension telephone on a business or professional line the maximum charge shall be a sum not to exceed 50 cents per month.

Private Branch Exchange and Extension Service.

The following charges shall be made for private branch exchanges and for extension telephones connected with said exchanges and equipped and installed:

Monthly Rental Rates—For each switchboard and operator telephone, a sum not to exceed \$5.00 per month.

For each trunk line connecting a private exchange with the telephone company exchange, a sum not to exceed \$2.50 per month.

For each additional telephone connected with a private exchange and installed in the same premises (except in hotels), a sum not to exceed 50 cents per month.

For each additional telephone installed in hotels and connected with the private exchange therein:

50 cents per month each for the first fifty telephones or less.

25 cents per month each for telephones over fifty.

For each desk set in place of wall set, 10 cents per month in addition to the above rates.

Monthly Switching Rates—For exchange switching over trunk lines of private branch exchanges, a sum not to exceed 2½ cents per month for the first 1000 exchange switches, or less, made in any one month; for the second and third thousand exchange switches, or less, made in any one month, a sum not to exceed 2 cents per switch; and for all exchange switches in excess of 3000 made in any one month a sum not to exceed 1½ cents per switch, except that in the case of hotels the charge shall not exceed 2½ cents for each and every exchange switch.

Public Telephone Service.

The charge for a single exchange switch from any telephone located in the City and County shall not exceed 5 cents, and all persons, companies or corporations engaged in the business of supplying telephonic service in the City and County are hereby expressly forbidden to authorize or permit any of their lessees, subscribers or patrons to charge any person more than the rate above described, provided, however, that from any telephone in a hotel room connected with a hotel private branch exchange the charge for a single exchange switch shall not exceed 10 cents.

Residence Rates—Unlimited Exchange Switching.

The following maximum charges shall be made for residence flat rate service:

For a single party line residence telephone, including unlimited exchange switching, \$3.50 per month.

For a two-party line residence telephone, including unlimited exchange switching, \$3.00 per month.

For a four-party line residence telephone, including unlimited exchange switching, \$2.50 per month.

Residence Measured Service.

For a single-party line residence telephone, including 125 exchange switches, \$3.00 per month, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 3 cents each.

Residence Service With Coin-Collecting Attachment.

The following maximum charges shall be made for residence measured service with coin or token-collecting attachment:

For a two-party line residence telephone, including two exchange switches per day, 7½ cents per day, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 5 cents each.

For a four-party line residence telephone, including one exchange switch per day, 5 cents per day, and for all exchange switches in excess of the number included in this rate, a sum not to exceed 5 cents each.

Extension Telephones.

For each extension telephone on a residence telephone line the maximum charge shall be a sum not to exceed 50 cents per month.

Names in Telephone Directory.

Any person, company or corporation supplying telephonic service in this City or County shall at least three times a year furnish free of charge to each subscriber a complete directory of all subscribers in San Francisco, and an additional copy of said directory for each extension telephone; provided, however, that for every name listed in said directory under the telephone number of a subscriber in excess of the number of main and extension telephones installed on the premises of the subscriber, a sum not to exceed 25 cents per month for each such name shall be charged.

Private Lines.

The following maximum charges shall be made for private telephones and lines not connected with a telephone exchange:

For private line telephones, a sum not to exceed 50 cents per month each.

For private lines a sum not to exceed \$2.50 per mile per month.

Quality of Service.

Section 2. The term "Telephone" as used in this ordinance is hereby defined to mean both a transmitter and a receiver. It shall be optional with the person demanding telephonic service to elect to take or use either portable or stationary telephonic apparatus and it shall be the duty of the person, company or corporation supplying telephonic service in the City and County to furnish such apparatus without additional cost, except as in this ordinance provided.

The term "Exchange Switch" as used in this ordinance is hereby defined to mean an availing call; that is to say, a call whereby an outgoing conversation or message is transmitted from one telephone station within the City and County and received at another telephone station within the City and County.

No switching charge shall be made for an unavailing call, and when a nickel or token is deposited in the coin-collecting attachment for an unavailing call the same shall be returned to the person by whom it was deposited. Single conversations on party lines shall not exceed five minutes.

Upon the application in writing of the owner or occupant of any building or premises distant not more than 300 feet from any underground conduit or pole line of the person, company or corporation furnishing telephonic service, and payment by the applicant of all money due from him, the person, company or corporation must within thirty days supply telephonic service as required for such building or premises, and cannot refuse on the ground of any indebtedness of any former owner or occupant thereof, unless the applicant has undertaken to pay the same.

No restriction shall be placed by any company, person or corporation supplying telephonic service upon the right of subscribers to employ operators, provided that any operator or substitute operator to be employed and paid by the subscriber shall conform to the reasonable rules and regulations pertaining to the service of such person, company or corporation.

No contract shall be exacted, made or enforced that will exclude or in any manner prohibit or restrict any patron or subscriber from receiving telephonic service from any other person or corporation engaged in such business, or from installing and using in any manner that may be desired the telephones or instruments of two or more different telephone systems; nor shall telephonic service be refused for the reason that the person requesting same is a patron of another person or corporation, or using another or different telephone system.

The telephone company shall print on the reverse side of their billheads their schedules, showing the various grades of monthly rental, contract switching and excess switching, so the same can easily be understood by their subscribers, and on the front of such billheads shall appear in large type the words, "See Schedule of Rates on Other Side."

Upon demand of any person, company or corporation using business or professional measured telephonic service (excepting prepayment service) every person, company or corporation supplying telephonic service within the City and County shall install and maintain in connection with each such measured service line, a meter which shall prove effective in actual use for accurately and correctly recording the number of outgoing messages and conversations over said line, and said meter shall be subject to inspection at all reasonable times by the subscriber upon whose line the same is installed.

Section 3. Any person, company or corporation, or any officer or agent of any person, company or corporation, violating any of the provisions of this

ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred (\$500) dollars or by imprisonment not exceeding six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and such person, company or corporation, or officer or agent of any such person, company or corporation, shall be guilty of a separate offense for every day that such violation shall continue, and shall be subject to the penalty imposed by this section for each and every separate offense.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 1913:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—12.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland—5.

Underground Conduit System.

Bill No. 2166, Ordinance No. 1943 (New Series), as follows:

Adding a new section to be numbered Section 1AA to Order No. 214 (Second Series), entitled, "Providing for placing electrical wires and conductors underground in the City and County of San Francisco."

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. A new section to be numbered Section 1AA is hereby added to Order No. 214 (Second Series), the title of which is recited in the title to this ordinance, to read as follows:

Section 1AA. An additional district to those described in Section 1, within which it will be unlawful to maintain poles and overhead wires after December 31, 1913, is hereby designated, to wit:

Underground District No. 7.

Stockton street from the northerly line of Sutter street to the southwest-
erly line of Columbus avenue.

Broadway from the southwesterly line of Columbus avenue to the east-
erly line of Powell street.

Grant avenue from the northerly line of Bush street to the southwest-
erly line of Columbus avenue.

Bush street from the westerly line of Grant avenue to the easterly line of
Stockton street.

Pine street from the westerly line of Kearny street to the easterly line
of Stockton street.

California street from the westerly line of Kearny street to the easterly
line of Stockton street.

Sacramento street from the westerly

line of Kearny street to the easterly
line of Stockton street.

Clay street from the westerly line of
Kearny street to the easterly line of
Stockton street.

Washington street from the westerly
line of Kearny street to the easterly
line of Stockton street.

Jackson street from the westerly
line of Kearny street to the easterly
line of Stockton street.

Pacific street from the westerly line
of Kearny street to the easterly line
of Stockton street.

Geary street from the westerly line
of Mason street to the easterly line of
Larkin street.

Post street from the westerly line of
Mason street to the easterly line of
Larkin street.

Hyde street from the northerly line
of O'Farrell street to the southerly
line of Sutter street.

Leavenworth street from the north-
erly line of O'Farrell street to the
southerly line of Sutter street.

Taylor street from the northerly line
of O'Farrell street to the southerly
line of Sutter street.

Geary street from the westerly line
of Larkin street to the easterly line
of Polk street.

Post street from the westerly line of
Larkin street to the easterly line of
Polk street.

Grove street from the westerly line
of Polk street to the easterly line of
Van Ness avenue.

Fulton street from the westerly line
of Polk street to the easterly line of
Van Ness avenue.

McAllister street from the westerly
line of Polk street to the easterly line
of Van Ness avenue.

Golden Gate avenue from the west-
erly line of Polk street to the easterly
line of Van Ness avenue.

Turk street from the westerly line
of Polk street to the easterly line of
Van Ness avenue.

Eddy street from the westerly line
of Polk street to the easterly line of
Van Ness avenue.

Ellis street from the westerly line
of Polk street to the easterly line of
Van Ness avenue.

O'Farrell street from the westerly
line of Polk street to the easterly line
of Van Ness avenue.

Geary street from the westerly line
of Polk street to the easterly line of
Van Ness avenue.

Post street from the westerly line
of Polk street to the easterly line of
Van Ness avenue.

Mission street from the northerly
line of Twenty-third to the southerly
line of Twenty-ninth street.

Polk street from the northerly line

of Clay street to the northerly line of Vallejo street.

Van Ness avenue from the southerly line of Broadway to the northerly line of Vallejo street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9514 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants. to wit:

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1904.

J. F. O'Brien Co., 4th payment, Brannan street sewer (claim dated June 5, 1912) \$8,142.56

Karl Ehrhart, 1st payment, sewer construction, 13th avenue and Cabrillo street (claim dated June 5, 1912) 1,900.28

Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1904.

Fay Improvement Co., 2nd payment, street work, Powell to Jones streets (claim dated June 12, 1912) \$4,759.69

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

F. Rolandi, 7th payment, North Point main sewer "E" (claim dated June 4, 1912) \$22,130.14

John Daniel, 9th payment, North Point main sewer "G" (claim dated June 5, 1912) 9,785.78

Contra Costa Construction Co., 3rd payment, Ingleside outlet sewer "C" (claim dated June 5, 1912) 12,056.25

Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., sureties on bond of Keystone Const. Co., 13th payment, Mission street sewer, Silver avenue to Bosworth (claim dated June 5, 1912) 1,286.25

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.

Atlas Heating & Vent. Co., 1st payment, blast and exhaust system, Polytechnic High School shop building (claim dated June 6, 1912) \$1,185.00

Wm. S. Snook & Son, final payment, plumbing, Poly-

technic High School shop building (claim dated May 24, 1912) 1,892.50

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co., assignee of Lenning Rappaple Co., heating and ventilating City and County Jail (claim dated June 5, 1912) \$2,524.50

Park Fund.

Chas. Brown & Sons, 1 Coldwell auto lawn mower (claim dated May 13, 1912) \$1,745.00

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Southern Pacific Co., freight on cast iron pipe from Alabama (claim dated June 6, 1912) \$534.95

Enterprise Foundry Co, 22nd payment, contract 39, cast iron specials (claim dated June 11, 1912) 2,673.65

Compressed Air Machinery Co., in full, contract 32, valves, etc., Ashbury Heights reservoir (claim dated June 12, 1912) 2,449.00

Selby Smelting & Lead Co., contract 65, lead to Municipal Pipe Yard (claim dated May 29, 1912) 17,640.00

Caldwell & Co., 2nd payment, contract 34 Pumping Station No. 2 (claim dated June 4, 1912) 9,045.00

R. C. Storrie & Co., 3rd payment, contract 44 (claim dated June 4, 1912) 27,099.85

Coast Improvement Co., 7th payment, contract 48 (claim dated June 4, 1912) 19,915.89

Michael Murphy, 7th payment, contract 50 (claim dated June 4, 1912) 9,353.04

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Smith & Johnson, extra plastering, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912) \$664.22

Lange & Berstrom, final payment terra cotta clothes chute, S. F. Hospital (claim dated May 28, 1912) 1,021.00

Vulcan Iron Works, 2nd payment, ice refrigerator, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 5, 1912) 3,187.50

Mangrum & Otter, 1st payment, kitchen apparatus, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912) 15,000.00

McLean, Haggans & Aden, 1st payment, general finish

power house and laundry, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912).....	3,288.75	(claim dated May 28, 1912)	508.74
Ralston Iron Works, 2nd pay- ment, interior ornamental iron work, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912)	1,500.00	Henry R. Worthington, power pump, Relief Home (claim dated Dec. 6, 1911).....	1425.00
Otis Elevator Co., 2nd pay- ment, elevators, S. F. Hos- pital (claim dated June 4, 1912)	3,000.00	Kiernan & O'Brien, plumb- ing, Potrero Police Station (claim dated June 4, 1912)	2215.00
Electric Cable Co., in full cable, S. F. Hospital (claim dated May 18, 1912).....	3,109.60	Robert Trost, final payment, general construction, Po- trero Police Station (claim dated June 5, 1912).....	12,862.00
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>		W. A. Newsom, final pay- ment, photograph gallery, Hall of Justice (claim dated May 28, 1912)....	2300.00
C. F. Weber & Co., black- board, John Swett School (claim dated June 11, 1912)	\$1,199.78	The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors (claim dated May 1, 1912).	3774.67
Standard Electrical Construc- tion Co., 2nd payment, elec- tric work, Girls' High School (claim dated June 3, 1912)	1,425.00	The Rincon Publishing Com- pany, printing public docu- ments (claim dated June 13, 1912)	771.88
General Engineering Co., in full, vacuum cleaning, Girls' High School (claim dated May 24, 1912).....	577.00	H. Lehrke Sons, supplies, Re- lief Home (claim dated May 31, 1912)	2933.37
Elmer Carlson, 10th pay- ment, general construction, Lowell High School (claim dated June 4, 1912).....	20,025.00	Miller & Lux, meats, Relief Home (claim dated May 31, 1912)	2241.70
O. C. Holt, 8th payment, gen- eral construction, John Swett School (claim dated June 4, 1912).....	12,085.00	Sherry Freitas Co. Inc., groc- eries, Relief Home (claim dated June 1, 1912).....	1160.49
<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Is- sue July 1, 1910.</i>		Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., groc- eries, City and County Hos- pital (claim dated June 1, 1912)	1387.78
Mahoney Bros., 1st payment, track construction, Geary Street Railway (claim dated June 5, 1912).....	9,834.00	Peter Caubu, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912).....	664.95
<i>General Fund.</i>		Herbert F. Dugan, drug sup- plies, City and County Hos- pital (claim dated May 29, 1912)	502.27
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 13th payment, Mission street viaduct, northerly section (claim dated June 5, 1912)	\$9,428.62	Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, City and County Hospital (claim dated May 31, 1912)	745.56
Spring Valley Water Co., water supplied for sprink- ling streets, May, 1912 (claim dated June 3, 1912)	683.28	H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated May 31, 1912)	544.59
G. H. Umbesen & Co., rent, City Departments, Grant Building, month of March, 1912 (claim dated May 27, 1912)	1329.25	The White Co., 1 Standard express motor car (claim dated June 3, 1912)	3500.00
G. H. Umbesen & Co., rent, City Department, Grant Building, month of April, 1912 (claim dated May 27, 1912)	1245.15	Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, fire boats (claim dated May 31, 1912)	766.31
John Hayden, meats, County Jails (claim dated June 3, 1912)	543.86	D. Demartini, garbage re- moval (claim dated May 31, 1912)	570.00
H. M. Lehrke Sons, groceries and supplies, County Jails		Thos. Morton & Co., coal, Fire Department (claim dated May 31, 1912).....	1520.35
		Scott, Magner & Miller, hay Fire department (claim dated May 31, 1912).....	1400.00
		Somers & Co., oats, Fire De- partment (claim dated May 28, 1912)	1573.94
		Union Iron Works Co., re- pairs to fire boat "Dennis T. Sullivan" (claim dated	

May 31, 1912) 962.22
Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue
July 1, 1910.

J. H. Dockweiler, service
 engineer, investigation
 Hetch Hetchy (claim dated
 May 31, 1912) \$750.00
 Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-
 lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
 Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
 Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
 McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
 Payot, Vogelsang—17.

**PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS—(Out
 of Order).**

Garbage Disposal Bonds.

A proposal for the purchase of
 eight Garbage Disposal Bonds mat-
 uring July 1, 1912, at par and ac-
 crued interest together with certified
 check in sum of \$400 to cover bid
 was received from the Bank of Italy
 and referred to the Finance Commit-
 tee.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS—(Continued).

WATER RATES, 1912-1913.

The following bill heretofore passed
 for printing and laid over temporarily
 this day pending appearance of E. C.
 McCutcheon, attorney of Spring Valley
 Water Company, was taken up:

Bill No. 2162, Ordinance No. —
 (New Series). "Regulating the monthly
 rates of compensation to be collected
 by any person, company or corporation
 engaged in the business of supplying
 water to the inhabitants of the City
 and County of San Francisco for fam-
 ily uses, for private purposes, for mu-
 nicipal uses and for all public purposes
 of said City and County for the year
 commencing July 1, 1912, and ending
 June 30, 1913."

Be it ordained by the People of the
 City and County of San Francisco, as
 follows:

That the monthly rates of compensa-
 tion for supplying water shall be as
 follows:

General Rates.

Section 1. For buildings occupied by
 a single family covering a ground sur-
 face of (not including porches):

SQUARE FEET.	One Story...	Two Stories.	Three Stories.	Four Stories.	Five Stories.
0 to 400.....	\$0.22	\$0.27	\$0.36	\$0.41	\$0.45
400 to 500.....	.27	.36	.41	.45	.54
500 to 600.....	.36	.41	.45	.54	.63
600 to 700.....	.41	.45	.54	.63	.68
700 to 800.....	.45	.54	.63	.68	.72
800 to 900.....	.54	.63	.68	.72	.76
900 to 1000.....	.63	.68	.72	.76	.86
1000 to 1200.....	.68	.72	.76	.86	.90
1200 to 1400.....	.72	.76	.86	.90	.94
1400 to 1600.....	.76	.86	.90	.94	.99
1600 to 1800.....	.86	.90	.94	.99	1.03
1800 to 2000.....	.90	.94	.99	1.03	1.08

The foregoing rates also apply to pub-
 lic buildings. No single rate less than
 twenty-two (22) cents.

For all houses one story in height,
 covering a greater area than two thou-
 sand square feet, there shall be added
 nine (9) cents for each additional two
 hundred square feet or fraction there-
 of, and the further sum of nine (9)
 cents for each additional story.

Additional Families.

Where a house or building is occupied
 by more than one family the general
 rate for each additional family shall
 be three-quarters ($\frac{3}{4}$) of the foregoing
 rates, except:

First—Where a house or building is
 divided into flats, each flat having a
 separate entrance, and occupied by a
 separate family, the general rate
 charged shall be the same for each flat
 as for a single house of like dimen-
 sions.

Second—Where two or more families
 occupy the same floor the general rates
 for each family on such floor shall be
 the rate for the floor surface occupied
 by such family (the same as for a sin-
 gle one-story house), according to the
 foregoing table.

Note—The general rate includes
 water for general household purposes
 but does not include any of the fol-
 lowing specified rates:

Special Rates—Bathing Tubs.

Section 2. Bathing tubs in private
 houses, each tub, \$0.32.

In public houses, boarding houses,
 lodging houses, hotels and bathing es-
 tablishments where meters are not used,
 each tub, \$0.45.

For Horses and Cows.

Section 3. For each horse, \$0.18; for
 each cow, \$0.09.

Boarding and Lodging Houses, Etc.

Section 4. Boarding and lodging
 houses, not including water for baths,
 water closets and urinals or for water
 without the houses, shall be charged
 for each boarder and lodger within the
 same in addition to the rates for pri-
 vate families, \$0.07.

Irrigation, Private Gardens, Etc.

Section 5. Irrigation for private gar-
 dens and private grounds, one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$)
 or a cent per square yard; no monthly
 charge to be less than fifteen (15)
 cents.

Water Closets.

Section 6. For each valve closet
 for use of public building.....\$0.45
 For each valve closet for use of
 private dwelling22
 Privy vaults (connected with
 sewers)—
 For use of public building, each
 seat41
 For use of private dwelling, each

seat22
All drain closets to be charged at the same rate as privy vaults.

Urinals and Stationary Washstands.
Section 7. For use of public buildings, each\$0.09
For use of private dwellings, each .05

Building Purposes.

Section 8. Water furnished for building purposes:
Each barrel of lime or cement...\$0.14
Each thousand of brick09

Stores, Banks, Saloons, Hotels, Etc.

Stores, banks, bakeries, offices, warehouses, saloons, groceries, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, book binderies, blacksmith shops, confectioneries, hotels, lodging houses, boarding houses, churches, halls, laundries, photograph galleries, printing offices, steam engines, greenhouses, markets, market stalls, horse troughs, soda fountains and other places of business, each to be charged according to the estimated quantity used, from eighty-one cents (\$.81) to five and 40-100 dollars (\$5.40), or by meter at meter rates.

Fire Pipes.

Section 9. Meters shall be applied to all pipes used especially for fire protection, and monthly bills shall be charged for the same at regular meter rates, provided, however, that the monthly bill shall not be less than fifty (50) cents for each one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) inch of diameter of pipe used.

Meter Rates.

Section 10. Water furnished for any and all purposes not embraced in the above shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

The first 2,000 cubic feet used (between 0 and 2,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of twenty-five (25) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 2,000 cubic feet used (between 2,000 and 4,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of twenty-four (24) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 2,000 cubic feet used (between 4,000 and 6,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of twenty-two (22) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 2,000 cubic feet used (between 6,000 and 8,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of twenty-one (21) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 2,000 cubic feet used (between 8,000 and 10,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of twenty (20) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 5,000 cubic feet used (between 10,000 and 15,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of nineteen (19) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 5,000 cubic feet used (between 15,000 and 20,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of

eighteen (18) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 5,000 cubic feet used (between 20,000 and 25,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of seventeen (17) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 5,000 cubic feet used (between 25,000 and 30,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of sixteen (16) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 10,000 cubic feet used (between 30,000 and 40,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of fifteen (15) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 10,000 cubic feet used (between 40,000 and 50,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of fourteen (14) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 10,000 cubic feet used (between 50,000 and 60,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of fourteen (14) cents per 100 cubic feet.

The next 10,000 cubic feet used (between 60,000 and 70,000 cubic feet) shall be charged for at the rate of thirteen (13) cents per 100 cubic feet.

All water used in excess of 70,000 cubic feet per month to be charged for at the rate of twelve (12) cents per 100 cubic feet.

No monthly meter bill to be less than one and 80-100 dollars (\$1.80), except as hereinafter provided.

Upon application of any ratepayer the Board of Supervisors shall reserve the right, upon a proper showing of cause, to require the company to put in a meter and charge meter rates for any consumer of water, on such conditions as the Board may impose as to the rental when meter is not actually used.

Meter Rates for Shipping.

Water shall be furnished and delivered by meter measurement to shipping lines alongside of the bulkhead or any of the wharves on the water front where water pipes or mains are laid, between the hours of 6 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m., daily, upon application being made therefor, at the following rates: When supplied by reel and hose cart, \$1.50 per 1,000 gallons. When supplied by connection with water pipes, at rates that shall not exceed double the regular meter rates established by Section 10. The minimum charge for each separate delivery to be fifty (50) cents.

No water boat furnishing and supplying water to shipping lying at anchor within the limits of the wharves of the City and County of San Francisco shall charge a rate to exceed three dollars (\$3.00) per 1,000 gallons.

Hydrant Rates.

Section 11. The rates of compensation to be collected for water supplied by and through hydrants to the City and County of San Francisco shall be

two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) per month for each hydrant for fire purposes and flushing of sewers.

Prevention of Waste.

Section 12. Prevention of waste or excessive use:

In no case where the fixed rates above provided other than meter rates, are applicable, shall any charge for water be made by meter rates, it being the purpose of this Ordinance to provide for all dwelling houses a fixed monthly rate which shall not be increased by the person, company or corporation supplying water.

Provided, however, that for the purpose of discovering and repressing waste or excessive use, all persons, companies or corporations shall have the right in all cases to apply and maintain meters to measure the water used or consumed, and to charge and collect for waste or excessive use under the condition and to the extent hereafter provided in this section, and not otherwise.

No consumer shall be deemed guilty of waste or excessive use unless the water used or consumed upon his premises in any month shall exceed by fifty (50) per cent the number of cubic feet which at regular meter rates amount to his rated bill, in which case such excess shall be deemed waste or excessive use.

Immediately after the discovery of any waste or excessive use, the consumer shall be notified thereof by the person, company or corporation supplying water by notice mailed to his address or to the agent or person to whom his water bills are presented for collection.

After such notice the consumer may be charged and there may be collected from him for any waste or excessive use thereafter occurring upon his premises at regular meter rates, but such charge or collection shall not exceed for the first month the sum of two dollars (\$2.00), for the second month the sum of four dollars (\$4.00), or for any following month the sum of five dollars (\$5.00).

Board of Public Works to Examine Complaints, Etc.

It shall be the duty of the Board of Public Works, by its Gas, Water and Electrical Inspector of this City and County, to inquire into all cases of complaints by water consumers as to charges made against them for waste or excessive use under the foregoing provisions of this section, and to adjust such charge as follows:

Any water consumer against whom a water bill is presented containing a charge for waste or excessive use of water may within five days after such

bill is presented to him (provided that he first pay the fixed rate charged on such bill, exclusive of the charge made for said alleged waste or excessive use) make complaint to said inspector that such charge is incorrect, whereupon the said inspector shall promptly inspect the premises of the consumer so complaining and cause a test to be made of the water meter upon said premises, and from such inspection and test and subsequent inspection and test as said inspector may see fit and proper to make shall determine as near as can be the amount of water used, consumed or wasted upon said premises during the period covered by said bill. As soon as such determination is made and within twenty (20) days after the said complaint is made said inspector shall make a certificate stating the amount of water so determined to have been used, consumed or wasted, and showing the true and correct amount, if anything, which may be charged against and collected from said consumer under the foregoing provisions of this section for waste or excessive use, and shall immediately transmit such certificate to the person, company or corporation supplying water, and also a copy thereof by mail to the water consumer.

The said certificate shall be conclusive between the water consumer and said person, company or corporation as to the amount, if anything, which said person, company or corporation shall be entitled to collect from the consumer for waste or excessive use of water during the period covered by the bill of which complaint is made; provided, however, that if either the consumer or the water company is dissatisfied with the certificate of the water inspector appeal may be taken within five (5) days to the Committee on Water Rates of the Board of Supervisors, which shall, within five (5) days after such appeal, hear and finally determine the matter in dispute.

The said inspector shall keep in his office a proper record or records, showing the date of each complaint made to him, the name of the consumer complaining, the location of his premises, and stating briefly the inspection made by him of the premises and the tests applied to the meter, the time or times of such inspection and tests, and the results thereof, with the reading of the meter at each test or inspection, and all other material facts connected therewith. Such records so kept to be open for public examination in his office.

Rates—When Payable.

Section 13. All water rates, except meter rates and City and County rates,

are due and payable monthly in advance.

Meter and City and County rates are due and payable at the end of each month, and upon meter rates a deposit not exceeding three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) of the value of the estimated quantity of water to be consumed may be required.

Notice of Discontinuance.

Section 14. Any consumer may at any time, upon payment of accrued rates, notify the company in writing to cut off or discontinue the water supply upon his premises, after which no charge shall be made for water for said premises until the use of water is resumed.

Maximum Rates Fixed.

Section 15. This Ordinance fixes the maximum beyond which no person, company or corporation shall be permitted to charge for water supplied.

Section 16. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913.

Privilege of the Floor.

E. C. McCutcheon, attorney representing the Spring Valley Water Company, was granted the privilege of the floor and declared that the majority report of the Water Rates Committee does not attempt to fix a valuation of the properties of the Spring Valley Water Company as a basis for determining rates, and that he did not see how the Board as a whole could vote a rate inasmuch as no such valuation had been established.

The City Engineer's report, he declared, took the valuation fixed by Judge Farrington for 1903, made certain allowances for depreciation, and added certain capital expenditures; but that it did not allow for increased valuation, nor for all the capital expenditures made.

In the lack of such information, he said, he did not see how the Board could have conscientiously voted on the rate recommended.

He declared, further, that the decision of Judge Farrington proved that the Spring Valley Water Company had not been treated fair by the city, and that the Supervisors are not treating it fair when they refuse to allow for appreciation.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the above Bill was finally passed as Ordinance No. 1944 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Nolan—2.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Murdock explained his vote by saying that the city and the company are not acting fair in the matter and that he would vote for the Bill notwithstanding the fact that it did not represent his personal conviction in the matter.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows:

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9515 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned fund for the following purposes, to wit:

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.

For the construction of sewer and appurtenances in Stuart street, between Howard and Folsom streets \$11,000.00

For the construction of sewer and appurtenances in Beach street, between Laguna and Webster streets; Webster street, between Beach and Tonquin streets; Tonquin street, between Webster and Baker streets 41,200.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9516 (New Series), Granting O. C. Holt permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in lot situate at the east side of Stockton street, 25 feet north of Greenwich street for grading purpose in the construction of a fire engine house; provided, that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$2500, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor, the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said

above named permittee, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Oil, Cleaning Establishment and Garage Permits.

Resolution No. 9517 (New Series), Granting the following revocable permits:

Storage Tank.

Marion Leventritt, 1500 gallons capacity, in premises northeast corner of Market and Franklin streets.

J. Weirich and R. R. Collins, 1500 gallons capacity, in premises No. 922 Valencia street.

Cleaning Establishment.

Home Dyeing and Cleaning Works, for a boiler and benzine tank at No. 911 Washington street.

This is to validate a transfer of ownership. Permission was heretofore granted K. Yoshikawa at said premises.

Garage.

Whittel Realty Company, for public garage at east side of Taylor street, 57 feet 6 inches north of Eddy street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Storage and Transportation of Oils and Explosives.

Bill No. 2186, Ordinance No. 1945 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance to amend Sections 10 and 12 of Ordinance No. 302 of the City and County of San Francisco, approved May 24, 1901, and entitled, 'Providing for the regulation and controlling of the storage of crude petroleum, use of crude petroleum, storage of any of the products of petroleum, use of gasoline, storage of kerosene of coal oil, adulteration of oils prohibited, cases and packages of heating or illuminating oils to be stamped, tests of oils and instruments to be used, refining oils, storage of explosives, prohibiting the transportation of nitro-glycerin, storage of gunpowder, conveyance of gunpowder, gunpowder shipping, discharging and having gunpowder on Board, gunpowder when loaded to be immediately forwarded, vessels having gunpowder on Board to be afloat at low tide, storage and sale of fireworks, duty of the police, transportation of calcium carbide, liquified acetylene, duty of the fire marshal, erection of

gas works or gas machines, gas machines: Arson—Reward for arrest of: rubbish, shavings, hay, straw or litter, gas and electric lights in show windows, ashes, fire in open tins, pans, etc., manufacture of matches, enforcement of the provisions of this ordinance, this ordinance to take effect, the provisions of which relate to the handling of explosives in terminals and yards of steam railway corporations, being subject to the jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Muzzling of Dogs.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing, was taken up:

Bill No. 2169, Ordinance No. 1946 (New Series), entitled, "Requiring the Muzzling of Dogs".

Dr. Rosenstirn, Chairman of the Health Committee of the Civic League, was granted the privilege of the floor, and addressed the Board, stating that measures similar to the above requiring the muzzling of dogs had entirely stamped out a plague of rabies in Prussia, where it had been very prevalent. He declared that when once the disease has broken out it is incurable, hence the necessity of stringent measures for its abatement. The Pasteur treatment, he stated, if taken before symptoms developed, sometimes prevented fatality. He requested that when the ordinance is passed that the Police Department be asked to see that it is strictly enforced.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the above Bill was finally passed as Ordinance No. 1946 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—13.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hilmer, Hocks—4.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

SPECIAL ORDER, 4 P. M.

Library Trustees to Erect and Equip Library Building on Civic Center.

The following Bill, laid over from last meeting and made a special order of business for 4 p. m. this day was taken up:

Bill No. 2173, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Board of Library Trustees to erect and equip a public library building, such building to constitute a part of a Civic Center."

Amendment.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved to amend above Bill by adding the words:

"Provided that the available fund therefor shall not include the whole or any part of the \$750,000 offered by Andrew Carnegie."

Privilege of the Floor.

John I. Nolan, Secretary of the San Francisco Labor Council, presented a written protest from the San Francisco Labor Council against the acceptance of the gift of Andrew Carnegie, and suggested that the question of the acceptance of Carnegie's offer be submitted to the people for decision at a general or a special election.

Dr. Edward R. Taylor, representing Board of Library Trustees, addressed the Board, stating that he availed himself of his privilege as a former Mayor of San Francisco, and spoke from his experience as such, to advise the Board of Supervisors against the acceptance of the offer of Andrew Carnegie. He declared that in the first place the offer was not spontaneous, that the offer arose on the solicitation of six members of the Board of Supervisors in 1901.

San Francisco, he said, which in every emergency was equal to the call made upon her, should not now go down on her knees and hold out her hat to Andrew Carnegie. He spoke of the self-reliance of San Francisco during the fire and earthquake in 1906, and her marvellous recovery and restoration, and expressed the hope that that record should not be sullied by soliciting gifts from Andrew Carnegie. As soon as Carnegie's money was offered in 1901, hostility to the acceptance of the gift arose and has continued ever since.

When we know, he declared, the source of such money we are bound to take it into consideration, and when it is corrupt and put into a public building, it makes it a "corrupted public building."

He stated that \$100,000,000 of Carnegie's money was corruptly wrested from his associates in the United States Steel Corporation, and that the interest on that immense sum is sweated from the toilers in his mills who were worked twelve hours a day and seven days in the week.

San Francisco, he said, with her history, should not dicker for such a donation or play a part so humiliating.

E. A. Belcher was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board in opposition to the amendment offered by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher. He declared that there was no such thing as tainted money, that

money was a dead thing and had no moral existence. "What," he said "has the business methods of a man to do with the beneficent purpose to which he purposes to put his money. Carnegie is accountable for his methods to God and the laws of the country and it is not our place to judge him." He alluded to the gifts of Senator Stanford to California for educational purposes, and said that no one now would consider that he had a tainted education because he was a graduate of Stanford University.

Mrs. E. Gerberding said she believed it was true that the money rightfully belonged to the toilers and that the acceptance of the gift was a way that it could be returned to them and placed to the best advantage.

Theo. Pinther also addressed the Board, favoring the acceptance of the offer of Carnegie.

P. J. Healy also addressed the Board and favored the acceptance of Carnegie's donation. He said that he was sorry that he could not agree with Dr. Taylor, but that he yielded to no man in admiration of character. He said that Carnegie came to this country a poor boy and won his way to wealth and distinction against great odds and was worthy of the esteem of his fellow-men.

Chas. F. Adams, Secretary of the Civic League of Improvement Clubs, read a communication and resolutions from that body favoring the acceptance of the offer of Andrew Carnegie.

Walter McArthur, representing the San Francisco Labor Council, stated that the present Board of Supervisors must accept full responsibility for its action in this matter. The affair was entirely dropped by the 1901 Board of Supervisors. He said that this was not a business proposition as intimated—it meant a free gift from Andrew Carnegie. It did, however, like all business propositions, involve a *quid pro quo*, and the acceptance of the gift placed the people of San Francisco in the position of doing honor to Andrew Carnegie and all that Andrew Carnegie stands for.

Replying to the statement that money is taken in taxes from dives and dance halls and devoted to beneficial purposes, he made the distinction that dives and dance halls were taxed, and should be taxed heavily, because they are recognized as a great public evil, and the tax put upon that is a public regulation for the purpose of curbing them. He added that if there was any legal way of obtaining the money from Carnegie in the same manner he would heartily favor it.

Miss Hittel also addressed the Board, favoring the acceptance of the offer.

She called attention to the need of better library facilities in San Francisco and said she thought it was wrong not to permit Mr. Carnegie to redeem himself for any wrong he had done if he felt he could do so by distributing his money in this way.

Amendment.

Whereupon, the question being taken on Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher's amendment, the same was *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher—2.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Absent—Supervisors Hocks, McCarthy—2.

Motion.

Whereupon, Supervisor A. J. Gallagher moved the *recommittal of the bill to the Public Welfare Committee* with instructions to prepare proper ordinances for the submission of the matter to an advisory vote of the people at such regular or special election next to be held.

Motion *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, McLeran, Murdock, Vogelsang—5.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Absent—Supervisors Hocks, McCarthy—2.

(Supervisor Murdock explained his vote by saying that he believed in submitting the question to the voters, but not at a special election.)

Motion.

Supervisor McLeran moved that the matter be laid over until the second week in November.

Motion *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, McLeran, Murdock, Vogelsang—5.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Absent—Supervisors Hocks, McCarthy—2.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the question being taken the above entitled bill was *passed for printing* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—13.

Noes—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, McLeran—3.

Absent—Supervisors Hocks, McCarthy—2.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS—(Continued).

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Veterinary Hospitals.

Resolution No. 9518 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, to Dr. K. O. Steers to maintain and conduct a Veterinary Hospital in premises situate on the south side of Irving (formerly I) street, 56 feet 6 inches east of Thirty-fourth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Conditional Acceptance.

Bill No. 2170, Ordinance No. 1947 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the road way of crossing of San Bruno avenue and Bacon street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Ordering Sewer Work.

Bill No. 2171, Ordinance No. 1948 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Steuart street between Howard and Folsom streets, approving and adopting plans and specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing of said work at an estimated cost of Eleven Thousand Dollars (\$11,000.00) out of the proceeds of sale of Sewer Bonds, issue of 1904, for the doing of said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$346,488.24 and entered in Register of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 20,920 to 20,309, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hihner, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.

The Destructor Company, last payment, incinerators, Islais Creek and North Beach (claim dated June 18, 1912) . \$2,782.50

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Cyril Williams Jr., water supply investigations (claim dated June 14, 1912) \$ 943.45

C. E. Grunsky, water supply investigations (claim dated June 20, 1912) 5,000.00

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

U. S. Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co., sixth payment, cast iron pipe, contract 55 (claim dated June 13, 1912) \$1,888.14

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., eleventh payment, pumping station No. 1 (claim dated June 20, 1912) 4,500.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Chas. E. Thomas Co., second payment, heating and ventilating, Girls' High School (claim dated June 14, 1912) \$2,242.50

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Lange & Bergstrom, final payment, millwork, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 14, 1912) \$2,000.00

Columbia Marble Co., fourth payment, marble work, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 14, 1912) 2,212.50

Smith & Johnson, eighth pay-

ment, plastering, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912) 3,000.00

Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904.

Fay Improvement Co., first payment, street work, Howard street, Second to Fourth (claim dated June 15, 1912) \$9,511.78

Fillmore Street Tunnel Borings Account.

A. Paulson, borings, Fillmore street (claim dated May 28, 1912) \$1,045.00

General Fund.

John Cassaretto, paving gravel, street repairs (claim dated June 4, 1912) \$ 710.50

Standard Oil Co., fuel oil (claim dated June 6, 1912) 934.91

Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., groceries, Tubercular Hospital (claim dated June 1, 1912) 685.24

Murphy, Grant & Co., dry goods, Relief Home (claim dated May 29, 1912) 508.14

Bennett Bros., supplies, Department of Electricity (claim dated May 29, 1912) 646.43

Western Lime and Cement Co., sand, Board of Public Works (claim dated June 3, 1912) 603.75

The Albertinum Orphanage, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 31, 1912) 586.30

Maud B. Booth Home for Children, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 30, 1912) 528.00

Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated June 1, 1912) 1,917.32

The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 31, 1912) 612.31

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated June 1, 1912) 1,289.56

Sister Mary Caine, Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated May 31, 1912) 1,060.03

The St. Vincent De Paul Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 31, 1912) 4,167.55

The Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 30, 1912) 585.08

State of California, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 31, 1912) 741.97

Providing \$25,000 for Repairs to School Buildings During July, August and September, 1912.

Also: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of budget item No. 551, for the fiscal year 1912-1913, for the reconstruction, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings during the month of July, August and September, 1912.

Providing \$900 for Rehabilitation of Offices in David Hewes Building, formerly Occupied by Municipal Departments.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of Nine Hundred (\$900) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc.," for rehabilitating offices in Hewes Building formerly occupied by Municipal departments."

Providing \$1350 for Sanitation Purposes During July, 1912.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of Thirteen hundred and fifty (\$1,350) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended by the Board of Health out of Budget item No. 382a for the fiscal year 1912-1913, for the continuance of special sanitation measures, during the month of July, 1912.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Relief Home Authorized to Expend Out of Maintenance Fund \$600 for Purchase of Cows.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: J. R. No. 272.

Resolved, That the Relief Home be and is hereby authorized to expend out of its maintenance fund the sum of Six hundred (\$600) dollars for the purchase of cows for said Relief Home.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelasng—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following matter was passed for printing:

Mayor to Appoint Stenographer, Telephone Operator and Chauffeur and Fixing Their Compensation.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Bill No. 2178, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Mayor to appoint two stenographers, one telephone operator and one chauffeur in addition to the employees allowed by law, and fixing their compensation."

Repealing Ordinance Authorizing Sheriff Two Deputies and Cashier.

The following Bill laid over from last meeting was taken up:

Also, Bill No. 2167, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1745, passed February 5, 1905, authorizing the Sheriff to appoint two additional deputies, and Ordinance No. 1636 (New Series), passed August 7, 1911, authorizing the Sheriff to appoint a Cashier."

Amendment.

Supervisor Murphy moved to amend by striking out reference to "cashier."

Amendment carried.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the above Bill as amended was passed for printing.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelasng—16.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Construction of Section "N," North Point Main Sewer.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: J. R. No. 273.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be instructed to advertise for bids for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section "N" of the North Point Main (this sewer will lie in Cayuga avenue between Ocean avenue and Oneida avenue, and in Onondaga avenue between Cayuga avenue and Mission street) and on receipt of bids the Board of Public Works to notify the Finance Committee of the lowest bidder to whom the award is to be made, and the Finance Committee will then set aside a sufficient amount of money from the 1908 bond issue to cover the cost of work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelasng—16.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That F. Rolandi is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in lot situate at the northwest corner of Geary street and Parnassus avenue in the construction of the Geary street Railroad car barn, provided that said

permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of— as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor, the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; Provided, also that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said F. Rolandi, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Laundry and Garage Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits be and the same are hereby granted:

Laundries.

Bluxome and Wooster, in premises situate north line of Erie street, 185 feet west of Howard street.

John Manant, in premises at No. 4063 Eighteenth street.

James J. Whittle, in premises at No. 367 Guerrero street.

Garage.

O. F. Taber, in premises at east side of Valencia street, 35 feet south of Twenty-sixth street.

Denying Garage Permit.

The following matter was presented by Supervisor Giannini:

J. R. No. 274.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission be and the same is hereby denied Fred Bauer and Thomas Murdock to erect and maintain a public garage in premises situate at north line of Sutter street, 37 feet 6 inches east of Steiner street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. W. Treadwell, representing the petitioners, was granted the privilege of the floor, and argued in favor of granting the permit. He read letters from Fire Marshal and others, declaring that the fire hazard would not be increased and declared that inasmuch as that was the ground on which the protest was made, that there was no legitimate reason for denying his client a permit to engage in a perfectly legitimate enterprise.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken the above resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Granting Noble Jones Company Permit to Install Pump at Relief Home Tract.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: Resolution No. 9519 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors is hereby granted to the Noble Jones Company to install one pump in the pump house on the Relief Home tract and lay all necessary pipes in said tract to connect with and pump water from Lake Honda to a tank on reservoir to be installed at Twelfth avenue and Rivera (formerly R) street, all of said work and installation to be without expense or cost to the City and County of San Francisco; said pipes to be laid along the shortest and most practicable route between said points.

Further Resolved, That said permission is granted to the Noble Jones Company on the express condition and agreement to be made in writing that said pump so installed and pipes so laid in the Relief Home tract are to become the property of the City and County of San Francisco, when said pump has been installed and said pipes have been laid and are ready for use, the said City and County agreeing upon its part to operate said pump free of cost to said Noble Jones Company; said Noble Jones Company to furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred dollars as a guarantee that it will make all necessary repairs to and replacements or renewals to said pump and pipes.

Further Resolved, That the City Attorney be and is hereby requested to prepare and secure the signing of the legal papers necessary to carry out the terms of the agreement contained in this resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Extension of Time on Stable Permit of J. N. Copus.

Also, Resolution No. 9520 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the permission heretofore granted to J. N. Copus to maintain a stable for twelve horses at the northeast corner of Forty-sixth avenue and Lawton street for a period of ninety days from April 3, 1912, be and

is hereby extended for a period of ninety days from and after July 3, 1912, under the terms and conditions contained in Resolution No. 9404 (New Series).

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.
Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 275.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby directed, to install an arc light at each of the following locations:

Fifteenth avenue, between California and Lake streets.

At Ocean Shore railroad crossing, on Ramsell street, between Palmetto and Stanley streets.

Corner of Liebig and Lessing streets.

Also two triple top lamps in front of St. Francis Church, 620 Vallejo street.

One triple top lamp in front of the Church of Yglesia De Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe on north side of Broadway west of Mason street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.
Intention to Construct Fillmore Street Tunnel.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

Resolution No. 9521 (New Series).

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco deem that the public interest and convenience require the construction for public uses of the tunnel within said City and County hereinafter described.

That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to order the construction of a tunnel in or under Fillmore street and adjacent lands in the City and County of San Francisco in the place and in the manner hereinafter specified, and that the following is a general description of the construction contemplated, to-wit:

Said tunnel, including the approaches, shall extend in or under Fillmore street and adjacent lands, as hereinafter described, from the northerly line of Sutter street to the southerly line of Filbert street.

The southerly portal of said tunnel shall be in Fillmore street to the south and adjacent to or near the southerly line of Bush street and at a point between the northerly line of Sutter street and the southerly line of Bush street.

The northerly portal of said tunnel shall be in Fillmore street to the north of and adjacent to or near the northerly line of Union street and at a point between the southerly line of Filbert street and the northerly line of Union street.

The points to be connected by said tunnel are as hereinbefore specified and the districts to be connected by said construction are the two districts hereinafter described.

The bore of said tunnel shall extend from the above mentioned southerly portal to the above mentioned northerly portal in the center of Fillmore street; said bore of said tunnel shall be properly and suitably lined with masonry; said masonry to be reinforced when necessary, and faced with proper material, and shall have all appurtenances necessary to make such tunnel fit for public use, including proper means of ventilation and drainage.

Generally the said bore shall be constructed to be approximately 58 feet wide in the clear; said bore shall be divided longitudinally by a division wall about four feet thick into two compartments; the easterly compartment shall be about 25 feet wide with a maximum height of about 22 feet, and shall be constructed for a permanently paved roadway; the westerly compartment shall be about 29 feet wide with a maximum height of about 22 feet; the floor of said westerly compartment shall be constructed for a trackway about 22 feet wide on its westerly side and a permanently paved sidewalk about 7 feet wide, on its easterly side, extending longitudinally the full length of said bore.

The floor of said bore and the surface of the approaches thereto shall be so laid that they shall connect the hereinbefore mentioned termini of said tunnel and approaches at the grade elevations of said termini by proper and suitable gradients between said two terminal points.

The approaches to said tunnel shall be constructed as follows:

(1) At the southerly end of said tunnel there shall be constructed between the southerly portal of said tunnel and the northerly line of Sutter street an open cut in the center of Fillmore street and having the width of the bore of said tunnel; the westerly 22 feet of the floor of said open cut shall be a permanently paved trackway and the easterly 25 feet of the floor of said open cut shall be a permanently paved roadway; the remaining portions of the floor of said open cut, consisting of the space between said trackway and

roadway shall be a permanently paved sidewalk about 11 feet wide, curbed with granite curbs, said sidewalk being a continuation of the sidewalk in the bore of said tunnel hereinbefore described. The sides of said open cut shall be supported by proper and suitable retaining walls with proper coping and ballustrade; on each side of said open cut and from the northerly line of Sutter street to the southerly line of Bush street there shall be constructed a highway of the width of about 34 feet. Said highway shall be graded to conform to the grade of Fillmore street between Sutter street and Bush street; said highway shall be suitably partitioned between a sidewalk about 12 feet wide and a roadway about 22 feet wide and the respective portions of said highway shall be suitably constructed as a permanently paved sidewalk curbed with granite curbs and a permanently paved roadway.

(2) At the northerly end of said tunnel there shall be constructed between the northerly portal of said tunnel and the southerly line of Filbert street an open cut in the center of Fillmore street and having the width of the bore of said tunnel; the westerly 22 feet of the floor of said open cut shall be a permanently paved trackway and the easterly 25 feet of the floor of said open cut shall be a permanently paved roadway; the remaining portion of the floor of said open cut, consisting of the space between said trackway and roadway, shall be a permanently paved sidewalk about 11 feet wide, curbed with granite curbs, said sidewalk being a continuation of the sidewalk in the bore of said tunnel, hereinbefore described. The sides of said open cut shall be supported by proper and suitable retaining walls with proper coping and ballustrade; on each side of said open cut and from the southerly line of Filbert street to the northerly line of Union street there shall be constructed a highway of the width of about 34 feet; said highway shall be graded to conform to the grade of Fillmore street between Filbert street and Union street; said highway shall be suitably partitioned between a sidewalk about 12 feet wide and a roadway about 22 feet wide and the respective portions of said highway shall be suitably constructed as a permanently paved sidewalk, curbed with granite curbs, and a permanently paved roadway.

The following is a specification of the exterior boundaries of the two districts of land to be benefited by

such construction and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof:

Southerly District.

All that certain land situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows:

Commencing at the point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of California street and the easterly line of Presidio avenue and running thence southerly along said easterly line of Presidio avenue to the northerly line of Geary street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Geary street to the easterly line of St. Joseph avenue if extended or produced to the northerly line of Geary street; thence southerly along said easterly line of St. Joseph avenue if extended or produced to the southerly line of Turk street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Turk street to the easterly line of Baker street; thence southerly along said easterly line of Baker street to the northerly line of McAllister street; thence easterly along said northerly line of McAllister street to the easterly line of Divisadero street; thence southerly along said easterly line of Divisadero street to the northerly line of Fulton street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Fulton street to the easterly line of Pierce street; thence southerly and along said easterly line of Pierce street if extended through Alamo Square to the northerly line of Fell street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Fell street to the easterly line of Steiner street; thence southerly along said easterly line of Steiner street to the northerly line of Oak street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Oak street to the westerly line of Gough street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Gough street to the northerly line of Fell street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Fell street to the westerly line of Van Ness avenue; thence northerly along said westerly line of Van Ness avenue to the southerly line of Turk street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Turk street to the westerly line of Gough street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Gough street to the southerly line of Ellis street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Ellis street to the westerly line of Octavia street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Octavia street to the southerly line of Bush street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Bush street to the westerly line of Webster street; thence northerly along

said westerly line of Webster street to the southerly line of California street; thence westerly along said southerly line of California street to the easterly line of Presidio avenue and the point of commencement.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

Northerly District.

All that certain land situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows:

Commencing at the point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Lewis street with the easterly line of Lyon street and running thence southerly along said easterly line of Lyon street to the northerly line of Green street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Green street to the westerly line of Van Ness avenue; thence northerly along said westerly line of Van Ness avenue to the southerly line of Bay street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Bay street to the westerly line of Laguna street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Laguna street to the southerly line of Lewis street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Lewis street to the westerly line of Webster street; thence northerly to the northerly line of Lewis street and the southeasterly corner of Block Number One of the Salt Marsh and Tideland Blocks; thence northerly along the easterly line of said Block Number One, 200 feet more or less, to the northerly line of said Block Number One; thence westerly along the northerly line of Blocks Number One, Number Two, Number Three, Number Four, Number Five, Number Six, Number Seven and Number Eight of the said Salt Marsh and Tideland Blocks to the easterly line of Lyon street; thence southerly along said easterly line of Lyon street to the southerly line of Lewis street and the point of commencement.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

Reference is hereby made to the provisions of Section 4, of Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), of the City and County of San Francisco, entitled:

"Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), Providing for the method by and under which tunnels and appurtenances thereto may be constructed within the City and County of San Francisco, and for the assessment of the costs and damages thereof upon private property benefited thereby", approved September 6th, 1911, as amended by

Ordinance No. 1721 (New Series), of the City and County of San Francisco, approved November 6th, 1911, which said section as amended reads as follows:

Section 4. Upon the completion of the posting of the notices provided for in Section Three the Board of Public Works shall cause a notice to be published for five days in the official newspaper reciting the fact of such posting. Any owner of property or persons interested therein, claiming that such property would sustain damages if the proposed tunnel construction be completed, may file with the Board of Public Works, within thirty days after the expiration of the time of publication of the said notice in this section provided for, a petition showing the fact of such ownership, or interest therein, a description of the property which it is claimed would be damaged, its market value and the estimated amount of damages, which the property would sustain by the proposed tunnel construction if completed. Such petition shall be verified by the oath of the petitioner or his agent.

The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors is hereby instructed to transmit to the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco a certified copy of this resolution and upon receipt thereof said Board of Public Works shall prepare a plan, longitudinal and cross section, showing the gradients of approaches to and of the passageway through said proposed tunnel.

The following described lands situate in the City and County of San Francisco and not now owned by said City and County necessary for the purposes of the above described construction shall be acquired by said City and County:

(1) A strip of land adjacent to and parallel with the easterly line of Fillmore street thirty feet wide extending from the northerly line of Sutter street to the southerly line of Bush street.

(2) A strip of land adjacent to and parallel with the westerly line of Fillmore street thirty feet wide extending from the northerly line of Sutter street to the southerly line of Bush street.

(3) A strip of land adjacent to and parallel with the easterly line of Fillmore street thirty feet wide extending from the southerly line of Filbert street to the northerly line of Union street.

(4) A strip of land adjacent to and parallel with the westerly line of Fillmore street thirty feet wide extending from the southerly line of Filbert street to the northerly line of Union

street. The cost and expense of acquiring said necessary property shall be included in the cost and expense of the construction of said tunnel and shall be levied as part of the assessment levied upon the property within the two above mentioned assessment districts.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.

Absent—Supervisors Hayden, Hocks, McCarthy, Murdock.

Accepting Offer of Margaret Housley to Sell for \$3500 Certain Land Required for the Opening and Extension of Fair Avenue.

Resolution No. 9522 (New Series), accepting offer of Mrs. Margaret Housley to sell for \$3500 certain land in Precita Valley Lands, Gift Map No. 3, required for the opening and extension of Fair avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$3500 to Margaret Housley as Purchase Price of Certain Land Required for Opening of Fair Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of thirty-five hundred (\$3500.00) dollars to be made out of the General Fund, 1911-12, in payment to Margaret Housley as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the northwesterly line of Prospect avenue, distant thereon 331 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Coso avenue, in Gift Map No. 3, of dimensions 51 feet frontage by a uniform depth of 122 feet 6 inches, required for the extension of Fair avenue.

Authorizing Payment of \$27,500 to R. Flaherty for Certain Land Required for Civic Center.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty-seven thousand five hundred (\$27,500) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to R. Flaherty as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 110 feet easterly from the easterly line of Polk street, of dimensions 55 x 120 feet, being a portion of Western

Addition Block No. 4, required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Authorizing Payment of \$9000 to Carrie Rea for Certain Lands Required for Civic Center.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nine thousand (\$9,000) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Carrie Rea as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the southerly line of Fulton street distant thereon 246 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue, of dimensions 30 x 97 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67, required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Fees for Building Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Bill No. 2175, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 12 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), approved December 22, 1909, known as 'The Building Law,' relating to fees for building permits."

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft and *laid over one week*:

Assigning Rooms in Temporary City Hall to Superintendent of Schools.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the two rooms situate in the extreme end of the east wing, second floor of the temporary City Hall building be and are hereby assigned to the use and purposes of the Superintendent of Schools. The attention of the Board of Works is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Treasurer to Place Cornerstone Box of Old Hall of Justice in Care of Park Commissioners.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 276.

Whereas, The Treasurer has filed an itemized statement of the contents of a certain copper box taken from the cornerstone of the ruins of the old Hall of Justice building at Kearny and Washington streets and now in his possession, with a request to be advised as to what disposition should be made of said box and contents; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized and requested to turn the said box and contents over to the care and custody of the Park Commissioners, to be

placed in the museum at Golden Gate Park.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Advisory Board of Architects to Plan all Public Buildings.

Also, J. R. No. 277.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to have all plans and drawings for public buildings of every character prepared by the Advisory Board of Architects.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Ordering Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2179, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done on King street, between Second and Third streets; Quane street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets; crossing of Quane and Twenty-first streets; Ninth avenue, between Geary and Clement streets; Hyde street, between Greenwich and Filbert streets; east side of Hyde street, between Greenwich and Lombard streets; Filbert street, between Hyde and Larkin streets, and Texas street, between Mariposa and Eighteenth streets.

Accepting Deed From Southern Pacific Company for Power Right of Way at Tara Street and Ocean Avenue.

Also Bill No. 2180, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Approving and accepting deed of easement from the Southern Pacific Company (a corporation) to the City and County of San Francisco, of a sewer right of way under the tracks of the railroad company at Tara street and Ocean avenue.

Establishing Grades, Lyell Street.

Also, Bill No. 2181, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Establishing grades on Lyell street, between Bosworth and Springdale streets.

Establishing Grades, Havelock Street.

Also, Bill No. 2182, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Establishing grades on Havelock street, between San Jose avenue and easterly line of Balboa Park, and on Circular avenue and Edna street, between Havelock street and Marston avenue.

Recommended.

The following Bill laid over from

last meeting was taken up and on motion *recommitted to Streets Committee*:

Ordering Street Work, Beach Street.

Also, Bill No. 2172, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Ordering the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Beach street, between Laguna and Webster streets; Webster street, between Beach and Tonquin streets; Tonquin street, between Webster and Baker streets; approving and adopting plans and specifications and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost of forty-one thousand and two hundred (\$41,200.00) dollars out of the proceeds of sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, for doing said work, and authorizing progressive payments therefor to be made in the manner set forth in the specifications for said work.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9523 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Onondaga avenue in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office June 14, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Also, Resolution No. 9524 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Lisbon street, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office June 14, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Ocean Shore Railroad Company to Remove Unused Spur Track.

Also, J. R. No. 278.

Resolved, That the Ocean Shore

Railroad Company be directed to remove the unused spur track from the streets and now in his possession, with a request to be advised as to what disposition should be made of said box and contents, and authorizing him to turn the said box and contents over to the care and custody of the Park Commissioners, to be placed in the museum at Golden Gate Park.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Board of Public Works to Recommend Improvement of Army Street From San Bruno Avenue to Kentucky Street, and San Bruno Avenue From Army Street to Silver Avenue.

J. R. No. 279.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to recommend to the Board of Supervisors the improvement of the roadway of Army street from San Bruno avenue to Kentucky street, and the roadway of San Bruno avenue from Army street to Silver avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting John F. Kelly an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after June 20, 1912, within which to complete the construction of sewers, paving, etc., on Twenty-first avenue from Lake street northerly, under public contract.

This extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed June 15, 1912, on account of sickness and death in the family of the contractor.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Award of Contract, Maintenance and Subsistence.

Resolution No. 9525 (New Series), Awarding contracts for maintenance and subsistence supplies to the following firms:

Associated Oil Co., Ajax Brass & Iron Works, Albers Bros. Milling Co., American Rubber Mfg. Co., Alaska Codfish Co., B. Arnhold & Co., Paul Arata, Antioch Sand Co.

Brown & Power Stationery Co., Chas. Brown & Sons, Inc., Bernhard Mattress

Co., L. Brizzolara & Son, Bowers Rubber Works, M. J. Brandenstein & Co., Bay Development Co., Barber Asphalt Paving Co., Brittain & Co., Boericke & Runyon Co., E. W. Bennett & Co., Wm. Bateman, Braun, Krucht, Helmann Co., Bennett Bros., Bausch & Lomb Optical Co., Buckingham & Hecht.

C. E. Conger, California Baking Co., Peter Caubu, Coffin-Redington Co., California Meat Co., Connolly & Glesener Co., California Brush & Supply Co., California Manufacturers' Supply Co., N. Clark & Sons, Henry Cowell Lime & Cement Co., Caire, Justinian Co., Cahn, Nickelsburg & Co., Crescent Blue Printing Co., Inc., Crescent Feather Co., California Pottery Co., Continental Bedding Co.

L. Dinkelspiel Co., Thos. E. Dunne Co., Dalziel Moller Co., Eugene Dietzgen Co., Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden, Herbert F. Dugan, Sol Deutsch, The Diamond Rubber Co. of New York, De Rome, Louis, B. B. & B. Foundry, Dilliver & Bro.

The Engineers' Polish Co., Enterprize Foundry Co., Electric Appliance Co., Eloesser-Heynemann Co., Egan Bros.

W. H. Feldmann, S. Foster & Co., W. P. Fuller & Co., A. Finke's Widow, J. A. Folger & Co., Foucar, Ray & Simon, Inc.

Goodyear Rubber Co., Greenebaum, Weil & Michels, Gorham-Revere Rubber Co., The B. F. Goodrich Co., Garratt-Callahan Co., Globe Grain and Milling Co., Golden Gate Compressed Yeast Co., Joseph Guttradt Co., Garlock Packing Co., W. T. Garratt Co., Gale Bros., M. Greenberg & Sons, A. Ginocchio & Son, Guarantee Battery Co.

H. Harms & Co., Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson, Jos. Herrscher Co., Inc., Haas Bros., Hoffmann, Rothchild Co., Hirsch & Kaiser, Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., Holabird-Reynolds Co., Wm. Hatteroth Surgical House.

India Alkali Works.

Joost Bros. (a corporation), Johns, H. W. Manville Co.

J. H. Kruse, Keuffel & Esser Co. of New York, San Francisco Branch.

Luge & Haskins, Levenson Company, The A. Leitz Co., Wm. J. Lewis, Lazar-Aicher Paper Co., Langley & Michaels, Levy Electric Co., Loop Lumber Co.

Murphy Grant & Co., Magnesia-Asbestos Supply Co., Monarch Oil Refining Co., James Muergan, Martin, Dangers & Camm, Miller & Lux,

C. W. Marwedel, Moore-Watson Dry Goods Co., H. K. Mulford Co., F. Martin.

Neustadter Bros., Louis Newroth, L. Nunziato & Sons, J. H. Newbauer & Co., Nathan-Dohrmann Co.

O'Brien, Spotorno & Mitchell, J. O'Keefe & Co.

Producers' Hay Co., A. Paladini & Co., Philadelphia Shoe Co., Pacific Tank & Pipe Co., Pacific States Electric Co., Pennant Polish & Compound Co., Pacific Cereal Association, The Parafine Paint Co., Frederick Post Co., Pacific Portland Cement Co., Consolidated, Plant Rubber & Supply Co., J. P. M. Phillips.

Maurice Rosenthal, Rudgear-Merle Co., Robinson Chemical Works, A. J. Ranken Co., John A. Roebling's Sons Co.

Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., Somers & Co., Squires & Byrne Co., Sussman, Wormser & Co., Scott, Magner & Miller, J. W. Schouten Lumber Co., H. Sellinger, E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., J. C. Sala, Seamless Rubber Co., Sperry Flour Co., Snow & Rothbach, L. Scatena & Co., Standard Oil Co., Levi Strauss & Co., Seabury & Johnson, San Francisco Brass Foundry, Standard Soap Co., H. H. Shutts, San Francisco Lumber Co., Sanitary Towel Supply Co., Standard Underground Cable Co., Standard Portland Cement Corporation.

Electric Telephone Equipment Co., Triest & Co.

Union Oil Co. of California.

D. N. & E. Walter & Co., Whittier, Coburn & Co., Waldron & Dietrich, Weeks, Howe, Emerson Co., Wm. Wolff Co., Weisheimer & Coolidge, Western Meat Co., Waterhouse & Lester Co., Western Fuel Co., Western Development Syndicate, J. C. West, Western Lime & Cement Co., Western Electric Co.

Yates & Co., Inc.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Absent—Supervisors Hocks, McCarthy—2.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Award of Garbage Disposal Bonds, Bank of Italy.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: J. R. No. 280.

Resolved, That the sale of \$8000 Garbage Disposal Bonds maturing July 1, 1912, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Bank of Italy at par and accrued interest to date of delivery, the same to be delivered and paid for prior to July 1, 1912, said bid being the highest and best bid received for the purchase of said bonds submitted according to notice and the conditions specified therein.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Excused from voting—Supervisor Giannini—1.

Absent—Supervisors Hocks, McCarthy, Murdock—3.

Publication of Epitome of Police Ordinances.

The following resolution was presented by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service be empowered to have prepared for publication in a handy ready reference manual, an epitome of ordinances of this city and county for the special use of the members of the San Francisco Police Department.

Ordered referred to the Efficiency and Civil Service Committee.

City Attorney to Commence Proceedings to Compel Water Service—Spring Valley Water Company Granted Necessary Permits.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher presented:

Petition of property owners for passage of a resolution authorizing and directing the City Attorney to commence proceedings to compel the Spring Valley Water Company to extend its mains and furnish water for fire protection and other purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Seventeenth avenue, between Geary and Fulton streets, and other parts of the streets and avenues have no water mains and have no water for fire protection or other purposes, and requests and demands on the Spring Valley Water Company for extensions of its mains in said streets and avenues have brought no relief; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to commence proceedings forthwith in the Supreme Court of

the State of California and in any other court or courts which will bring quickest relief, proceedings for a peremptory writ of mandate to compel said Spring Valley Water Company, a corporation, to extend its water mains in Seventeenth avenue from Geary street to Fulton street, and in all other parts of said city and county where said extensions are required, and to prosecute said proceedings to final judgment as rapidly as possible; and be it

Further Resolved, That said Spring Valley Water Company, a corporation, be and it is hereby granted all necessary permits, rights and franchises necessary to make any and all extensions of its said mains in said Seventeenth avenue, and in all other streets and avenues in said City and County of San Francisco requiring extensions of its water mains.

Privilege of the Floor.

Daniel O'Connell, attorney representing petitioners, was granted the privilege of the floor, and addressed the Board, calling attention to the necessity of immediate action in the matter.

Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved the adoption of the above resolution under suspension of the rules.

Amendment.

Supervisor Vogelsang moved as an amendment that resolution be referred to the *Public Utilities Committee*.

Amendment carried.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

City Engineer to Report on Cost of Making County Line Water Company Available as a Source of Water Supply for Adjacent Districts.

On motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 281.

Resolved, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby requested to furnish this office at the earliest possible date with an estimate of what it will cost to place the plant of the County Line Water Company in such a condition as will enable it to furnish water to the residents in the district bounded

by Burrows, Silliman, Harvard and Le Grand streets; also, to report upon the general availability of the plant of the County Line Water Company for the purpose of supplying water to said district.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.
Award of Contract—Journals and Calendars.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 282.

Resolved, That the contract for printing and furnishing the Journal of Proceedings and Calendars of the Board of Supervisors, Daily Trial and Law and Motion Calendars and Decisions of the Supreme and Appellate Courts during the fiscal year 1912-13, to the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with specifications and notice inviting proposals therefor, which proposals were received and considered by this Board on the 17th day of June, 1912, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Recorder Printing and Publishing Company, at its bid price of \$341.66 per month; provided the sureties on the bond of said Recorder Printing and Publishing Company, which is hereby fixed in the sum of one thousand (1000) dollars are satisfactory to his Honor the Mayor, who is hereby authorized to enter into such contract at said price.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Approval of Appointment of Paul Bancroft on Jury on Competitive Plans for City Hall.

Supervisor McLeran moved that the Public Buildings Committee's selection of Paul Bancroft as representative of said Committee on jury on competitive plans for City Hall be approved by Board.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 7:15 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors July 1, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Monday, July 1, 1912

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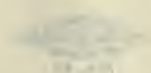


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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JULY 1, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 1, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer.

Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of June 24, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication from City Attorney Requesting an Appropriation to Meet Expense of Water Rates Litigation Instituted by Spring Valley Water Co.

June 28, 1912.

Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: The Spring Valley Water Company has just commenced a suit against the City and County of San Francisco and your Board to restrain the enforcement of the water rate fixed by your Board for the fiscal year commencing July 1st, 1912.

It will be necessary, in opposition to the application of the Spring Valley Water Company for a temporary restraining order, the hearing of which is set for July 8th, for this office to prepare counter-affidavits and make a showing, which will involve an expense of several thousand dollars and require several weeks' time, probably necessitating a continuance beyond July 8th.

There is another way of meeting the situation and that is to make a simple objection to the granting of the temporary restraining order and then if the Circuit Court grants the plaintiff's prayer, to immediately appeal to the Circuit Court of Appeals, testing the right of the Federal courts to entertain jurisdiction of this action. This

was the procedure followed in the suit of the United Railroads v. City and County of San Francisco, which was decided favorably to the city's contention in the Circuit Court of Appeals and in which the United States Supreme Court has just handed down an order denying a writ of certiorari to the United Railroads.

I should like very much to have an expression of opinion from your Honorable body as to what course the Board of Supervisors would like to have followed in this matter.

Trusting to hear from you at an early date, I am,

Yours very truly,

PERCY V. LONG,

City Attorney.

Ordered referred to Judiciary Committee.

Communication from the Pacific Gas and Electric Company in re Rates for 1912-1913.

The following communication was presented, read by the Clerk and ordered spread at length in the Journal: July 1, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph Jr., Mayor City and County of San Francisco, San Francisco, Cal.—Sir: The ordinances finally adopted by the Board of Supervisors and approved by you, fixing rates to be charged for both gas and electricity during the fiscal year commencing July 1st, 1912, will not yield to the Pacific Gas and Electric Company a just or adequate return on the property of that company devoted to the service of the City, and County of San Francisco, and to the inhabitants thereof, in the manufacture and distribution of both gas and electricity.

In 1911 the Pacific Gas and Electric Company compromised with the city the then pending litigation on the rates for gas adopted in the years 1908, 1909 and 1910, by which compromise the rate was in effect fixed for 1908-09, 1909-10 and 1910-11, at 92½ cents per thousand, and an ordinance was passed fixing the rates for 1911-12 at 85 cents per thousand for the last six months of 1911, and 80 cents per thousand for the first six months of 1912.

This compromise and the rates for gas for the fiscal year of 1911-12 were made in conjunction with the rates for electric energy for lighting, and the

rates of 85 cents and 80 cents for gas respectively were accented by the Company only as tentative rates, without at that time a knowledge by the Company that the rates so agreed to in connection with its sales of electric energy would prove profitable.

The Company is morally certain that the rate of 75 cents per thousand as fixed for the fiscal year 1912-13 and the reduction made in rates for electric energy for the same period will not yield an adequate or fair return.

The Company feels indisposed, however, to enter at this time upon a lengthy and expensive litigation with the city, chiefly because it desires to avoid the strain which such litigation will put upon its relations with the city and the rate payers who will be involved.

While the Company has determined not to contest the rates for either gas or electricity as enacted, it submits to them under protest, and unless by reason of contingencies or extraordinary occurrences which it cannot now foresee the rates as fixed should prove to be remunerative, it will expect to obtain, after the rates as enacted have received a reasonable trial, rates for both gas and electricity which will afford a just and adequate return upon the property devoted to the City and County of San Francisco, and to the inhabitants thereof, in the manufacture and distribution of both gas and electricity.

By order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN A. BRITTON,

Vice President and General Manager.

Summons in re Spring Valley Water Company on Water Rates, 1912-1913.

His Honor the Mayor presented:

Summons: To City and County of San Francisco and the Board of Supervisors, in re injunction proceedings of Spring Valley Water Co. on water rates for 1912-1913.

Read and ordered referred to City Attorney.

Report of Bion J. Arnold on Sansome and Sixth Street Lines.

San Francisco, Cal., June 19, 1912.

Subject: Operation of Sixth and Sansome Lines.
Board of Supervisors, City of San Francisco:

Gentlemen—In reply to your letter of the 13th inst., by Mr. Dunnigan, I beg to report concerning the present operating conditions of this line.

There is no doubt that the service on this line is now somewhat disorganized by reason of the condition of the street along Sansome and Bush streets. On Sansome street, between Broadway and The Embarcadero, the in-bound or

west track is at present rendered inoperative by the street work; and on Bush street, between Kearny and Sansome, the street is extremely cramped by the open ditchwork.

Up to the present time it has been impossible for all cars to operate the full length of the line on a single track, necessitating some cars doubling back at Broadway, supplemented by a "shuttle" car operated on the east track from Broadway to The Embarcadero.

There is a cross-over in Sansome street, north of Jackson street, and in addition to the street work there are building operations under way for which purposes half of the street appears to be used as far south as this cross-over. If this cross-over is kept clear, most of the regular cars (with the possible exception of the extra "trippers") can operate regularly on Sansome street to The Embarcadero over the east track without necessitating "shuttle" service.

The passenger travel is, to a considerable extent, transfer load, and consequently variable. Counts taken on this line at Jackson and Sansome streets during the evening rush hour on June 10th, 1912, showed somewhat less than scheduled number of seats passing.

On June 18th, a delay of about 45 minutes occurred on Bush street, owing to a team being forced into the open ditch, which necessarily resulted in bunching of cars and heavy loads.

Outside of the general question of adequacy of service on this line, as upon many other lines in the city upon which I shall report later in detail, I believe the street obstructions are largely responsible for the difficulties at present experienced in maintaining regularly such service as is specified by the schedules.

Yours respectfully,

BION J. ARNOLD,

Consulting Engineer.

Enclosure accompanying letter of June 26, 1912, from Bion J. Arnold to Board of Supervisors:

The official schedule of the Sixth and Sansome line, as reported by the company is 6½ minutes from 5 a. m. to 7 p. m., and 24 minutes after 7 p. m.

Rush Hour Count—June 10th, 5 to 6 p. m., Sansome and Jackson streets:

	From	To
	business district,	business district,
	outbound.	inbound.
Cars operated on line.	6	6
Average headway . . .	7' 30"	8' 34"
Maximum headway . . .	20' 40"	17' 0"
Minimum headway . . .	4' 0"	1' 0"
Total passengers carried	29	145

Average—Three days, June 15th, 17th and 18th, 5 a. m. to 12:30 a. m.:
 Cars operated during the day.. 7
 Average headway, 5 a. m. to 7 p. m. 8 min.
 Rush-hour headway 8 "
 Night headway 24 "

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Electricity Committee—Ralph McLeran, Chairman.

Fire Committee—Dr. A. H. Gianinni, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—Dr. Guido E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee—Byron Mauzy, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee—Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee—Henry Payot, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Report of Public Utilities Committee.

San Francisco, Cal., July 1, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco: At a meeting of your committee, held on Wednesday, June 26th, 1912, Mr. J. T. Flynn made a brief statement regarding the acquisition of the water front of San Francisco by the city. After some discussion, it was determined to postpone further consideration of this matter until August 14th. Your committee is of opinion that this is a subject of paramount importance to the municipality of San Francisco, and hopes that general public discussion may be had between this date and August 14th next.

The matter of extensions of mains and general improvement of the water supply in districts insufficiently served was carefully considered. A representative of the City Engineer's Department was in attendance and outlined the work necessary to be done, to the end that the Board may be fully advised as to the localities to be served, as to what increases and extensions of mains are necessary, and an estimate of the probable cost thereof. We are advised that this data will be forthcoming before the end of the vacation period, and that it will be in our hands for consideration at that time. It was estimated that the sum of \$2,000 would be necessary to carry on this

work, and a resolution was unanimously adopted by the committee requesting the Finance Committee to set aside, out of any funds at its disposal, the sum of \$2,000 for this purpose. We are advised that the Finance Committee has considered and granted this request, and that a resolution to that effect is on the calendar for action this day. It is sincerely hoped that the resolution will be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER VOGELSANG,

BYRON MAUZY,

PAUL BANCROFT,

GEO. E. GALLAGHER,

D. C. MURPHY,

Public Utilities Committee.

LOCATION OF CITY HALL AT CIVIC CENTER.

Motion.

Supervisor Bancroft moved that the rules be suspended and the matter of the location of City Hall at the Civic Center and the selection of one of the alternative schemes therefor be taken up.

Motion carried:

Report on Site of City Hall.

Whereupon, the following report was presented and ordered spread in Journal.

San Francisco, July 1, 1912.

To His Honor, the Mayor of San Francisco, and the Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Calif.

Gentlemen: We have the honor to submit herewith our report on the Civic Center, its design, and the lands to be acquired therefor.

In taking up this great problem we have approached it from two points of view, in two successive stages of study: and we present, with this report, two schemes corresponding with those two stages.

Both schemes were worked out on the basic assumption that the Civic Center was to be located on and immediately around the old site of the City Hall. The solution presented by scheme A was based on the further assumption that the City Hall itself was to be erected on the property already belonging to the City, the advantages of which procedure were obvious, or readily demonstrable.

Starting on this basis two principal requirements presented themselves at the outset; 1st, the necessity of opening up adequate street circulation immediately around and in part through the old site, in the region east of Larkin street; and, 2nd, the need of an ample open space to the west of the old City Hall site, around which to group all the various buildings. The first of these requirements has been met by the prolongation of Grove and Hyde streets

through to Marshall Square, by the extension of Leavenworth street to Market and by the opening up of a new street as a monumental east approach to the City Hall from Market street, on the axis of Fulton street, prolonged easterly through the middle of the long block between Marshall Square and McAllister street. The advantages of these modifications of the City plan are very great and would be more than justified even were there no question of a Civic Center. The second need is fulfilled by taking the two blocks bounded by Larkin, Grove, Polk and McAllister streets for a public parked square. The block to the south of this square is undoubtedly the best in the City for the auditorium; the two blocks to the west are admirably adapted for the library and the opera house; the block to the north is suitable for a state building, or for a fine arts building; the four sites diagonally opposite the corners of the square afford opportunities for smaller buildings, like the Emergency Hospital and Board of Health, a School, etc. The plan of the City Hall naturally resolved itself into a rectangular form, on the axis of Fulton street, with the corners cut off in such a way as to give an imposing feature on the axis of Marshall Square and Eighth street, which, prolonged, would intersect the axis of Fulton street in the center of the building, the point of intersection determining the position of the principal monumental feature of the building, the dome. In order to secure such simplicity and symmetry of form for the plan of the City Hall, it is necessary to extend one corner of the structure some distance across City Hall avenue, not however interrupting the street circulation by so doing, as this is amply taken care of by the extensions of Grove and Hyde streets, both of which are considerably widened at this point.

Having determined as above upon the total territory required for or affected by the projected Civic Center in its entirety, the question inevitably arises as to whether the best solution has been found for the arrangement of that territory, now wholly covered by the City's condemnation proceedings, and all soon to become City property. In making studies for the purpose of answering this question we were led by natural steps into the solution presented by scheme B, similar to scheme A, except that the purpose of the blocks east and west of the public square are interchanged, the City Hall being placed to the west, and the library and opera house to the east, instead of vice versa. This is in our opinion a far finer plan, from the point

of view of architectural effect, especially in respect to a longer and freer approach from Market street, and it has, as well, several distinct practical advantages. Among these are, 1st, greater quiet for the City Hall, because farther from Market street; 2nd, the public square is better protected from the west winds and will therefore better serve the purpose of large gatherings, promenades, concerts, etc.; 3rd, the foundation to the west of the square is undoubtedly better than on the old site. We have had extensive borings made, to ascertain the character of the subsoil at the old site and the results are very unfavorable. There is every indication of the existence of an old slough running across the site, and the conditions are worst where they should be best—that is, through the center where the dome should be built, approximately on the site of the old dome. Unquestionably the conditions of the subsoil had much to do with the bad account the old dome gave of itself in the earthquake of 1906. These conditions can of course be faced and the difficulties overcome, but only at great expense; 4th, we are informed by the City Attorney that the City will be able to complete its purchase under condemnation proceedings and take possession of the site west of the square by the end of this year—that is, as soon as contracts can be let for the building, while it may take two years or more to bring street opening proceedings to a conclusion in the region east of Larkin street. As it is essential to make rapid progress, this condition assumes grave importance. It might be argued that the City Hall structure could be brought wholly within the limits of the old site, but this can be done only by lopping off a considerable portion of the south corner of the plan. This would result in an awkward and unsymmetrical building, and should not be considered for one moment. Another argument which might be conceivably advanced against the more westerly site—namely, that it is farther removed and therefore less convenient from the present center of business activity is not, in our opinion, of great weight. The difference of distance is only two blocks, and a slight change in the street car system would discount this; even as it is, two lines pass the site; 5th, there is one more site for a small building in scheme B: 6th, if the City Hall is placed west of the square, the Treasurer, Auditor and Registrar may remain where they are during the construction of the City Hall, instead of renting quarters.

Summing up the above considerations in a few words, the only point

which might be made in favor of scheme A is that the City Hall would be nearer the downtown center of activity; on the other hand, the foundations are poor and marshy, and the public square is exposed to the wind.

Scheme B has the following advantages, namely: Greater quiet for the City Hall; better protection from wind for the public square; better relation of the square to the City Hall—that is, in front instead of behind; firmer foundations and less expensive construction; quicker results in acquiring land and in building; one additional site for a small building; saving in rentals for Treasurer's quarters, etc.; and above all, immeasurably finer architectural effect, and setting.

The competition for the City Hall, just completed, is based on scheme A, but the design will be equally applicable to scheme B, so that no embarrassment will be caused by the change if adopted.

Once the City owns all the lands necessary for the Civic Center—and this is now assured within the near future—the problem should be envisaged in the largest way for the solution which will most redound to the City's credit in perpetuity. In our opinion, scheme B is that solution, and we therefore strongly recommend its adoption.

We attach hereto photographs of scheme A and scheme B, a diagram showing revised street car system, and a diagram showing the results of borings at the old site.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN GALEN HOWARD,
FREDERICK H. MEYER,
JOHN REID JR.,

Consulting Architects.

Approving Scheme B.

- 1—San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.
- 2—Bar Association of San Francisco.
- 3—Builders' Exchange.
- 4—San Francisco Real Estate Board.
- 5—Master Plumbers' Association.
- 6—Deutsche Haus-Gesellschaft.
- 7—German-American Association.
- 8—Noe Valley Promotion Association.
- 9—San Francisco Chapter of Architects.
- 10—South Mission Improvement Association.
- 11—West End Improvement Club.
- 12—Sunset Improvement Club, D. S. O'Brien, President; P. L. Brown, Secretary.
- 13—John A. Britton of Pacific Gas & Elec. Co.
- 14—Henry Peters, President California Brewing Co.
- 15—C. J. Sproule, office of Board of Fire Commissioners.

- 16—Augustin C. Keane, attorney.
- 17—M. V. B. MacAdam & Thaler Co., real estate and insurance brokers.
- 18—H. H. Gorter, fire protective engineer.
- 19—Thos. R. Murphy, Chief Fire Commissioners.
- 20—F. L. Lipman of Wells-Fargo Bank.
- 21—F. B. Anderson, President, Bank of California.
- 22—M. Fleishhacker of Anglo-California Trust Co.
- 23—Bakewell & Brown, architects.
- 24—Bliss & Faville, architects.
- 25—Herman Barth, architect.
- 26—Cunningham & Politeo, architects.
- 27—J. Walter Dolliver, architect.
- 28—John A. Ettler, architect.
- 29—L. B. Dutton Co., architects.
- 30—Edward T. Foulkes, architect.
- 31—Edward G. Garden, architect.
- 32—Oscar Haupt, architect.
- 33—Wm. C. Hays, architect.
- 34—Havens & Toepke, architects.
- 35—Edm. Kollofrath, architect.
- 36—Charles S. Kaiser, architect.
- 37—G. Albert Lansburgh, architect.
- 38—Willis C. Lowel, architect.
- 39—Maybeck, Howard & White, architects.
- 40—Benj. G. McDougall, architect.
- 41—E. A. Neumarkel, architect.
- 42—Arthur D. Nicholson, architect.
- 43—Thomas O'Brien, architect.
- 44—Albert Pissis, architect.
- 45—Reid Bros., architects.
- 46—Fred Burrage Wood, architect.
- 47—E. J. Vogel, architect.

Approving Scheme A.

- 1—Peralta Heights Improvement Club.
 - 2—N. Ohlandt, President, German Savings and Loan Society.
 - 3—J. A. Porporato.
 - 4—A. Sbarboro of Italian-American Bank.
 - 5—R. J. Tyson, President, Seaboard Bank.
 - 6—Sylvain Schnaittacher, architect.
 - 7—W. Garden Mitchell, architect.
 - 8—Charles Paff, architect.
- Judge Geo. A. Sturtevant leaves decision to architects.

Repealing J. R. No. 6, Endorsing Old Site and Adopting Van Ness Avenue Location.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor McLeran:

Resolution No. 9526 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The competition of architects for plans and designs for a building for the purpose of a City Hall for the City and County of San Francisco, as announced by the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San

Francisco on the 29th day of March, 1912, has terminated, under the terms of such announcement, and the judgment and award of the jury provided for in such announcement has been made, and

Whereas, The Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco is now ready to proceed with the plans and arrangements for the creation of said City Hall building; and

Whereas, The consulting architects of the said Board of Public Works have urged and recommended the immediate selection of a site whereon to erect the principal permanent building to be used by said City and County of San Francisco as a City Hall; and

Whereas, The said consulting architects have submitted to the said Board of Public Works and to the Board of Supervisors of said City and County of San Francisco two distinct plans or schemes for the location of, and as a site for said City Hall building; and have further recommended and urged the adoption of the plan or scheme designated by them as "Scheme B", which provides for the location and erection of the said City Hall building on that certain parcel or tract of land bounded on the north by McAllister street, on the east by Polk street, on the south by Grove street and on the west by Van Ness avenue, on the grounds of economy, utility, convenience, expediency and improved architectural effect; and

Whereas, It appears that the parcel or tract of land recommended by said consulting architects is the best location for the erection of a City Hall building, and that said City Hall building can be constructed thereon at less expense and with greater expediency than on the old or former site of the City Hall and said location will afford greater convenience to the public and will present better architectural advantages than said old or former site of the City Hall; now therefore be it

Resolved, That Journal Resolution No. 6, whereby the Board of Supervisors declared itself in favor of the construction of the new City Hall upon the so-called "old site", be and the same is hereby repealed in so far as the same makes a selection of a location or site whereon to erect the new City Hall Building; and be it further

Resolved, That that certain parcel or tract of land lying within the City and County of San Francisco and bounded by McAllister street on the north, Polk street on the east, Grove street on the south and Van Ness avenue on the west, which said parcel or tract or land includes all of Western Addition Blocks numbered 66 and 67, and those portions of Fulton street, Ash

street and Birch street lying between Polk street and Van Ness avenue, be and the same are hereby declared necessary for the purposes of a location and site for a permanent public building to be used by the City and County of San Francisco as a City Hall and the same is hereby declared to be the place or site whereon said City Hall shall be located and erected.

All resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby rescinded.

Privilege of the Floor.

M. J. Platscheck was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board in support of Scheme A, which provides for the locating of the City Hall on the old site. He declared that the people had voted for the old site and the Board itself by resolution had already indorsed it and that there was no moral or legal right to act upon the matter now at all. He read circulars sent out in campaign for City Hall-Civic Center bonds and the notice therefor sent out by the Registrar of Voters in support of his contention that it was understood that the City Hall was to be rebuilt on the old site. He declared further that the City Hall is a business building and should be placed as close as possible to the business section. With regard to the endorsement of Scheme B by the Bar Association he asserted that at the meeting at which the matter was considered only 20 members were in attendance and not all of them voted.

J. H. Meredith was also granted the privilege of the floor and spoke on the question from the point of view of convenience to those who constantly have business with the city. From Montgomery and from Kearny street, on Market street—the heart of the business section five different car lines run direct to the old site, whereas only one car line—the McAllister—approaches anywhere near the new location laid out in scheme B, and runs on a five-minute headway.

With regard to the appearance of the City Hall, he was of the opinion that it could be exhibited to much greater advantage if it was placed on the old site opposite Eighth street, reminding one of the Capitol at Washington. He believed that if the building was placed on the Van Ness avenue site its dome would not be visible to pedestrians on Market street owing to buildings obstructing the view, and that in order to bring out fully all the beauties of its plan that it should be placed opposite Marshall Square. He closed by saying that if all other considerations were put aside the one of greatest convenience to the

business section should receive very earnest consideration.

John Galen Howard, member of Advisory Board of Architects, also addressed the Board, explaining the advantages of Scheme "B." He declared that he believed the people voted for a Civic Center at the old site of the City Hall, but that it was not intended to confine the City Hall proper to the identical spot on which the old building stood. He declared that great advantage would result if the City Hall was placed to the west of the open park, affording as it would shelter from the afternoon winds to those who were promenading or listening to the music in the park. He quoted Bakewell & Brown, the successful architects in the competition for plans, the Bar Association, the Chamber of Commerce, Builders' Exchange, San Francisco Real Estate Board and numerous other organizations as being unanimously in favor of scheme "B," placing the City Hall on the Van Ness avenue site.

J. J. Phillips, representing the Builders' Exchange, also favored the Van Ness avenue site, and stated that his organization had endorsed Scheme "B." He declared that in the past the City Hall had been on a back street, now that we have the opportunity let us place it on a main street.

Chas. O'Callaghan, representing the Central Mission and Hayes Valley Improvement Club, stated that his organization was unanimously in favor of Scheme "B."

John Reid Jr., member of the Consulting Board of Architects, urged haste in arriving at a decision as to which scheme was to be accepted, for the reason that the time was very limited and there was much preparatory work to be done.

Substitute Resolution.

Whereupon, Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher introduced a substitute resolution which reaffirmed the intention of the Board of Supervisors to construct the City Hall on the old site, which was *refused passage* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Mauzy, Nolan—5.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogel-sang—13.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken on Supervisor McLeran's resolution, same was adopted as Resolution No. 9526 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogel-sang—14.

Noes—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Mauzy, Nolan—4.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Proposals for the purchase of:

Fire Protection Bonds to the amount of \$680,000, comprising 17 bonds of each year's maturity from 1916 to 1955, inclusive.

Sewer Bonds to the amount of \$400,000, comprising 10 bonds of each year's maturity from 1915 to 1954, inclusive.

School bonds to the amount of \$400,000, comprising 16 bonds of each year's maturity from 1914 to 1938, inclusive.

Hospital bonds to the amount of \$180,000, comprising 9 bonds of each year's maturity from 1913 to 1932, inclusive.

City Hall bonds to the amount of \$2,640,000, comprising 60 bonds of each year's maturity from 1917 to 1960, inclusive.

Exposition bonds to the amount of \$1,000,000, comprising 40 bonds of each year's maturity from 1915 to 1939, inclusive, were received, opened and read, being as follows:

N. W. Halsey Co., \$5,542,321, certified check, \$10,000.

E. H. Rollins Co., \$5,523,607, certified check, \$10,000.

Jas. H. Adams Co., \$5,512,000, certified check, \$10,000.

Wm. A. Reid Co., \$5,530,285, certified check, \$10,000.

Vincent McDevitt, \$5000 for five school bonds maturing 1915.

Ordered referred to Finance Committee.

(Clerk instructed to return certified checks to all but the highest bidder.)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9527 (New Series), Authorizing the following expenditures to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.

The Destructor Company, last payment, incinerators, Islais Creek and North Beach

(claim dated June 18, 1912) . \$2,782.50

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue
July 1, 1910.

Cyril Williams Jr., water supply investigations (claim dated June 14, 1912) \$ 943.45

C. E. Grunsky, water supply

investigations (claim dated June 20, 1912).....	5,000.00
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co., sixth payment, cast iron pipe, contract 55 (claim dated June 13, 1912)	\$1,888.14
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., eleventh payment, pumping station No. 1 (claim dated June 20, 1912).....	4,500.00
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Chas. E. Thomas Co., second payment, heating and ventilating, Girls' High School (claim dated June 14, 1912)	\$2,242.50
<i>San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Lange & Bergstrom, final payment, millwork, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 14, 1912)	\$2,000.00
Columbia Marble Co., fourth payment, marble work, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 14, 1912)	2,212.50
Smith & Johnson, eighth payment, plastering, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 3, 1912)	3,000.00
<i>Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue. 1904.</i>	
Fay Improvement Co., first payment, street work, Howard street, Second to Fourth (claim dated June 15, 1912)	\$9,511.78
<i>Fillmore Street Tunnel Borings Account.</i>	
A. Paulson, borings, Fillmore street (claim dated May 28, 1912)	\$1,045.00
<i>General Fund.</i>	
John Cassaretto, paving gravel, street repairs (claim dated June 4, 1912)	\$ 710.50
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil (claim dated June 6, 1912) ..	934.91
Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., groceries, Tubercular Hospital (claim dated June 1, 1912) ..	685.24
Murphy, Grant & Co., dry goods, Relief Home (claim dated May 29, 1912).....	508.14
Bennett Bros., supplies, Department of Electricity (claim dated May 29, 1912)	646.43
Western Lime and Cement Co., sand, Board of Public Works (claim dated June 3, 1912)	603.75
The Albertinum Orphanage, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 31, 1912)	586.30
Maud B. Booth Home for Children, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 30, 1912)	528.00
Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated June 1, 1912).....	1,917.32
The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 31, 1912)	612.31
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated June 1, 1912) ..	1,289.56
Sister Mary Caine, Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated May 31, 1912)	1,060.03
The St. Vincent De Paul Society maintenance of minors (claim dated May 31, 1912)	4,167.55
The Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 30, 1912)	585.08
State of California, maintenance of minors (claim dated May 31, 1912).....	741.97
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.	
Providing \$25,000 for Repairs to School Buildings During July, August and September, 1912.	
Resolution No. 9528 (New Series), as follows:	
Resolved, That the sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of budget item No. 551, for the fiscal year 1912-1913, for the reconstruction, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings during the month of July, August and September, 1912.	
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.	
Providing \$1350 for Sanitation Purposes During July, 1912.	
Resolution No. 9529 (New Series), as follows:	
Resolved, That the sum of Thirteen hundred and fifty (\$1,350) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended by the Board of Health out of Budget item No. 332a for the fiscal year 1912-1913, for the continuance of special sanitation measures, during the month of July, 1912.	
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.	

Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Providing \$900 for Rehabilitation of Offices in David Hewes Building, formerly Occupied by Municipal Departments.

Resolution No. 9530 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of Nine Hundred (\$900) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc.," for rehabilitating offices in Hewes Building formerly occupied by Municipal departments."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Mayor to Appoint Stenographer, Telephone Operator and Chauffeur and Fixing Their Compensation.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Bill No. 2178, Ordinance No. 1949 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Mayor to appoint two stenographers, one telephone operator and one chauffeur in addition to the employees allowed by law, and fixing their compensation."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Repealing Ordinance Authorizing Sheriff Two Deputies.

Bill No. 2167, Ordinance No. 1950 (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1746, passed February 5, 1906, authorizing the Sheriff to appoint two additional deputies.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9531 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That F. Rolandi is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in lot situate at the northwest corner of Geary street and Parnassus avenue in the construction of the Geary street Railroad car barn, provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of _____ as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor, the May-

or, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; Provided, also that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said F. Rolandi, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Laundry and Garage Permits.

Resolution No. 9532 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits be and the same are hereby granted:

Laundries.

Bluxome and Wooster, in premises situate north line of Erie street, 185 feet west of Howard street.

John Manant, in premises at No. 4063 Eighteenth street.

James J. Whittle, in premises at No. 367 Guerrero street.

Garage.

O. F. Taber, in premises at east side of Valencia street, 35 feet south of Twenty-sixth street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Authorizing Payment of \$3500 to Margaret Housley as Purchase Price of Certain Land Required for Opening of Fair Avenue.

Resolution No. 9533 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of thirty-five hundred (\$3500.00) dollars to be made out of the General Fund, 1911-12, in payment to Margaret Housley as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the northwesterly line of Prospect avenue, distant thereon 331 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Coso avenue, in Gift Map No. 3, of dimensions 51 feet frontage by a uniform depth of 122 feet 6 inches, required for the extension of Fair avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Authorizing Payment of \$27,500 to R. Flaherty for Certain Land Required for Civic Center.

Resolution No. 9534 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty-seven thousand five hundred (\$27,500) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to R. Flaherty as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 110 feet easterly from the easterly line of Polk street, of dimensions 55 x 120 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4, required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Authorizing Payment of \$9000 to Carrie Rea for Certain Lands Required for Civic Center.

Resolution No. 9535 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nine thousand (\$9,000) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Carrie Rea as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the southerly line of Fulton street distant thereon 246 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue, of dimensions 30 x 97 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67, required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Fees for Building Permits.

Bill No. 2175, Ordinance No. 1951 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 12 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series)," approved December 22, 1909, known as 'The Building Law,' relating to fees for building permits."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2179, Ordinance No. 1952 (New Series), Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done on King street, between Second and

Third streets; Quane street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets; crossing of Quane and Twenty-first streets; Ninth avenue, between Geary and Clement streets; Hyde street, between Greenwich and Filbert streets; east side of Hyde street, between Greenwich and Lombard streets; Filbert street, between Hyde and Larkin streets, and Texas street, between Mariposa and Eighteenth streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Accepting Deed From Southern Pacific Company for Sewer Right of Way at Tara Street and Ocean Avenue.

Bill No. 2180, Ordinance No. 1953 (New Series), Approving and accepting deed of easement from the Southern Pacific Company (a corporation) to the City and County of San Francisco, of a sewer right of way under the tracks of the railroad company at Tara street and Ocean avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Establishing Grades, Lyall Street.

Bill No. 2181, Ordinance No. 1954 (New Series), Establishing grades on Lyall street, between Bosworth and Springdale streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Establishing Grades, Havelock Street.

Bill No. 2182, Ordinance No. 1955 (New Series), Establishing grades on Havelock street, between San Jose avenue and easterly line of Balboa Park, and on Circular avenue and Edna street, between Havelock street and Marston avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9536 (New Series), Granting John F. Kelly an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after June 20, 1912, within which to complete the construction of sewers, paving, etc., on Twenty-first avenue from Lake street northerly, under public contract.

This extension of time is granted

upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed June 15, 1912, on account of sickness and death in the family of the contractor.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Library Trustees to Erect and Equip Library Building on Civic Center.

The following bill, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up:

Bill No. 2173, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Board of Library Trustees to erect and equip a public library building, such building to constitute a part of a Civic Center."

Refused Adoption.

The following matter was presented by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher as a substitute for the foregoing and *refused adoption* by the following vote:

PROPOSAL TO SUBMIT AN ORDINANCE TO A REFERENDUM.

A majority of the Board of Supervisors (or six members thereof as the case may be) hereby proposes to submit to the electors of the city at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 5, 1912, to be voted on at such election the following ordinance:

An Ordinance declaring that the offer made by Andrew Carnegie.....
..... be not accepted and repealing ordinance No. —, adopted

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby declared that the acceptance of the offer of Andrew Carnegie, made June 20, 1901, to donate to the City and County of San Francisco the sum of \$750,000 for the purpose of erecting a central library building and branch library buildings would be an unwise act of public policy, and therefore such offer is hereby rejected. Ordinance No. 336, accepting said offer, approved July 23, 1901, is hereby repealed.

The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors is hereby directed to certify a true copy of this proposal to the Board of Election Commissioners, and said Board of Election Commissioners is hereby directed to place on the ballot to be used at such election the proposition to adopt or reject the ordinance herein proposed, in manner and form as required by Chapters III and IV of Article XI of the Charter.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, McLeran, Vogelsang—4.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the above bill was finally passed as Ordinance No. 1956 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Noes—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, McLeran—3.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$101,275.72 and entered in Register of Demands No. 12 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 20,921 to 21,502, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Fixing Compensation of Employees of Department of Electricity.

On motion of Supervisor McLeran: Bill No. 2183, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Fixing compensation of assistants and employees of the Department of Electricity for the fiscal year 1912-1913."

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit: *Park Fund.*

Crane Co., galvanized pipe (claim dated June 19, 1912)	\$696.90
City Street Improvement Co., repairs to tennis court, etc., Golden Gate Park (claim	

dated June 12, 1912).....	550.70	dated June 24 1912).....	1,747.00
Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished public parks (claim dated June 19, 1912)	1,959.69	The Rincon Publishing Co., printing public documents (claim dated June 27, 1912)	628.28
<i>San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>		Spring Valley Water Co., water for public buildings (claim dated June 27, 1912)	1,666.66
R. Dalziel, Jr., final payment, boilers, etc., San Francisco Hospital (claim dated June 20, 1912)	\$13,773.75	H. R. Timm, eight cows, Relief Home (claim dated June 22, 1912)	600.00
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>		Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphalt, Board of Public Works (claim dated June 12, 1912)	846.54
Frederick C. Roberts Co., second payment, steel tank, Ashbury Heights (claim dated June 26, 1912)	\$ 5,926.79	L. Abrams, hauling, erecting, storing election booths (claim dated May, 20, 1912)	1,487.30
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.</i>		H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, Relief Home (claim dated June 21, 1912)	3,460.19
J. W. Carr, second payment, foundation and excavation, Polytechnic High School (claim dated June 3, 1912)	\$ 8,250.00	Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants (claim dated June 26, 1912)	10,969.41
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>		<i>General Fund 1912-1913.</i>	
American Air Cleaning Co., in full, vacuum cleaning, Jean Parker School (claim dated June 22, 1912)	\$900.00	D. A. White, Police contingent allowance (claim dated July 1, 1912)	\$666.66
American Air Cleaning Co., in full, vacuum cleaning, Spring Valley School (claim dated June 22 1912)	849.00	John S. Dunnigan, Clerk Board of Supervisors, for the Fourth of July Celebration Committee (claim dated July 1, 1912)	2,500.00
Abrahamson & De Gear, final payment, heating and ventilating, John Sweet School (claim dated June 13, 1912)	2,991.00	Bion J. Arnold, investigation street railway systems (claim dated July 1, 1912)	3,227.94
The J. Looney Co., third payment, plumbing, Girls' High School (claim dated June 21, 1912)	1,206.00	Bion J. Arnold, investigation street railway systems (claim dated July 1, 1912)	3,078.18
Standard Electrical Construction Co., first payment, telephone and clock wiring, Girls' High School (claim dated June 19, 1912)	1,650.00		
Bradley & O'Reilly, in full, plastering, Lowell High School (claim dated June 24, 1912)	2,850.00		
C. F. Weber & Co., furniture, John Sweet School (claim dated May 31, 1912)	3,283.69		
<i>General Fund 1911-1912.</i>			
Walter Hough & Co., final payment, general construction, Bay View Police Station (claim dated May 28, 1912)	\$3,898.50		
Walter Cook, fee and expenses of umpire architect (claim dated June 21, 1912)	1,500.00		
Bernhard Mattress Co., bunks, etc. (claim dated June 26, 1912)	656.25		
Bennett Bros., in full, City and County Jail (claim			

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

Budget Item No. 549, Fiscal Year 1912-13, "For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets. Etc."

For resurvey of Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, and computations, compilations and mapping of the Market Street Homestead, during the months of July, August and September....\$12,000.00

For repairs to Fire Department buildings during the months of July and August 3,000.00

For repairs to Police Department buildings during the months of July and August 1,000.00

For repairs to other public buildings during the

months of July and August	2,000.00
For paying the City's portion of the cost of constructing a sewer in Havelock street, between Arago street and Oloran avenue, under private contract, by Frank L. Sheerin	499.00
For paying the City's portion of the cost of construction of sewer in Havelock street, between San Jose avenue and Arago street, under private contract, by Frank L. Sheerin	499.00
For paying the City's portion of the cost of constructing a sewer in the intersection of Havelock and Arago streets, under private contract, by Frank L. Sheerin	85.00
For the construction of a basalt strip in Chattanooga street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets; to be expended by the Board of Public Works	500.00
For paying the City's portion of paving the intersection of Union and Lyon streets, under private contract, by Flinn & Treacy	495.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.</i>	
For preparation of plans and specifications for sewers in Harbor View District, Drumm, Brannan and Somerset streets, under direction of Board of Public Works	\$600.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
For preparation of plans and specifications for sewers in Section "K," North Point Main, Dupont street outfall, Stanley street outlet and Visitation Valley, under direction of Board of Public Works	\$1,000.00
Additional to funds heretofore appropriated for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section D-3 of the North Point Main	900.00
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
For the purchase and delivery of pig lead to be used in the construction of Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection	\$19,000.00
For the preparation of plans and specifications during the month of July for Jones street tank, telephone system and other portions	

of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection	4,000.00
<i>Geary Street Railway Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910.</i>	
For inspection of work under way and preparation of plans and specifications for contemplated work, Geary Street Railway, to be expended by the Bureau of Engineering, Board of Public Works, during the months of July and August	3,750.00
<i>Budget Item No. 552, for Construction and Equipment of Police Department Buildings, Etc., Fiscal Year 1912-13.</i>	
For the completion of Photograph Gallery, Hall of Justice	\$2,000.00
<i>Budget Item, Fiscal Year 1911-12, for Construction and Equipment of Fire Department Buildings, Etc.</i>	
For construction, inspection, etc., Engine House No. 46, Twelfth avenue, south of Geary street, additional to \$16,000.00 heretofore appropriated	\$21,000.00
<i>Budget Item No. 26, Fiscal Year 1912-13, Bureau of Efficiency and Supplies Committee, Etc.</i>	
For salaries of director and other clerical experts, to be expended under direction of Civil Service Commission Efficiency Committee	\$5,000.00
<i>Budget Item No. 34, Urgent Necessities, Fiscal Year 1912-13.</i>	
To be expended by the City Engineer in the preparation of data for the Board of Supervisors relating to needed extensions of water mains in districts which have no water mains or are inadequately supplied with water	\$2,000.00
<i>Authorizing Appointment of Certain Employees of Police Department.</i>	
Bill No. 2184, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing appointment by the Board of Police Commissioners of certain employees, fixing their compensation and repealing all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith."	
Adopted.	

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Clerk to Advertise Sale of Sewer Bonds, Issue 1904.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:
J. R. No. 283.

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be directed to give notice as required by the Charter that sealed bids

will be received by this Board up to the hour of 3 o'clock p. m., on Monday, July 15, 1912, for the purchase of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, to the amount of \$543,600, comprising all of the ninth, tenth and eleventh series of said bonds. The bonds to be sold will not draw interest.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

City Attorney to Commence Proceedings to Collect Unpaid Franchise Taxes from United Railroads.

Also, J. R. No. 284.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be directed to forthwith commence necessary proceedings against the United Railroads Company of San Francisco to collect unpaid franchise taxes which were due December 31, 1911.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Oil, Boiler and Garage Permits.

The following was presented and read by the Clerk:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits be and the same are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

E. Hitte, in premises south side of Washington street, 82 feet east of Mason street.

August F. Peterson, in premises south side of Market street, 236 feet 9½ inches west of Noe street.

W. S. Miller, at No. 743 Haight street.

Old Piedmont Bakery, at Nos. 1337-39 Grant avenue.

Joe Crassia, at No. 1624 Powell street.

Boilers.

Barneson-Hibbard Warehouse Co., 20 horsepower capacity, at premises east side of Michigan street, between El Dorado and Alameda streets.

Antone Beban, 2 horsepower capacity, at premises No. 651 Columbus avenue.

Garage.

George E. Marshall, in premises north side of Geary street, 68 feet 9 inches west of Taylor street.

Amendment.

Supervisor Giannini moved to amend by recommitting last item (George E. Marshall) to Fire Committee.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the foregoing resolution as amended was *passed for printing*.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Blasting Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Spring Construction Co. be and is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in premises situated in the Sutro Tract, north and south of the Dewey boulevard, for the purpose of clearing off said property, provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said above named company then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That J. E. Johnson be and is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in premises situate at the south-westerly corner of Beach and Buchanan streets, for the purpose of breaking up old flywheel castings, providing that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the hereinabove named party then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Denying Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

J. R. No. 285.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of

the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following petitioners:

A. B. Cozet, to erect and maintain a boiler at north line of Howard street, 275 feet east of Ninth street.

Pearl & Elkington, to erect and maintain a boiler at No. 250 Golden Gate avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed For Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to Mrs. Anna Baumsteiger to maintain a stable for one horse at 1051 "T" street, corner of Twenty-seventh avenue.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 286.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied to Arthur Legrand to maintain a stable for one horse in the rear of 2340 Geary street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 287.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby requested to install one arc light at each of the following locations:

Fourteenth avenue entrance to Presidio Reservation, also at Fifteenth avenue entrance to Presidio Reservation.

At corner of Second and Berry streets; in Second street, between Berry and King streets; in Second street, between King and Townsend streets; in Townsend street, between Second and Gale streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.

Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Green Street Lamps to Designate Hospital Streets.

Also J. R. No. 288.

Resolved, That green be and is hereby designated the color to be displayed on street gas lamps and electric lights to indicate the presence of public or private hospitals, within one block of which it is declared unlawful by Ordinance No. 1610 (New Series) to blow automobile horns or whistles or make loud, unusual or unnecessary noises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Pacific Gas and Electric Company Granted Permission to Remove and Install Arc Lights in Panhandle, Golden Gate Park.

Also, J. R. No. 289.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted the Pacific Gas and Electric Company to remove ten arc lights from the Park Panhandle and install in their place twenty-one new lights, said removal and installation to be under the direction and supervision of the Park Commissioners, and to be without cost or expense to the city. This permission is granted on the further condition that the cost of the new lighting shall not exceed the cost of lighting the arc lights removed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was *passed for printing*:

Ordering Construction of Fire House on School Lot on Twelfth Avenue, South of Geary Street.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

Bill No. 2185, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of a fire engine house on the school lot situate at Twelfth avenue, 225 feet south of Geary street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said fire engine house, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed thirty-seven thousand dollars (\$37,000) out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire De-

partment buildings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes." in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of Suzanne Alferitz to Sell Certain Land Required for Cooper School.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9537 (New Series).

Whereas, an offer has been received from Suzanne Alferitz to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 236, the said land being required as a site for the Cooper School (communication from the Board of Education, filed March 11th and 28th, 1912); and

Whereas, the price at which said land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Suzanne Alferitz to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, for the sum of \$23,500, be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Lombard street with the westerly line of Jones street, running thence westerly along said southerly line of Lombard street 137 ft. 6 in.; thence at a right angle southerly 137 ft. 6 in.; thence at a right angle easterly 137 ft. 6 in. to the westerly line of Jones street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Jones street 137 ft. 6 in. to the said southerly line of Lombard street and point of commencement. Being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 236.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,

Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

No—Supervisor McLeran—1.

(Supervisor McLeran explained his vote by saying that it would cost \$10,000 more to build on above described lot than on one on opposite corner of street.)

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$23,500 to Suzanne Alferitz for Certain Land Required for Cooper School.

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty-three thousand five hundred (\$23,500) dollars be and is hereby authorized to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Buildings Fund, Bond Issue of 1908, in payment to Suzanne Alferitz as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the intersection of the southerly line of Lombard street with the westerly line of Jones street, of dimensions 137 ft. 6 in. by 137 ft. 6 in. Being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 236, the said land being required as a site for the Cooper School.

Adopted.

The following resolution was presented by Supervisor Bancroft as a substitute for one of similar purport, laid over from last meeting and adopted:

Assigning Rooms 207 to 212 In Temporary City Hall to Superintendent of Schools.

J. R. No. 290.

Resolved, That rooms Nos. 207 to 212, inclusive, situate in the east wing, second floor of the temporary City Hall building, be and are hereby assigned for use and purposes of the Superintendent of Schools.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Regulating Sidewalk Widths.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2186, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and fifty-nine," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on the southerly side of Geary street, between the easterly line of Presidio avenue and the easterly line of Masonic avenue, at fifteen (15) feet; the width

of sidewalks on the northerly side of Geary street, between Josephine street and Emerson street, at twenty-two (22) feet; also abolish the width of sidewalks on the northerly side of Geary street, between Presidio avenue and Josephine street, are hereby dispensed with and abolished.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2187, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Balboa street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; crossing of Sickles avenue and Winnipeg street."

Establishing Grades.

Also, Bill No. 2188, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Latham place."

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2189, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Geary street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues; Broderick street, between Filbert and Greenwich streets."

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Temporarily Closing Streets on Exposition Site.

Resolution No. 9538 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, in communication filed June 24, 1912, requests the temporary closing of certain streets in the City and County of San Francisco for the purposes of an exposition to celebrate the completion of the Panama Canal, and grant to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company the exclusive possession and use of said streets, to terminate not later than one year after the closing of such exposition, and in no event later than December 1, 1916; and

Whereas, the Exposition Company has obtained possession, either by lease or purchase, of all of the privately held lands fronting on the hereinafter named streets which it requests to be closed, except the land owned by certain persons, possession of which they are endeavoring to obtain by agreement or by process of law; and

Whereas, it is understood that the Exposition Company will not fence or otherwise obstruct travel, in any of the main streets which it requests be closed, until such time as it has obtained possession, either by lease or purchase, of all the property fronting thereon; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the following named streets are hereby temporarily closed

for the purposes of an exposition to celebrate the completion of the Panama Canal and the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company is hereby granted the exclusive possession and use of said streets so closed, for such exposition purposes; such purposes and use of said streets to terminate not later than one year after the closing of such exposition, and in no event later than December 1st, 1916, to-wit:

Lyon street, from Lombard street to the bay.

Baker street, from Lombard street to the bay.

Broderick street, from a point 137 feet 6 inches northerly from Lombard street, to the bay.

Divisadero street, from a point 137 feet 6 inches northerly from Lombard street, to the bay.

Scott street, from Chestnut street to the bay.

Pierce street, from Chestnut street to the bay.

Steiner street, from Chestnut street to the bay.

Fillmore street, from Chestnut street to the bay.

Webster street, from Chestnut street to the bay.

Buchanan street, from the southerly line of Bay street to the northerly line of Lewis street.

Laguna street, from Chestnut street to the bay.

Octavia street, from Chestnut street to Bay street.

Gough street, from Chestnut street to Bay street.

Franklin street, from Chestnut street to Bay street.

Chestnut street, from Lyon street to a point 137 feet 6 inches westerly from the westerly line of Scott street.

Francisco street, from Van Ness avenue to Lyon street.

Bay street, from Van Ness avenue to Lyon street.

North Point street, from Laguna street to Lyon street.

Beach street, from Laguna street to Lyon street.

Jefferson street, from Laguna street to Lyon street.

Tonquin street, from Laguna street to Lyon street.

Lewis street, from Laguna street to Lyon street.

Further Resolved, That the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company shall remove all buildings and materials and obstructions from the roadway and sidewalks of the above named streets, and restore the pavement of said streets to good condition as required by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri,

Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Resolution No. 9239 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Geary and Divisadero streets, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office June 14, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Resolution No. 9540 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Geary, between Josephine and Emerson streets, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office July 2, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Resolution No. 9541 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Douglass street in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office on.....and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Also, Resolution No. 9542 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Leese street and Rich-

mond avenue, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office June 21, 1912, and directing the Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Supplies Committee to Sell Motors.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland: J. R. No. 291.

Resolved, That the Committee on Supplies be and is hereby directed and authorized to sell at public auction, after advertising for five (5) days, the following described personal property unfit and/or unnecessary for the use of the City and County, to-wit:

Two (2) 500 volt direct current motors, twenty-five and fifteen horsepower, respectively, now at the corporation yard at Bay and Francisco streets and in the custody of the Board of Fire Commissioners.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was presented, and on motion *laid over one week*:

Award of Contract, Stationery Supplies.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contracts for the furnishing and delivering of the stationery for the various public offices and departments of the City and County for the fiscal year 1912-1913, be and the same are hereby awarded to the following persons, firms and corporations, in strict accordance with the proposal notice inviting bids thereon, and in accordance with the specifications prepared therefor; and the amounts of the bonds for the faithful performance of said contracts are hereby fixed in the sums set under the names of the respective bidders to whom the contracts are hereby awarded, as per the number and article enumerated and appearing in the schedule of yearly supplies, to-wit:

Brown & Power; Cunningham, Cur-tiss & Welch; Schwabacher Frey Stationery Co.; H. S. Crocker Co.; Payot, Stratford & Kerr; A. Carlisle & Co.; Isaac Upham Co.; Son Brothers & Co.; Patrick & Co.; Remington Typewriter

Co.; F. F. Wright & Co.; Reinurges & Co.; Anglo-American Ribbon & Carbon Co.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Award of Contracts, Books.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:

Resolution No. 9543 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contracts for furnishing and delivering certain books for use of the various public offices and departments of the City and County during the fiscal year 1912-1913, be and the same are hereby awarded to the following persons, firms and corporations, in strict accordance with the specifications prepared therefor; and the amount of the bonds for the faithful performance of the said contracts are hereby fixed in the sum set under the names of the respective bidders to whom the said contracts are hereby awarded as per the number and article enumerated and appearing in the schedule of said yearly supplies, to-wit:

Brown & Power Stationery Co.; Neal Publishing Co.; Schwabacher Frey Stationery Co.; Levison Printing Co.; J. B. McIntyre Bindery Co.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Award of Contracts, Printing and Blanks.

Also, Resolution No. 9544 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contracts for furnishing and delivering printing and blanks for use of the various offices and departments of the City and County for the fiscal year 1912-1913, be and the same are hereby awarded to the following persons, firms and corporations, in strict accordance with the proposal notice inviting bids thereon, and in strict accordance with the specifications prepared therefor; and the amounts of the bonds for the faithful performance of said contracts are hereby fixed in the sums set under the names of the respective bidders to whom the contracts are hereby awarded, as per the number and article enumerated and appearing on the schedule of yearly supplies, to-wit:

Brown & Power Stationery Co.; Neal Publishing Co.; Levison Printing Co.; Buckley & Curtin; A. Carlisle & Co.; Phillips & Van Orden; Gille Printing Co.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Municipal Bands.

Supervisor Hayden moved that the Public Welfare Committee be entrusted with the preparation of a plan for the conduct of municipal bands, and that it provide for the year's concerts.

Motion carried.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

No—Supervisors Giannini—1.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were introduced under suspension of the rules and passed for printing:

Creating Bureau of Efficiency.

On motion of Supervisor Murdock:

Bill No. 2190, Ordinance No. — (New Series):

An ordinance creating a Bureau of Efficiency, providing for the duties to be performed and making an appropriation to pay the expenses thereof.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. In order to promote the efficiency of the public service and to enable the Civil Service Commission to exercise the powers conferred by Section 14 of Article XIII of the Charter of San Francisco, the Bureau of Efficiency is hereby created to be under the jurisdiction of the Civil Service Commission.

Section 2. The Civil Service Commission is authorized to employ a suitable person who shall be known as the director of the Bureau of Efficiency of the Civil Service Commission. He shall be paid a salary of \$200 per month. The director is empowered, with the approval of the Civil Service Commission, to employ additional expert or clerical assistants for temporary service under the bureau provided that the cost shall not exceed the sum appropriated for such purpose by the Supervisors.

Section 3. Any employee of the Bureau of Efficiency when authorized by the director of the bureau shall have access to all records of any office, department or bureau of the City and County. Any person obstructing the employees of the bureau in the performance of their duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction

shall be fined in a sum not exceeding \$100, or be imprisoned in the county jail for a term not exceeding thirty days.

Section 4. The Civil Service Commission shall transmit to the Mayor, the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors and the Committee on Public Efficiency and Civil Service of the Board of Supervisors, the information secured by the Bureau of Efficiency, and its recommendations thereon, and shall co-operate with the Committee for Public Efficiency and Civil Service in securing improvements in the public service.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the Bureau of Efficiency to determine unit costs for carrying on the services performed by the various offices, departments and bureaus of the municipal government, to recommend improvements in methods, to advise upon standardization of salaries, and to promote a uniform system of accounting through the offices and departments.

Section 6. The Mayor, the Auditor, the Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Supervisors, the Chairman of the Committee on Public Efficiency and Civil Service of the Supervisors, and the president of the Civil Service Commission are hereby constituted an Advisory Commission on Efficiency. They shall meet monthly to advise with the director of the Bureau of Efficiency and to make recommendations concerning the improvement of the public service. The Advisory Commission may designate one or more of the employes of any other department to serve as clerk or assistant without extra compensation: provided that such designation shall be with the consent of the head of the department in which such employe is engaged.

Section 7. The sum of five thousand dollars is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the budget item number 26 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the bureau hereby created.

Section 8. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Leaves of Absence, Supervisors Bancroft, Vogelsang, Payot.

J. R. No. 292.

Resolved, That Supervisors Paul Bancroft and Alexander T. Vogelsang and Henry Payot are hereby granted leave of absence from the State for a period of forty days from July 10, 1912, in accordance with recommenda-

tion of his Honor the Mayor filed in this office July 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Welcome to Baroness Von Suttén, Universal Peace Advocate.

J. R. No. 293.

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors extends to the Baroness von Suttén of Vienna a hearty welcome to San Francisco, and bespeaks from all citizens a favorable consideration of her efforts to further the cause of universal peace, to which she has devoted herself so unreservedly.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Exhibits Public Buildings, National Municipal League, Los Angeles.

J. R. No. 294.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be appropriated to cover the cost of preparing and installing at the session of the National Municipal League at Los Angeles, an exhibit of recently erected and to-be-erected municipal buildings, together with photographs of monuments and statues presented to the City.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were introduced under suspension of the rules and *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Appointment of Curtis H. Lindley, Special Counsel in Matter of Acquisition of Water Supply.

Bill No. 2191, Ordinance No. — (New Series).

Authorizing the City Attorney to appoint Curtis H. Lindley as special counsel in the matter of the acquisition by the City and County of San Francisco of a municipal water supply.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. In accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed July 1st, 1912, the City Attorney is hereby authorized to appoint Curtis H. Lindley as special counsel in the matter of the acqui-

tion by the City and County of San Francisco of a municipal water supply; said Curtis H. Lindley to act without compensation or any cost whatever to the City and County, except such expenses and costs as will necessarily be incurred by said Curtis H. Lindley in the prosecution of his said work as such special counsel.

Sec. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Providing \$3000 to Meet Expenses of Curtis H. Lindley, Special Counsel.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars be and the same hereby is set aside and appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Water Construction Fund for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses to be incurred by Curtis H. Lindley in connection with work in the matter of the acquisition of a municipal water supply by the City and County of San Francisco.

Referred.

The following resolutions were introduced by Supervisor Nolan and referred to the Public Utilities Committee:

Board of Public Works to Prepare Estimates of Cost, Water Distributing System in Districts Now Inadequately Supplied by Spring Valley Water Co.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to instruct the Engineering Department to prepare estimates of the cost of a water distributing system in those sections of the city where the mains of the Spring Valley Water Company are not laid, and that sufficient money be set aside from the sale of water bonds to begin the construction of the distributing system of the Hetch Hetchy water supply in the above sections of the city.

Providing \$10,000 for Construction of Distributing System of Hetch Hetchy Water Supply.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That there is hereby set aside ten thousand dollars from the funds now on hand derived from the sale of water bonds for the purpose of beginning the construction of the distributing system of the Hetch Hetchy water supply, and that the first construction of said system shall extend from the mains of the County Line Water Company to the University Heights tract.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and ordered referred to Finance Committee:

Providing \$1,500 for Supervisors Inspection Trip to Hetch Hetchy.

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That \$1,500 be hereby set aside out of the fund, for defraying expenses of trip of Supervisors to the Hetch Hetchy and Lake Eleanor water shed.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Providing \$88,000 for Cleaning, Sweeping and Sprinkling Streets, for Reconstruction of and Repairs to Sewers, and for Paving, Repaving, Grading and Repairs to Streets During July, 1912.

Resolved, That the following amounts are hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of item No. 549 in the budget for the fiscal year 1912-13 during the month of July, 1912, "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures except school buildings":

For cleaning, sweeping and sprinkling streets, \$30,000.

For reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, \$10,000.

For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to the following named streets, bridges and roads, \$48,000:

Basalt Paved Streets.

Powell street, Union to Bay.

Fifteenth street, Howard to Mission.

Polk street, Market to Post.

Pine street, Larkin to Jones.

Harriet street, Harrison to Brannan.

Eleventh street, Market to Bryant.

Eddy street, Jones to Van Ness avenue.

Ellis street, Jones to Van Ness avenue.

O'Farrell street, Jones to Van Ness avenue.

Pacific street, Stockton to Jones.

Kentucky street, Fourth to Twenty-second.

Howard street, First to Second.

Folsom street, First to Third.

Second street, Howard to Brannan.

Davis street, Jackson to Pacific.

Pine street, Larkin to Jones.

Asphalt Paved Streets.

Waller street, Webster to Fillmore.

Shotwell street, Fourteenth street south.

Laguna street, Haight to Page.

McAllister street, Fillmore to Divisadero.

Gough street, Sutter north.

Pacific street, Franklin to Steiner.

Cedar street (formerly Cedar avenue), Polk to Van Ness avenue.

Washington street, Gough to Fillmore.

Scott street, Jackson to Green.

Sacramento street, Van Ness avenue to Franklin.

Sacramento street, Taylor to Jones. Jackson street, Franklin to Fillmore. Greenwich street, Van Ness westerly. Filbert street, Franklin street westerly.

California street, Mason to Jones. Golden Gate avenue, Broderick to Masonic.

O'Farrell street, Laguna to Fillmore. Divisadero street, Turk to California. Frederick street, Stanyan to First avenue.

Hermann street, Webster to Fillmore. Haight street, Buchanan to Scott. Grant avenue, California to Filbert. Folsom street, Sixteenth to Twenty-sixth.

Twenty-third street, Mission to Potrero avenue.

Bridges and Streets on the Water Front.

All bridges and planked streets on the water front under the jurisdiction of the City and County.

County Roads.

Sloat boulevard. Junipera Serra boulevard. San Bruno avenue to County Line. Railroad avenue, San Bruno avenue, to Twenty-third avenue.

Grading, Curbsetting and Concreting. Post street, south side, Powell to Mason.

Bush street, Fillmore to Steiner. Powell street, Post to Sutter.

Cobble Paved Streets.

Folsom street, First to Second to Third.

Folsom street, First to Steuart. California street, Stockton to Powell.

Reconstruction.

Harrison street, Eighth to Eleventh.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans and Specifications and Estimates of Cost for Construction of Municipal Railway, Easterly and Westerly Extensions.

Resolution No. 9548 (New Series).

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be, and it is hereby authorized to immediately prepare plans and estimates of cost for the westerly extension of the municipal railway from Thirty-third avenue to the Beach, along the route designated in the report on that subject made and filed in this Board by Mr. Blon J. Arnold. It is the intent of this Board to proceed with this extension as soon as the streets along this route shall have

been properly graded, as prescribed by law. Be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be authorized to prepare plans and specifications and estimates of cost for the construction of the municipal railway from Kearny street to Sutter street to connect with the outer tracks on Market street opposite Sansome street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Salary Increases, Board of Supervisors.

Also, Bill No. 2192, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Authorizing the appointment by the Board of Supervisors of certain employees, fixing their compensation and repealing all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Supervisors is hereby authorized to appoint the following clerks and assistants at the salaries set opposite their respective position:

One Chief Assistant Clerk, at \$225 per month.

One Expert to the Board at \$300 per month.

One Bond and Ordinance Clerk at \$250 per month.

Three Assistant Clerks at \$175 per month each.

Two Assistant Clerks at \$150 per month each.

One Assistant Clerk to act as Superintendent of Supplies at \$250 per month.

One Assistant Clerk assigned to the Stationery Department at \$160 per month.

Three Assistant Clerks, at \$125 per month each.

Two Stenographer-Typewriters at \$100 per month each.

One Filing Clerk and Telephone Operator at \$100 per month.

One Stenographer to the Finance Committee at \$150 per month.

One Chauffeur and Messenger at \$125 per month.

One Telephone Operator at \$80 per month.

Section 2. The increases of salaries made by this Ordinance shall apply to James P. Slevin, Assistant Clerk; John F. Finn, Assistant Clerk, assigned to the Stationery Department; Mary A. Commerford, Filing Clerk and Telephone Operator, and Sarah F. McKenna, Telephone Operator, and shall take effect July 1, 1912.

Report of Consulting Architects on Public Buildings Constructed and Under Construction.

The following matter was presented by the Mayor and ordered spread in the Journal:

July 1, 1912.

To His Honor, the Mayor of San Francisco:

Sir—According to your request directed to the Board of Public Works, we are sending this report on the buildings that were under the authority of the Bureau of Architecture when put under our charge.

The San Francisco Hospital required immediate attention. The entire hospital scheme, as planned by Mr. Tharp, is composed of three distinct groups—the main group, the tuberculosis group, and the infectious group. The main group consists of the Administration building, the Receiving building, the Nurses' Home, the four Ward buildings, the Service building, power-house and laundry, the morgue and the stables. All of these buildings except the morgue and the stables are more or less advanced to completion. Working drawings were started for the morgue, but the stables had received no consideration. No construction work has been done on the tuberculosis group, and only sketches exist for the infectious group. It is the main group that is now under construction. The total amount provided for by the 5 per cent bonds of 1908 is \$2,113,733.60, which includes the premium on the bonds. On June 30, \$1,456,622.00 had been expended, leaving \$213,378.00. We have estimated the cost of the entire completion of the main group at \$455,736.00. This will leave a deficit of \$242,358.00 for the main group. Our estimate to complete the infectious and tuberculosis groups is \$834,842.00, on the basis of 37½ cents a cubic foot, the cost of the main group. This makes a total estimated deficit for the entire hospital system of \$1,077,200.00.

**ESTIMATED COST OF COMPLETION OF SAN FRANCISCO HOSPITAL,
EXCLUSIVE OF TUBERCULOSIS GROUP.**

May 16, 1912.

*For Completion of the Mechanical Equipment for the San Francisco Hospital,
Including the Morgue.*

Electrical work, including the completion of the present layout; also extra lights in all wards and the flash-light system and clocks	\$35,000.00	
Incinerator, including the finishing of the rooms in which the incinerator is built	25,000.00	
Ventilating of all sanitary towers	8,000.00	
Heating and ventilating Receiving building	6,000.00	
		<hr/> \$74,000.00

Morgue.

Plumbing	\$5,000.00	
Heating and ventilating, including plumbing work	4,500.00	
Cold storage	1,500.00	
Electric work	1,800.00	
		<hr/> 12,800.00
		<hr/> \$86,800.00

General.

Mechanical equipment (as above)	\$86,800.00	
Concrete and cement floors	\$27,820.00	
Maple floors	3,740.00	
Terrazzo floors	19,292.00	
Linoleum	25,000.00	
Marble, tile and terrazzo work	31,084.00	

Finished carpenter work.....	42,390.00	
Plastering, patching and miscellaneous items.....	2,720.00	
Finishing hardware	12,000.00	
Painting	45,000.00	
Electric fixtures	30,000.00	
Yard and walks.....	20,000.00	
Fences	10,300.00	
Morgue and stable buildings.....	50,000.00	
Tunnel to morgue	2,000.00	
Sidewalks	4,090.00	
Incidentals and office expenses.....	43,500.00	
		368,936.00
		<u>\$455,736.00</u>

Tuberculosis Group and Infectious Group.

Estimated cost, June 8, 1912.

Tubercular group, 1,408,000 cubic feet at \$.3746.....	\$527,436.00	
Infectious group, 769,000 cubic feet at \$.3746.....	288,067.00	
Yard and fences	19,339.00	
		834,842.00
Total to complete entire hospital system.....	—	\$1,290,578.00
Money available	—	213,378.00
Total deficit	—	<u>\$1,077,200.00</u>

The following problems were in urgent need of settlement: Flooring, ventilation, signal call system and sterilizing system. The question of flooring, which was the cause of holding up the work, was immediately settled upon a consultation with the Board of Health. Ventilation was a more difficult problem. There had been no provision made for the ventilation either in the sanitary towers and the operating rooms, where there is absolute need of it, or in those parts of the Receiving building where forced ventilation is absolutely essential. After consultations with the local authorities and communications with the best known experts throughout the East, by telegram and letter, the matter of ventilation is now definitely settled and a satisfactory system planned. A complete system of sterilizing water has been devised for the operating section. In addition, all odds and ends left out or overlooked in previous specifications have been gathered together in one final specification, this work being extremely trying and requiring much patience and care. It has been unceasingly carried on for the last two months, and before July 15th a general specification of the building now under construction will be sent out for bids. All plumbing not already provided for was let on June 5, 1912. This will permit the finishing of other trades on the job. According to the present schedule the contract for the completed work will be signed on or before August 15th, and should be completed by May 15, 1913. Where not provided for in contracts, painting to preserve the work already installed had been and is being done by day work by men of the Board of Public Works. This, except where necessary to preserve unprotected work, will be dispensed with, and the remaining work handled by contract. The installation of electric work has been done, not by contract, but by day labor, under the supervision of a man employed by this department. This unsatisfactory and impractical method will be stopped as soon as possible and the remaining work conducted by contract.

There is now available \$213,378, and \$24,000 which had been set aside for curb and sidewalk work. With this the finishing contracts for the buildings now under way can be provided for with the possible exception of the lighting fixtures and painting. These items will have to be covered when money is provided for the construction of the morgue and stables, the laying out of the grounds and erection of fences, etc.

PRESENT CONSTRUCTION AT SAN FRANCISCO HOSPITAL.

Items to be completed with money available.

General.

Concrete and cement floors.....	\$27,820.00	
Maple floors	3,740.00	
Terrazzo floors	19,292.00	
Linoleum	25,000.00	
Marble, tile and terrazzo work.....	31,084.00	
Finished carpenter work	42,390.00	
Plastering, patching and miscellaneous items.....	2,720.00	
Finishing hardware	12,000.00	
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		\$164,046.00

Mechanical Equipment.

Electrical work, including the completion of the present layout, also extra lights in all wards, the flashlight system and clocks	\$35,000.00	
Ventilating of all sanitary towers.....	8,000.00	
Heating and ventilating Receiving building.....	6,000.00	
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		49,000.00
Total	—	<hr/>
		\$213,046.00
Inspection, office expenses, etc.	—	<hr/>
		18,804.60
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		\$231,850.60

June 26, 1912.

Appropriation for construction, April 12, 1909.....	\$125,000.00
Appropriation for construction, May 24, 1909.....	275,000.00
Appropriation for construction, December 20, 1909.....	350,000.00
Appropriation for construction, September 19, 1910.....	200,000.00
Appropriation for construction, March 13, 1911.....	300,000.00
Appropriation for construction, September 25, 1911.....	300,000.00
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Total	\$1,550,000.00

Expenditures.

Contracts and extras to date.....	\$1,315,747.85	
Expenditures other than contemplated...	114,178.55	
Electric wiring system	24,195.60	
Salaries for June (estimated)	2,500.00	
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		1,456,622.00
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Balance on hand	\$ 93,378.00	
Estimated amount available, but unappropriated.....	120,000.00	
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June 25, 1912—Money available.....	\$213,378.00	
Appropriated—Sidewalks and curbs	24,000.00	
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		\$237,378.00

The unsettled state of work and the overlapping of contracts has naturally called for extensions of time. One of the greatest tasks has been the straightening out of the tangle due to letting contracts out of their natural sequence. It has been our one object to hurry the completion of all unfinished contracts now at the building. There are at present twenty-four contractors working on the San Francisco Hospital; some of these working under several contracts. Arrangements have been made, after much study, to have ten of these complete within their time. Nine others will probably require short extensions. Owing to their inability to finish work until other work as yet not let is installed, five will be unable to complete their contracts until the general contract for completion, which is now being prepared for the finishing of work on these

buildings. This provisional date is May 15, 1913. It was intended that a single extension should be given to last until this date. This matter is now being adjusted. On six contracts no extension has ever been asked for, and consequently some of them automatically expired last year, although they are still on the job and receiving payments. They have been notified of this and asked to adjust the matter.

Two other buildings which have been left in a more or less incomplete state are the Hall of Justice and the City and County Jail. Although the contracts for the Hall of Justice have been completed and payments made, it will require \$10,500.00 to put this building in satisfactory condition and settle unpaid bills. The interior finish of this building leaves much to be desired, and many things have been done in a haphazard manner. Small items of complaint are too numerous to mention.

Hall of Justice.

Additional ventilation	\$2,500.00	
Additional electric work	2,000.00	
Extra work—bills unpaid.....	3,500.00	
Miscellaneous extra work.....	2,500.00	
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		\$10,500.00

The City and County Jail has been held up for lack of funds. We estimate that it will require \$60,000.00 to finish this building. There are still on this building three contractors and these contractors, although most of their material has been delivered, will be unable to finish until the flooring has been provided for. The contract for this flooring has never been let. Therefore these contractors will be held up indefinitely until money can be made available for the placing of these floors. Over a month ago we recommended that \$10,000.00 be made available for letting that work which is now holding up the contractors on the job. The building itself is left in an unsightly condition and does not receive the proper surveillance. Much material has been stolen and many windows broken. This building should at least be under the eye of the Police Department from time to time until it is placed under a watchman and inspector and active work is again resumed.

The following is a statement showing the estimated amount of moneys required to complete the City and County Jail:

City and County Jail.

Marble, tile and terrazzo.....	\$18,975.00	
Linoleum and shades	1,800.00	
Elevators	6,500.00	
Ornamental interior metal work.....	3,850.00	
Glass and glazing	2,000.00	
Painting	3,200.00	
Gas and electric fixtures.....	2,500.00	
Refrigerator in jail	1,480.00	
Incinerator	3,000.00	
Kitchen equipment	3,500.00	
Asphalt paving	500.00	
Changes in cells	3,200.00	
Additional plumbing	2,200.00	
Entrance doors	500.00	
Incidentals and office expenses.....	6,795.00	
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		\$60,000.00

The following schools are under construction: The Girls' High School, Lowell High School and the Polytechnic High School.

Girls' High School.

We deeply regret that a building which will present such a fine appearance on the exterior, as will the Girls' High School upon completion, has been, on the interior, constructed in a very non-fireproof manner.

The building, with steel frame and wood floor construction, presents a forest of timber, and we feel it should have been constructed only with fireproof floor construction, for, should a fire once start, nothing can save it. A fireproof floor construction could have been installed at a comparatively slight increase in cost. The auditorium is not fireproof. The structural features are being checked. Another item to be regretted in a building of this proportion and character is the interior pine finish which should have been replaced by a wood of better appearance and more durable character. We recommended that this change should be made in time to have it remedied, but our recommendation was not carried out. Present indications are that this contract will be finished within the time limit. The total appropriation for this building was \$375,000.00; \$365,494.00 had been expended on June 1. Out of this was drawn \$8,454.36 for moving the temporary Girls' High School and fixing the yard. There yet remains to be expended \$15,484.00 in hardware, clocks, etc. There is therefore an estimated total deficit of \$14,435.76, or, deducting money used only for constructional purposes of the building, \$5,981.40.

Total appropriation	\$375,000.00	
Expended to date	\$365,494.00	
Moving of building and fixing yard.....	8,454.36	
<i>Necessary to complete—estimated—</i>		
Hardware	4,887.00	
Clocks	600.00	
Blackboards	4,000.00	
Office expense, etc.....	6,000.00	
Total deficit, estimated (June 1, 1912).....		14,435.76
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	\$389,435.76	\$389,435.76

The Polytechnic High School has been built in two groups: The shop buildings and the academic buildings. The shop buildings are completed. The excavation and foundation work is now being carried on for the academic building and the steel frame is fabricated and ready for erection. The architectural plans are completed. The mechanical diagrams are being prepared but no contracts are yet let except for the steel frame and foundation work. It was found that this building was to be constructed with wooden floor joists and partitions similar to that of the Girl's High School and investigation showed that the structure could be made fireproof by an additional expenditure of \$12,000.00 more than the original estimate. We consider that it would be a fatal mistake to allow this building to be erected without making it as nearly fireproof as possible. The total appropriation for this building was \$600,000.00; \$75,000.00 was withheld for equipment; \$2,500.00 was expended on moving temporary buildings. Cost of construction to date has been \$225,810.72. It is estimated that to complete the academic building with fireproof construction will require \$378,000.00. This will leave a total deficit of \$81,310.72, or \$79,310.72 should the wooden construction for flooring be used as originally intended.

June 1, 1912.

Polytechnic High School.

Total appropriation	\$600,000.00	
Withheld for equipment	\$ 75,000.00	
Expended, moving temporary buildings.....	2,500.00	
Cost of construction to date.....	225,810.72	
<i>Necessary to complete—estimated—</i>		
Completion of academic building (fireproof construction)	378,000.00	
Estimated deficit		81,310.72
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	\$681,310.72	\$681,310.72

June 1, 1912.

Lowell High School.

Total appropriation	\$340,000.00
Expended on construction	\$315,181.49

Estimated cost of completion—

Yard and retaining wall.....	10,000.00	
Asphalt paving and grading.....	7,000.00	
Office expense and inspection.....	3,700.00	
Balance	4,118.51	
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	\$340,000.00	\$340,000.00

The Lowell High School is rapidly approaching completion. The total appropriation of this building was \$340,000.00. There have been expended on construction \$315,181.49. No provision was made for yard or retaining wall, nor for asphalt paving and grading of the yard. At the request of the Board of Education, this is now being done at an expense of \$17,000.00. There will be left a balance on this building of \$4,118.51. The arrangement of this school shows lack of study of details. We find that the window area of the class rooms is not in proportion to the size of the room. The installation of ventilating system has caused much trouble, indicating that the design was inadequate. An extension has already been granted and the contract can be finished within the time limit.

On investigating the schools, we find out there have been two great problems: The problem of ventilation and sanitation. In connection with the ventilation, we found that the systems now installed have been extremely unsatisfactory. In most instances elaborate plants have been left to the care of unskilled janitors, without any knowledge of the equipment under their control. We have made investigations and directed inquiries here and in the East and find that the systems which were being installed in San Francisco schools are being rapidly modified or dispensed with in other cities where the matter is being given the attention due to it. In many schools windows are so arranged as to be practically of no use. Plumbing is a question with is causing much dissatisfaction, all sorts of fixtures being used, with no particular standard. It is hoped, with the proper study, that these conditions may be remedied. The purchase of lots for school buildings, fire houses and police stations in certain cases has shown an utter lack in anticipating building conditions. For example, the lot for the North End Police Station is so located that it will require from \$5,000.00 to \$6,000.00 for retaining walls, foundation, etc., more than would be necessary under ordinary conditions. We recommend that more consideration be given to this subject.

Plans are now being prepared for the Le Conte School, the Starr King School and the Daniel Webster School. These are intended to be wooden frame structures, but the stairways are being made fireproof. A more far-sighted policy should be adopted to make all school buildings as thoroughly fireproof as possible, even in outlying districts, and eliminate to a minimum the chances for catastrophes among our school children.

There are several fire houses and police stations now under construction. These buildings, on the whole, have given satisfaction, outside of minor defects.

JOHN GALEN HOWARD,
FREDERICK H. MEYER,
JOHN REID, JR.,

Consulting Architects, Board of Public Works.

DELIVERY OF ASSESSMENT ROLL. 1912-1913.

The Clerk then announced that Assessor Washington Dodge had this day delivered to the Clerk's office of the Board of Supervisors the Assessment Roll for the fiscal year 1912-1913, consisting of sixty-one volumes describing real estate and secured personal property, eighteen volumes describing unsecured personal property and four volumes of indexes.

Also, that the Assessor had filed on this date, the list of Arbitrary Assessments, separate from the Assessment Book, as required by Section 3633 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Report of Assessor on Assessment Roll for 1912-1913.

The following communication was presented, read by the Clerk and ordered *spread at length in the Journal*:

San Francisco, July 1, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: The expenditures of this city, as fixed by your Honorable Board for the ensuing fiscal year, make it necessary that there should be collected as taxes during this year \$10,250,000. The amount thus to be raised is \$1,000,000 more than that which was required last year. With an assessment roll no greater than that of last year, it would have been necessary to increase the tax rate on property this year from \$2, the rate of last year for city and county purposes, to \$2.23. As a result of the increase in the assessment roll, the tax rate will be put at \$2.05 per \$100 for city and county purposes. The slightly increased tax rate over that of last year will, it is true, make some increase in all tax bills.

The large increase in the assessment roll this year, amounting to \$60,330,562, has been brought about by a more thorough equalization of assessments. It has not been the result of a uniform increase of all assessments. Such property as has not been subject to a raise of assessment will benefit materially by the lower rate made possible through the increased assessment roll.

Last year the total roll, including the operative property of quasi-public corporations taxed by the state only, was \$545,057,591. This year our total roll is \$605,488,153. That portion of the roll on which city and county revenues will be collected, amounts to \$511,194,525, as against \$461,850,025 in 1911, or a gain of \$49,344,500. This increase has been brought about by raising assessments of last year in many localities, and by increasing personal property assessments. The assessment of buildings has not been raised.

In conclusion, I would state that during the past sixty days this office has collected \$760,469.50. This represents the taxes paid on unsecured personal property. In addition there has been collected to date \$104,532 in poll taxes. Respectfully submitted,

WASHINGTON DODGE,
Assessor.

PROCEEDING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

The Board then proceeded to and examined the assessment roll received from the Assessor.

Resolutions Adopted.

Whereupon the following Resolutions were adopted:

Board to Remain in Session as Board of Equalization.

Resolution No. 9545 (New Series). Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors, having met on this (Monday) afternoon, July 1, 1912, and examined the Assessment Books of Real and Personal Property for the year 1912, will thereafter be in session as a Board of Equalization from time to time until Monday, July 15, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of hearing applications, verified by oath, for the correction of assessments on said assessment books.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Equalization to Hear Applications July 9, 1912.

Resolution No. 9546 (New Series). Resolved, That this Board shall meet on Tuesday, July 9, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m., as a Board of Equalization, to examine applicants for reduction of assessments who have filed sworn applications as required by law, and to perform such other duties as may come before said Board.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Adopting Rule, Notice of Intention to Increase Assessments.

Resolution No. 9547 (New Series). Adopting a rule as to the manner in which persons, firms and corporations are to be notified why their assessments for the fiscal year 1912-1913 should not be increased by the Board of Supervisors, sitting as a Board of Equalization.

Resolved, That it is hereby adopted as a rule of this Board that the notice required to be given under the provisions of Section 3673 of the Political

Code to corporations or persons to show cause why their assessments on the Assessment Book of real and personal property for the fiscal year 1912-1913 shall not be increased will be as follows:

To corporations: A written or printed notice addressed to the president, secretary or managing agent of each corporation and delivered by the sergeant-at-arms of this Board at the office of each corporation in this city.

To persons, firms or companies: A written or printed notice, postage prepaid, and mailed to their address.

The Clerk is hereby directed to cause to be delivered or mailed to the sev-

eral corporations, persons, firms or companies, when designated by this Board, the said notice at least twelve (12) hours prior to the time set for hearing said parties aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy,
Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:45 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors July 8, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JULY 8, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 8, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of June 1, 1912, was read and approved.

VETO MESSAGE.

The following message from his Honor the Mayor, returning without his approval and with his objections thereto, Resolution No. 9518 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors was received, read, ordered published and entered at large in the Journal:

Mayor's Office, San Francisco,
July 3, 1912.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors,
City Hall, San Francisco, Cal.

Gentlemen: I beg to return to you Resolution No. 9518, passed by your Honorable Board on June 24, 1912, granting permission, revocable at will of the Board, to Dr. K. O. Steers to maintain and conduct a veterinary hospital on premises situated on the south side of Irving street, fifty-six (56) feet, six (6) inches east of Thirty-fourth avenue, which I have this day vetoed upon the recommendation of your Committee on Public Health, before whom the application was considered.

Immediately after the passage of the Resolution by your Honorable Body, a number of written protests have been filed with me against the granting of said permission, and which I immediately transmitted to your Committee on Public Health. I am informed that same were considered by said Committee at their regular weekly meeting

this morning, at which time said applicant and said protestants appeared and were heard; word has just been received by me from the said Committee on Public Health, requesting that I veto said Resolution No. 9518, which I do, and respectfully refer same to your Honorable Body.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,
Mayor.

Consideration of Mayor's Veto.

Whereupon, the following resolution heretofore finally passed was taken up and reconsidered:

Veterinary Hospital Permit, Dr. K. O. Steers.

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, be and is hereby granted to Dr. K. O. Steers to maintain and conduct a veterinary hospital in premises situate on the south side of Irving (formerly I) street, 56 feet 6 inches east of Thirty-fourth avenue.

Privilege of the Floor.

Thereupon, Dr. K. O. Steers, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that he had sought a location for his veterinary hospital in every section of the city without success, and that the site on Irving street east of Thirty-fourth avenue was in the sand dunes and two blocks from the nearest habitation.

Veto Sustained.

Whereupon, the question being put, "Shall the resolution pass notwithstanding the veto of his Honor, the Mayor?" the roll was called with the following result:

Ayes—none.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Absent—Supervisors Bancroft, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Payot, Vogel-sang—6.

Whereupon, the Chair declared the Mayor's veto *sustained*.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees reported on various matters referred, which re-

ports were presented, read and ordered filed:

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Hilmer, Acting Chairman.

Special Report of Public Buildings Committee on Competitive Plans for all Public Buildings.

San Francisco, Cal., July 8, 1912.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: At a special meeting of the Committee on Public Buildings, held on Tuesday, July 2, 1912, a Committee of twenty or more architects, representing the San Francisco Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, urged that recommendation be made by this Board to the Board of Public Works, that the plans for the monumental buildings to be erected under the direction and control of the City, in the Civic Center area, be secured by competition.

L. H. Mooser, Kenneth McDonald Jr., William Garden, Matthew O'Brien, Garden Mitchell and Charles Weeks were heard on behalf of the architects. They expressed the belief that, through competition, the City would secure better results than if the designing of these buildings was left in the hands of appointed architects.

Your Committee concurs in the views expressed by the Committee, and recommends that your Honorable body adopt a resolution recommending to the Board of Public Works that the plans of all monumental buildings to be constructed by the City, be secured through competition.

Respectfully submitted,

R. McLERAN,

GEO. E. GALLAGHER,

Public Buildings Committee.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$11,795.05 and numbered consecutively 21,508 to 21,852, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—11.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Neal Publishing Co., printing public documents (claim dated June 22, 1912).....	\$581.50
Neal Publishing Co., printing public documents (claim dated June 15, 1912).....	1451.00
Neal Publishing Co., printing public documents (claim dated June 22, 1912).....	545.35
L. Abrams, hauling, erecting and storing election booths (claim dated May 20, 1912)	1487.30
Whitcomb Estate, by Jas. Otis, Trustee, rents, June, 1912, 1217-45 Market street (claim dated June 28, 1912)	5250.00
Herbert F. Dugan, drugs, City and County Hospital (claim dated June 22, 1912)	630.72
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, City and County Hospital (claim dated June 29, 1912)	563.63
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated July 1, 1912)	514.91
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated July 1, 1912)	1054.10
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated June 29, 1912)	1811.90
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated July 1, 1912)	966.78
San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty, poundkeeper, auto truck and crew, sanitation account (claim dated July 1, 1912)	600.00
Pacific Gas & Electric Co., lighting public buildings and streets (claim dated June 30, 1912)	33,656.69
Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.	
J. H. Dockweiler, preparation of data water supply sources (claim dated June 26, 1912)	\$3435.00
C. E. Grunsky, services and expenses, water supply investigations (claim dated July 1, 1912)	2492.11
Cyril Williams Jr., services and expenses water supply investigations (claim dated June 28, 1912)	1248.35

Library Fund, 1911-1912.

Emporium, books, S. F. Pub. Library (claim dated June 30, 1912)	671.51
Geo. A. Mullin for G. E. Stecher & Co., books, S. F. Pub. Library (claim dated June 30, 1912)	638.20
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
John Daniel, 10th payment, section "G", North Point main (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$8964.90
E. Rolandi, 8th payment, section "E", North Point main (claim dated July 2, 1912)	11,080.30
Daniel Contracting Co., 1st payment, section "C-2", North Point main (claim dated July 2, 1912)	1574.94
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 1st payment, section "M", North Point main (claim dated July 2, 1912)	2537.37
Contra Costa Const. Co., 4th payment, section "C", Ingle side outlet (claim dated July 2, 1912)	6932.25
Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co., assignee of Keystone Const. Co., 14th payment, Mission street sewer (claim dated July 2, 1912)	2064.00
<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
Mahoney Bros., 2nd payment, track construction (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$37,160.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.</i>	
Karl Ehrhart, 2nd payment, Thirteenth avenue and Cabrillo street (claim dated July 3, 1912)	\$2794.35
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.</i>	
Lange & Bergstrom, final payment, Everett School annex (claim dated June 13, 1912)	\$1747.25
<i>Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
U. S. Fidelity Guaranty Co., assignees of Lennig-Rapple Engineering Co., final payment, heating and ventilating, City and County Jail (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$3957.50
Lenning-Ripple Engineering Co., extra work, heating and ventilating, Hall of Justice (claim dated Feb. 21, 1912)	907.22
<i>San Francisco Hospital, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Ralston Iron Works, 3rd payment, interior ornamental	

Iron work (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$4050.00
Otis Elevator Co., 3rd payment, elevators (claim dated June 29, 1912)	4500.00
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund 1908.</i>	
Michael Murphy, 8th payment, section 4, contract 50 (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$16,427.00
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Chas. E. Thomas Co., 3rd payment, heating and ventilating, Girls' High School (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$2145.00
Wm. H. Henning, 8th payment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated July 2, 1912)	25,392.00
Chas. E. Thomas Co., 5th payment, heating and ventilating, Lowell High School (claim dated July 2, 1912)	2287.50
Wm. Le Baron, 2nd payment, painting, Lowell High School (claim dated June 27, 1912)	750.00
National Electric Co., final payment, electric work, John Swett School (claim dated June 3, 1912)	1100.00

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Statement of Geary Street Park and Ocean Railroad Company, April and May, 1912.

Resolution No. 9549 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the statements heretofore filed by the Geary Street Park & Ocean Railroad Company, showing there is due the City and County the sum of \$834.69 on account of percentage of street railroad fares for the month of April and five days in May, 1912; be and the same is hereby accepted, and said Geary Street Park & Ocean Railroad Company is hereby directed to deposit with the Treasurer of the City and County the said sum of \$834.69, the same to be placed to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Appropriations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized

to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For moving and fitting up departments in temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice, additional appropriation; out of item "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." account, 1911-12.....\$10,000.00

For moving and fitting up departments in temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice, additional appropriation; out of item No. 549, "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc." account, 1912-13 5000.00

Correcting Resolution No. 9293 (New Series), Laundry Permit.

J. R. No. 295.

Resolved, That Resolution No. 9293 (New Series), passed February 5, 1912, and approved February 6, 1912, granting laundry permit to Chin Quong & Company be corrected by inserting in lieu of said named company, Quong Sing Lee & Company.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—12.

City Attorney to Examine Health Ordinance With View of Codification of Same.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 296.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby requested to examine all existing Health ordinances of the City and County, with a view of the codification of the same.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher and on motion of Supervisor Murphy *laid over* until Monday, August 19, 1912.

Recommending That Plans for Public Buildings on Civic Center be Secured Through Competition.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors hereby recommends to the Board of Public Works, that the plans for all monumental buildings to be erected under the direction and control of the City and County, in the Civic Center area, be secured through competition, believing that better results will be obtained than by having

said plans or designs prepared by appointed architects.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Award of Contract, Stationery Supplies. Resolution No. 9550 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contracts for the furnishing and delivering of the stationery for the various public offices and departments of the City and County for the fiscal year 1912-1913, be and the same are hereby awarded to the following persons, firms and corporations, in strict accordance with the proposal notice inviting bids thereon, and in accordance with the specifications prepared therefor; as per the number and article enumerated and appearing in the schedule of yearly supplies, to-wit:

Brown & Power; Cunningham, Curtiss & Welch; Schwabacher Frey Stationery Co.; H. S. Crocker Co.; Payot, Stratford & Kerr; A. Carlisle & Co.; Isaac Upham Co.; Son Brothers & Co.; Patrick & Co.; Remington Typewriter Co.; F. F. Wright & Co.; Reinurges & Co.; Anglo-American Ribbon & Carbon Co.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—12.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

In Memory of Mrs. Sarah Sophia Platt Decker.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

J. R. No. 297.

Whereas, In the passing of Mrs. Sarah Sophia Platt Decker of Denver, the nation has lost one of the foremost leaders in philanthropic work and the poor and unfortunate of her sex a loyal champion and friend, and

Whereas, Her great and unbounded sympathy for those in need of encouragement and cheer, or the touch of a kind and helping hand, endeared her to the women of the country, who are devoting their lives to the uplifting and advancement of their sisters, be it

Resolved, That to the members of her sorrowing family and those associated in the cause of womankind, the Board of Supervisors extends its deep regret at the death of this noble woman.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew

J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—12.

City Attorney to Advise as to Power of Supervisors to Appoint Non-Resident as Leader of Municipal Band.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 298.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby requested to furnish this office with an opinion as to the power of the Board of Supervisors to provide for the employment of a non-resident as leader of the Municipal Band.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—12.

In Memory of David Bush, Tax Collector.

Also, J. R. No. 299.

Whereas, In the death of David Bush, Tax Collector, the City and County has lost a courteous public official, who brought to the office the experience of many successful years in private business, an experience which proved of exceeding value to the City in the administration of the affairs of the office to which he was elected three successive times; and

Whereas, His kind and considerate treatment of all with whom he came in contact, either in his capacity as a public official or a private citizen, endeared him to a legion of loyal friends; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors extends to his sorrowing family the deep regret and sincere sympathy of its members; and be it further

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor, be authorized to appoint a Committee consisting of three members of this Board to attend the funeral, and that when the Board adjourns it does so in respect to his memory.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors July 15, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

City Attorney to Submit Motion for Preliminary Injunction in Matter of Water Rates 1912-1913, on Sole Question of Jurisdiction.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy: Resolution No. 9551 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in the suit recently brought in the United States District Court for the Northern District of California by the Spring Valley Water Company against the City and County of San Francisco, for an injunction against the enforcement of water rates established by ordinance for the fiscal year 1912-1913, the City Attorney be, and he is hereby authorized and requested to submit the motion for a preliminary injunction to said United States District Court upon the sole question of want of jurisdiction of that court in said suit.

Resolved Further, That, if the said District Court shall, upon the hearing of the said motion for preliminary injunction, hold that said court has jurisdiction of said suit, said City Attorney be, and he is hereby, further authorized and requested to present said question of jurisdiction to the Circuit Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit as soon as possible by appeal from the decision of said District Court.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Committee to Attend Funeral of David Bush, Tax Collector.

His Honor, Mayor Rolph, appointed Supervisors Hayden, Hilmer and Hocks as Committee of the Board of Supervisors to attend funeral of David Bush, Tax Collector.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 3:15 o'clock p. m. adjourned, to meet Tuesday, July 9, 1912, at 2 p. m., as a Board of Equalization to hear applications for equalization of assessments.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Tuesday, July 9, 1912

Friday, July 12, 1912

Monday, July 15, 1912, 10 A. M.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TUESDAY, JULY 9, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, July 9, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met, pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The reading of the Journal of the meeting of July 8, 1912, was on motion of Supervisor Murphy laid over until next meeting.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From the City Attorney, stating that Board has no power to engage non-resident as leader of municipal band.

Referred to *Public Welfare Committee*.

Statement.

His Honor the Mayor stated that he had been informed by the Clerk that there were several matters of Unfinished Business from the meeting of July 1, 1912, which could be disposed of before the Board proceeded to act as a Board of Equalization.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Fixing Compensation of Employees of Department of Electricity.

Bill No. 2183, Ordinance No. 1957 (New Series), entitled, "Fixing compensation of assistants and employees of the Department of Electricity for the fiscal year 1912-1913."

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gal-

lagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Creating Bureau of Efficiency.

Bill No 2190, Ordinance No. 1958 (New Series):

An ordinance creating a Bureau of Efficiency, providing for the duties to be performed and making an appropriation to pay the expenses thereof.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. In order to promote the efficiency of the public service and to enable the Civil Service Commission to exercise the powers conferred by Section 14 of Article XIII of the Charter of San Francisco, the Bureau of Efficiency is hereby created to be under the jurisdiction of the Civil Service Commission.

Section 2. The Civil Service Commission is authorized to employ a suitable person who shall be known as the director of the Bureau of Efficiency of the Civil Service Commission. He shall be paid a salary of \$200 per month. The director is empowered, with the approval of the Civil Service Commission, to employ additional expert or clerical assistants for temporary service under the bureau provided that the cost shall not exceed the sum appropriated for such purpose by the Supervisors.

Section 3. Any employe of the Bureau of Efficiency when authorized by the director of the bureau shall have access to all records of any office, department or bureau of the City and County. Any person obstructing the employees of the bureau in the performance of their duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined in a sum not exceeding \$100, or be imprisoned in the county jail for a term not exceeding thirty days.

Section 4. The Civil Service Commission shall transmit to the Mayor, the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors and the Committee on Public Efficiency and Civil Service of the Board of Supervisors, the information secured by the Bureau of Efficiency, and its recommendations there-

on, and shall co-operate with the Committee for Public Efficiency and Civil Service in securing improvements in the public service.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the Bureau of Efficiency to determine unit costs for carrying on the services performed by the various offices, departments and bureaus of the municipal government, to recommend improvements in methods, to advise upon standardization of salaries, and to promote a uniform system of accounting through the offices and departments.

Section 6. The Mayor, the Auditor, the Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Supervisors, the Chairman of the Committee on Public Efficiency and Civil Service of the Supervisors, and the president of the Civil Service Commission are hereby constituted an Advisory Commission on Efficiency. They shall meet monthly to advise with the director of the Bureau of Efficiency and to make recommendations concerning the improvement of the public service. The Advisory Commission may designate one or more of the employees of any other department to serve as clerk or assistant without extra compensation: provided that such designation shall be with the consent of the head of the department in which such employe is engaged.

Section 7. The sum of five thousand dollars is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the budget item number 26 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the bureau hereby created.

Section 8. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9552 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

<i>Park Fund.</i>	
Crane Co., galvanized pipe (claim dated June 19, 1912)	\$696.90
City Street Improvement Co., repairs to tennis court, etc., Golden Gate Park (claim dated June 12, 1912)	550.70
Spring Valley Water Co., water furnished public parks (claim dated June 19, 1912)	1,959.69
<i>San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
R. Dalziel, Jr., final payment,	

boilers, etc., San Francisco Hospital (claim dated June 20, 1912)	\$13,773.75
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Frederick C. Roberts Co., second payment, steel tank, Ashbury Heights (claim dated June 26, 1912)	\$ 5,926.79
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.</i>	
J. W. Carr, second payment, foundation and excavation, Polytechnic High School (claim dated June 3, 1912)	\$ 8,250.00
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
American Air Cleaning Co., in full, vacuum cleaning, Jean Parker School (claim dated June 22, 1912)	\$900.00
American Air Cleaning Co., in full, vacuum cleaning, Spring Valley School (claim dated June 22, 1912)	849.00
Abrahamson & De Gear, final payment, heating and ventilating, John Sweet School (claim dated June 13, 1912)	2,991.00
The J. Looney Co., third payment, plumbing, Girls' High School (claim dated June 21, 1912)	1,206.00
Standard Electrical Construction Co., first payment, telephone and clock wiring, Girls' High School (claim dated June 19, 1912)	1,650.00
Bradley & O'Reilly, in full, plastering, Lowell High School (claim dated June 24, 1912)	2,850.00
C. F. Weber & Co., furniture, John Sweet School (claim dated May 31, 1912)	3,283.69
<i>General Fund 1911-1912.</i>	
Walter Hough & Co., final payment, general construction, Bay View Police Station (claim dated May 28, 1912)	\$3,898.50
Walter Cook, fee and expenses of umpire architect (claim dated June 21, 1912)	1,500.00
Bennett Bros., in full, City and County Jail (claim dated June 24, 1912)	1,747.00
The Rincon Publishing Co., printing public documents (claim dated June 27, 1912)	628.28
Spring Valley Water Co., water for public buildings (claim dated June 27, 1912)	1,666.66
H. R. Timm, eight cows, Relief Home (claim dated June 22, 1912)	600.00

Sunset Monarch Oil Co., asphalt, Board of Public Works (claim dated June 12, 1912)	\$46.54
L. Abrams, hauling, erecting, storing election booths (claim dated May, 20, 1912)	1,487.30
H. Lehrke Sons, groceries, Relief Home (claim dated June 21, 1912)	3,460.19
Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants (claim dated June 26, 1912)	10,969.41
<i>General Fund 1912-1913.</i>	
D. A. White, Police contingent allowance (claim dated July 1, 1912)	\$666.66
John S. Dunnigan, Clerk Board of Supervisors, for the Fourth of July Celebration Committee (claim dated July 1, 1912)	2,500.00
Bion J. Arnold, investigation street railway systems (claim dated July 1, 1912)	3,227.94
Bion J. Arnold, investigation street railway systems (claim dated July 1, 1912)	3,078.18
Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.	
Appropriations.	
Resolution No. 9553 (New Series), as follows:	
Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:	
<i>Budget Item No. 549, Fiscal Year 1912-13, "For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc."</i>	
For resurvey of Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, and computations, compilations and mapping of the Market Street Homestead, during the months of July, August and September.....	\$12,000.00
For repairs to Fire Department buildings during the months of July and August	3,000.00
For repairs to Police Department buildings during the months of July and August	1,000.00
For repairs to other public buildings during the months of July and August	2,000.00
For paying the City's portion of the cost of constructing a sewer in Havelock street, between Arago street and Oloran avenue, under private contract, by Frank L. Sheerin	499.00
For paying the City's portion	

of the cost of construction of sewer in Havelock street, between San Jose avenue and Arago street, under private contract, by Frank L. Sheerin	499.00
For paying the City's portion of the cost of constructing a sewer in the intersection of Havelock and Arago streets, under private contract, by Frank L. Sheerin	85.00
For the construction of a basalt strip in Chattanooga street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets; to be expended by the Board of Public Works	500.00
For paying the City's portion of paving the intersection of Union and Lyon streets, under private contract, by Flinn & Treacy	495.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.</i>	
For preparation of plans and specifications for sewers in Harbor View District, Drumm, Brannan and Somerset streets, under direction of Board of Public Works	\$600.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
For preparation of plans and specifications for sewers in Section "K," North Point Main, Dupont street outfall, Stanley street outlet and Visitacion Valley, under direction of Board of Public Works	\$1,000.00
Additional to funds heretofore appropriated for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section D-3 of the North Point Main	900.00
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
For the purchase and delivery of pig lead to be used in the construction of Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection	\$19,000.00
For the preparation of plans and specifications, during the month of July for Jones street tank, telephone system and other portions of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection	4,000.00
<i>Geary Street Railway Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910.</i>	
For inspection of work under way and preparation of plans and specifications for contemplated work, Geary	

Street Railway, to be expended by the Bureau of Engineering, Board of Public Works, during the months of July and August 3,750.00

Budget Item No. 552, for Construction and Equipment of Police Department Buildings, Etc., Fiscal Year 1912-13.

For the completion of Photograph Gallery, Hall of Justice \$2,000.00

Budget Item, Fiscal Year 1911-12, for Construction and Equipment of Fire Department Buildings, Etc.

For construction, inspection, etc., Engine House No. 46, Twelfth avenue, south of Geary street, additional to \$16,000.00 heretofore appropriated \$21,000.00

Budget Item No. 26, Fiscal Year 1912-13, Bureau of Efficiency and Supplies Committee, Etc.

For salaries of director and other clerical experts, to be expended under direction of Civil Service Commission Efficiency Committee \$5,000.00

Budget Item No. 39, Urgent Necessities, Fiscal Year, 1912-13.

To be expended by the City Engineer in the preparation of data for the Board of Supervisors relating to needed extensions of water mains in districts which have no water mains or are inadequately supplied with water \$2,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Providing \$88,000 for Cleaning, Sweeping and Sprinkling Streets, for Reconstruction of and Repairs to Sewers, and for Paving, Repaving, Grading and Repairs to Streets During July, 1912.

Resolution No. 9554 (New Series).

Resolved, That the following amounts are hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of item No. 549 in the budget for the fiscal year 1912-13 during the month of July, 1912, "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, for reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, and for construction of and repairs to public buildings and other structures except school buildings":

For cleaning, sweeping and sprinkling streets, \$30,000.

For reconstruction of and repairs to sewers, \$10,000.

For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to the following named streets, bridges and roads, \$48,000:

Basalt Paved Streets.

Powell street, Union to Bay.
Fifteenth street, Howard to Mission.
Polk street, Market to Post.
Pine street, Larkin to Jones.
Harriet street, Harrison to Brannan.
Eleventh street, Market to Bryant.
Eddy street, Jones to Van Ness avenue.
Ellis street, Jones to Van Ness avenue.
O'Farrell street, Jones to Van Ness avenue.
Pacific street, Stockton to Jones.
Kentucky street, Fourth to Twenty-second.
Howard street, First to Second.
Folsom street, First to Third.
Second street, Howard to Brannan.
Davis street, Jackson to Pacific.
Pine street, Larkin to Jones.

Asphalt Paved Streets.

Waller street, Webster to Fillmore.
Shotwell street, Fourteenth street south.
Laguna street, Haight to Page.
McAllister street, Fillmore to Divisadero.
Gough street, Sutter north.
Pacific street, Franklin to Steiner.
Cedar street (formerly Cedar avenue), Polk to Van Ness avenue.
Washington street, Gough to Fillmore.
Scott street, Jackson to Green.
Sacramento street, Van Ness avenue to Franklin.
Sacramento street, Taylor to Jones.
Jackson street, Franklin to Fillmore.
Greenwich street, Van Ness westerly.
Filbert street, Franklin street westerly.
California street, Mason to Jones.
Golden Gate avenue, Broderick to Masonic.
O'Farrell street, Laguna to Fillmore.
Divisadero street, Turk to California.
Frederick street, Stanyan to First avenue.
Hermann street, Webster to Fillmore.
Haight street, Buchanan to Scott.
Grant avenue, California to Filbert.
Folsom street, Sixteenth to Twenty-sixth.
Twenty-third street, Mission to Potrero avenue.

Bridges and Streets on the Water Front.

All bridges and planked streets on the water front under the jurisdiction of the City and County.

County Roads.

Sloat boulevard.
Junipera Serra boulevard.
San Bruno avenue to County Line.
Railroad avenue, San Bruno avenue, to Twenty-third avenue.

Grading, Curbsetting and Concreting.
Post street, south side, Powell to Mason.

Bush street, Fillmore to Steiner.
Powell street, Post to Sutter.

Cobble Paved Streets.

Folsom street, First to Second to Third.

Folsom street, First to Steuart.
California street, Stockton to Powell.

Reconstruction.

Harrison street, Eighth to Eleventh.
Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Action Deferred.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up and on motion of Supervisor Murphy *laid over until Monday, August 19, 1912:*

Authorizing Appointment of Curtis H. Lindley, Special Counsel in Matter of Acquisition of Water Supply.

Bill No. 2191, Ordinance No. — (New Series).

Authorizing the City Attorney to appoint Curtis H. Lindley as special counsel in the matter of the acquisition by the City and County of San Francisco of a municipal water supply.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. In accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed July 1st, 1912, the City Attorney is hereby authorized to appoint Curtis H. Lindley as special counsel in the matter of the acquisition by the City and County of San Francisco of a municipal water supply; said Curtis H. Lindley to act without compensation or any cost whatever to the City and County, except such expenses and costs as will necessarily be incurred by said Curtis H. Lindley in the prosecution of his said work as such special counsel.

Sec. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Providing \$3000 to Meet Expenses of Curtis H. Lindley, Special Counsel.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars be and the same hereby is set aside and appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Water Construction Fund for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses to be incurred by Curtis H. Lindley in connection with work in the matter of the acquisition of a municipal water supply by the City and County of San Francisco.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore

passed for printing were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Increasing Salaries, Board of Supervisors.

Bill No. 2192, Ordinance No. 1959 (New Series), Authorizing the appointment by the Board of Supervisors of certain employees, fixing their compensation and repealing all Ordinances or parts of Ordinance in conflict herewith.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Supervisors is hereby authorized to appoint the following clerks and assistants at the salaries set opposite their respective position:

One Chief Assistant Clerk, at \$225 per month.

One Expert to the Board at \$300 per month.

One Bond and Ordinance Clerk at \$250 per month.

Three Assistant Clerks at \$175 per month each.

Two Assistant Clerks at \$150 per month each.

One Assistant Clerk to act as Superintendent of Supplies at \$250 per month.

One Assistant Clerk assigned to the Stationery Department at \$160 per month.

Three Assistant Clerks at \$125 per month each.

Two Stenographer-Typewriters at \$100 per month each.

One Filing Clerk and Telephone Operator at \$100 per month.

One Stenographer to the Finance Committee at \$150 per month.

One Chauffeur and Messenger at \$125 per month.

One Telephone Operator at \$80 per month.

Section 2. The increases of salaries made by this Ordinance shall apply to James P. Slevin, Assistant Clerk, John F. Finn, Assistant Clerk, assigned to the Stationery Department, Mary A. Commerford, Filing Clerk and Telephone Operator, and Sarah J. McKenna, Telephone Operator, and shall take effect July 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Authorizing Appointment of Certain Employees of Police Department.

Bill No. 2184, Ordinance No. 1960 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing appointment by the Board of Police Commissioners of certain employees, fixing their compensation and repealing all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith."

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Oil, Boiler and Garage Permits.

Resolution No. 9555 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits be and the same are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

E. Hitte, in premises south side of Washington street, 82 feet east of Mason street.

August F. Peterson, in premises south side of Market street, 236 feet 9½ inches west of Noe street.

W. S. Miller, at No. 743 Haight street.

Old Piedmont Bakery, at Nos. 1337-39 Grant avenue.

Joe Crassia, at No. 1624 Powell street.

Boilers.

Barneson-Hibbard Warehouse Co., 20 horsepower capacity, at premises east side of Michigan street, between El Dorado and Alameda streets.

Antone Beban, 2 horsepower capacity, at premises No. 651 Columbus avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Blasting Permits.

Resolution No. 9556 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Spring Construction Co. be and is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in premises situated in the Sutro Tract, north and south of the Dewey boulevard, for the purpose of clearing off said property, provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said above named company then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Resolution No. 9557 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That J. E. Johnson be and

is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in premises situate at the south-westerly corner of Beach and Buchanan streets, for the purpose of breaking up old flywheel castings, providing that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the hereinabove named party then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. 9558 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to Mrs. Anna Baumsteiger to maintain a stable for one horse at 1051 "T" street, corner of Twenty-seventh avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Ordering Construction of Fire House on School Lot on Twelfth Avenue, South of Geary Street.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

Bill No. 2185, Ordinance No. 1961 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of a fire engine house on the school lot situate at Twelfth avenue, 225 feet south of Geary street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said fire engine house, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed thirty-seven thousand dollars (\$37,000) out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes," in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-12, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,

Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Authorizing Payment of \$23,500 to Suzanne Alferitz for Certain Land Required for Cooper School.

Resolution No. 9559 (New Series).

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty-three thousand five hundred (\$23,500) dollars be and is hereby authorized to be made out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Buildings Fund, Bond Issue of 1908, in payment to Suzanne Alferitz as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the intersection of the southerly line of Lombard street with the westerly line of Jones street, of dimensions 137 ft. 6 in. by 137 ft. 6 in. Being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 236, the said land being required as a site for the Cooper School.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Regulating Sidewalk Widths.

Bill No. 2186, Ordinance No. 1962 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and fifty-nine," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on the southerly side of Geary street, between the easterly line of Presidio avenue and the easterly line of Masonic avenue, at fifteen (15) feet; the width of sidewalks on the northerly side of Geary street, between Josephine street and Emerson street, at twenty-two (22) feet; also abolish the width of sidewalks on the northerly side of Geary street, between Presidio avenue and Josephine street, are hereby dispensed with and abolished.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2187, Ordinance No. 1963 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Balboa street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; crossing of Sickles avenue and Winnipeg street."

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Establishing Grades.

Bill No. 2188, Ordinance No. 1964 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Latham place."

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2189, Ordinance No. 1965 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Geary street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues; Broderick street, between Filbert and Greenwich streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Leaves of Absence, Supervisors A. H. Giannini and George E. Gallagher.

J. R. No. 300.

Resolved, That Supervisors A. H. Giannini and George E. Gallagher be, and they are hereby, granted leave of absence from the state for a period of thirty days commencing July 10, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Report of Public Welfare Committee on Appointment of Leader of Municipal Band.

Supervisor Hayden presented the following:

San Francisco, July 9, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco—Gentlemen: Your Committee on Public Welfare recommends the appointment of John Keogh as leader of the Municipal Band.

A. H. GIANNINI,

J. EMMET HAYDEN,

ANDREW J. GALLAGHER.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

None.

PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Thereupon, on motion of Supervisor Murphy, the Board proceeded to sit as a Board of Equalization for the purpose of hearing all applicants who had filed sworn applications for corrections of assessments on the Assessment Books of Real and Personal Property for the fiscal year 1912-1913. Supervisor J. Emmet Hayden presiding.

Consideration of Applications for Reduction of Assessments.

Applications for reductions of assessments were taken up, the appli-

cants or their agents called, duly sworn, examined and after consideration said

applications were disposed of as follows:

No.	Name of Applicant.	Vol.	Page.	Sub.	Block.	Assessor's Asses't	
						Valuation.	fixed at.
1	Frank C. Miller et al...	40	139	37	677 Impts	\$2,000	\$2,000
2	Charlotte Johanson.....	13	79	21	56 Impts.	3,600	3,600
3	M. M. Brooks.....	26	71	8	272 Impts.	500	500
4	Margarete McCarthy ...	25	80	2	206 Impts.	700	700
5	Margarete McCarthy ...	25	80	2	206 Real Est.	3,850	3,850
6	Robert McMillan	12	86	6	22 Impts.	200	10
7	Robert McMillan	12	86	7	22 Impts.	100	10
8	Robert McMillan	12	93	97	22 Impts.	100	10
9	Anne Collins	21	56	6	124 Real Est.	700	700
10	Anne Collins	21	56	6	124 Impts.	2,000	2,000
11	Anne Collins	59	56	16-18	36 Real Est.	810	810
12	Kathe F. Holland.....	14	12	58	68 Impts.	3,500	2,800
13	Jane Lepkey	19	75	26	333-4 Impts.	500	500
14	Jane Lepkey	19	75	26	333-4 Impts.	300	300
15	Jane Lepkey	19	68	9	319-20 Impts.	1,800	1,800
16	Mrs. F. H. Laulhere....	5	18	6	213 Real Est.	1,090	1,090
17	Mrs. F. H. Laulhere....	5	18	6	213 Impts.	2,000	2,000
18	Mrs. F. H. Laulhere....	6	35	12	270 Real Est.	1,380	1,380
19	Mrs. F. H. Laulhere....	6	35	12	270 Impts.	2,100	2,100
20	Engelke, Grace W.....	58	..	..	52 Real Est.	200	100
21	Symon, George	4	24	7	160 Impts.	1,500	1,500
22	Alex. W. Richardson....	14	105	69	89 Impts.	2,000	2,000
23	J. Scott Leany.....	32	63	3	681 Impts.	1,950	1,300
24	Sophie, Emilie and Florence Wigand	40	55	..	695 Real Est.	1,300	1,300
24	Mrs. Sophie Wigand....	40	55	..	695 Impts.	2,300	2,300
26	Lily A. Albrecht.....	13	71	16	54 Impts.	4,100	4,100
27	Lily A. Albrecht.....	13	71	16	54 Impts.	2,400	2,400
28	Louis Pockwitz	13	35	65	40 Impts.	11,000	11,000
29	Louis S. Haas.....	12	55	7	15 Impts.	7,000	7,000
30	Rosalia Marks	25	2	22	151 Impts.	800	800
31	E. P. Burman.....	59	168	13	1 Impts.	1,600	1,200
32	Mary A. Christal.....	26	81	19	276 Impts.	1,100	1,100
33	Otto Lempke	11	44	10	414 Impts.	1,800	1,600
34	R. Huegle	33	16	11	696 Impts.	2,300	2,300
35	Frank McGovern	25	96	6	214 Impts. Assr's.	er. cler.	er. list
36	Adolph Pedroni	2	25	18	64 Impts.	2,200	2,200
37	Dora Steckler	27	92	9	356 Real Est.	5,070	5,070
38	Dora Steckler	26	80	22	276 Impts.	1,300	1,300
39	Dora Steckler	26	80	22	276 Real Est.	2,000	2,000
40	Dora Steckler	27	92	9	356 Impts.	2,600	2,600
41	Lawrence Smith	22	46	9	194 Impts.	1,900	1,700
42	Delia M. Montague.....	29	117	21	523 Impts.	2,400	2,400
43	Jos. Michalitschke	27	103	5	363 Impts.	4,800	4,800
44	J. Witt	12	92	22	94 Impts. Assr's.	er. cler.	er. list
45	J. Witt	12	92	22	93 Impts. Assr's.	er. cler.	er. list
46	J. Witt	12	87	22	11 Impts. Assr's.	er. cler.	er. list
47	M. C. and P. J. Ryan...	12	64	32	17 Impts.	800	800
48	A. Jacquemart	2	51	9	101 Impts.	3,000	1,500
49	Isaac F. Kydd.....	6	31	18	286 Impts.	6,600	6,600
50	Ed. Ainscon	24	86	4	146 Impts.	2,000	2,000
51	A. Mau Estate 1/2, M. C. Sadler 1/2	19	117	2	442 Real Est.	5,000	3,000
52	Thos. Foley	48	4	2	20 Real Est.	500	500
53	Thos. Foley	48	4	1	20 Real Est.	730	730
54	Annie Johnson	37	124	36	219 Real Est.	620	620
55	D. Johnson	37	124	35	219 Real Est.	400	400
56	John Fay	5	54	14	235 Real Est.	Assr's cler.	er list
57	John Fay	12	24	32	7 Real Est.	11,200	11,200
58	John Fay et al.....	24	7	11	81 Real Est.	10,500	10,500
59	Brooks, Melanie M.....	26	71	8	272 Real Est.	500	500
60	Brooks, Melanie M.....	26	71	8	272 Impts.	2,300	2,300
61	Hagmaier, Chas.....	27	121	1	372 Real Est.	14,200	14,200
62	Emile M. Pissis.....	5	27	3	217 Real Est.	Withdrawn.	

63	Fazackerley, R. E.....	4	97	2	199	Impts.	1,000	150
64	L. M. Olander	14	4	67	58	Impts.	2,000	1,700
65	Ella F. Young.....	48	23	14	5	Real Est.	560	560
66	Ella F. Young.....	48	23	14	4	Real Est.	550	550
67	Dolan, Mary	14	62	64	77	Impts.	500	250
68	Hock, Chas. M.....	6	67	5	284	Impts.	36,000	31,000
68	H. M. Hagemann.....	25	16	12	159	Real Est.	3,450	3,450
70	H. M. Hagemann.....	25	16	12	159	Impts.	950	600
71	Jas. O'Connor	50	69	15	...	Impts. Ass'rs. cler. er. list		
72	A. Siebrecht	15	24	1	101	Real Est.	Withdrawn	
73	A. Siebrecht	15	24	1	101	Impts.	2,800	1,000

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, the Board at the hour of 4:45 o'clock p. m., adjourned to meet

as a Board of Equalization Friday, July 12, 1912, at the hour of 2 p. m.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

FRIDAY, JULY 12, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Friday, July 12, 1912, 2 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of hearing all applicants who had filed sworn applications for corrections of assessments on the assessment books of real and personal property for the fiscal year 1912-1913.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan—10.

Quorum present.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher, presiding.

Consideration of Applications For Reduction of Assessments.

Applications for reduction of assessments were taken up, the applicants or their agents called, duly sworn, examined, and after consideration, said applications were disposed of as follows:

No.	Name of Applicant.	Vol.	Page	Sub.	Block	Assessor's Valuation	Assess't fixed at
74	F. O. Biermann.....	40	137	8	677 Impts.	\$3,000	\$2,700
75	Matilde Weiss.....	48	34	4	18 Impts.	3,400	3,400
76	E. D. Van Praag.....	6	95	4	299 Impts.	2,000	2,000
77	Johanna Wilkins.....	42	45	1	836 Real Est.	340	340
78	Johanna C. Wilkins...	42	46	23	836 Real Est.	340	340
79	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	38	27	20 Real Est.	500	500
80	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	7	22	3 Real Est.	890	890
81	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	7	23	3 Real Est.	890	890
82	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	100	47	49 Real Est.	210	210
83	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	100	49	49 Real Est.	210	210
84	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	100	48	49 Real Est.	210	210
85	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	7	21	3 Real Est.	890	890
86	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	58	8	31	3 Real Est.	2,670	2,670
87	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	4	25	2 Real Est.	900	900
88	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	4	20	2 Real Est.	830	830
89	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	72	39	37 Real Est.	530	530
90	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	19	8	10 Real Est.	430	430
91	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	37	14	20 Real Est.	400	400
92	Emanuel Lewis Inv. Co..	56	38	21	20 Real Est.	400	400
93	Idella Rosenthal.....	36	5	20	47 Real Est.	3,640	3,640
94	Margt. L. Hawthorne...	37	30	19	183 Impts.	2,400	2,000
95	J. H. Dieckmann.....	26	23	7	236 Impts.	4,700	4,000
96	Life Est. Minerva K. Frink	9	1	2	366 Impts.	300	300
97	Emma M. Sweigert.....	26	25	6	238 Impts.	4,800	4,800
98	Steve & Elsie Casey....	58	179	1	8 Impts.	600	400
99	Oliver Pearson.....	13	8	49	34 Impts.	3,000	3,000
100	Mrs. Chas. Maxwell....	26	114	34	294 Impts.	2,250	2,250
101	Ann H. Gleason.....	24	68	2	135 Impts.	1,950	1,950
102	Josephine Aubrey.....	29	72	9	501 Real Est.	2,150	2,150
103	Abby Frink Bickel....	9	9	118	366 Impts.	1,500	1,000
104	Geo. K. Frink.....	11	11	7	408 Impts.	1,500	1,200
105	John F. McGowan.....	48	172	5-6	D Impts.	1,350	1,150
106	Honora Daily	53	75	17-18	371 Real Est.	160	160

107 Honora Daily.....	53	63	30-31	332 Real Est.	400	400
108 Honora Daily.....	53	64	333	6 Real Est.	180	180
109 Elizabeth F. O'Brien....	53	94	5	139 Real Est.	600	600
110 Amanda Berry.....	47	177	11-14	C Real Est.	880	800
111 A. Seiller	51	140	479	... Real Est.	200	200
112 Emma Vonach	15	127	18	122 Impts.	1,500	1,500
113 Jacob Heyman Co.....	45	27	1	28 Impts. Assr's. cler. er. list	85,000	85,000
114 Russ Estate Co.....	2	44	1	73 Impts.	900	900
115 Wm. G. Loewe.....	56	120	40	57 Impts.	600	500
116 Wm. G. Loewe.....	56	149	2	75 Impts.	700	500
117 A. S. Lillie.....	46	123	34	7 Impts.	500	500
118 Mary Anne Holland.....	13	9	6	35 Impts.	490	450
119 Jas. Morse	48	92	10	21 Real Est.	1,000	750
120 Ella F. Young.....	48	23	6	14 Real Est.	450	450
121 Elsie Englehardt.....	30	105	9	590 Impts.	1,500	1,200
122 A. T. Fletcher.....	41	52	2	723 Real Est.	1,900	1,900
123 Louis Levy	56	121	4	58 Impts.	2,000	2,000
124 Louis Levy	56	121	5	58 Impts.	2,200	2,200
125 Louis Levy	56	121	6-7-8	58 Impts.	1,600	1,600
126 Louis Levy	56	121	4	58 Real Est.	880	880
127 Louis Levy	56	121	5	58 Real Est.	1,200	1,200
128 Louis Levy	56	121	6	58 Real Est.	1,200	1,200
129 Louis Levy	56	121	7	58 Real Est.	1,500	1,500
130 Louis Levy	56	121	8	61 Real Est.	1,200	1,200
131 Louis Levy	56	122	2	61 Real Est.	1,280	1,280
132 Louis Levy	56	122	3	61 Real Est.	1,280	1,280
133 Louis Levy	56	122	4	61 Real Est.	1,200	1,200
134 Louis Levy	56	122	5	61 Real Est.	1,200	1,200
135 Louis Levy	56	122	6	61 Real Est.	800	800
136 Louis Levy	56	122	7	74 Real Est.	8,200	8,200
137 Louis Levy	56	147	6	406 Real Est.	15,000	11,280
138 Oscar Heyman & Bro....	49	8	7	412 Real Est.	29,760	29,760
139 Oscar Heyman & Bro....	39	130	1	140 Real Est.	19,060	19,060
140 Oscar Heyman & Bro....	39	142	1	140 Impts.	3,500	1,500
141 John F. Farley.....	24	78	8	35 Impts.	150	50
142 John F. Farley.....	24	78	8	543 Impts.	2,000	1,800
143 M. A. McDonough.....	13	97	60	6 389 Real Est.	8,000	6,400
144 Dora Silverstein.....	30	34	28	132 Impts.	1,200	1,200
145 Robt. Day.....	19	95	6	10 Impts. Assr's. cler. er. list	26,500	26,500
146 Wm. H. & A. Bone.....	21	80	4 7/8	136 Impts.	3,410	3,410
147 Mark W. Levy.....	23	12	10	368 Real Est.	5,600	5,600
148 H. Levi & Co.....	18	91	3	302 Impts.	2,400	1,200
149 H. Levi & Co.....	9	20	23	306 Real Est.		
150 Leonora Mayer	27	5	25			
151 Frederick Atzeroth.....	19	64	3			

Relative to Increase of Pope and Talbot's Assessment.

The following communication was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, July 12, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Equalization, City Hall, San Francisco.

Gentlemen:—Your attention is respectfully called to that certain block situated and bounded by King, Third, Berry and Second streets, owned by Pope and Talbot.

Some six months ago, we had occasion to call the attention of the Assessor to the fact that said Pope and Talbot were only assessed for the block appearing on the map as 240 by 825 feet; whereas said Pope and Talbot received a McEnerney title for the block as 275 by 825 feet in size (the additional 35 by 825 feet being a long disputed strip).

From the books of the Assessor we note Mr. Pratt's statement as follows:

"Sub 2 to 5 inclusive, now 275 feet instead of 240 feet. No change in Real Estate Value". We urged the Assessor to double the assessment on that certain portion of the block of 35 by 825 feet, for the reason that it had been overlooked by him for the past years.

Would it not be just and equitable, that an assessment value be placed thereon and the proper taxes collected?

Respectfully,

CIVIC LEAGUE OF IMPROVEMENT CLUBS & ASS'NS.,

D. A. HAGENS,

Chairman, Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

ROBERT BEHLOW,
J. M. KEPNER,
JOHN GINTY.

Motion.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Hayden the Clerk was directed to send a special notice to Pope and Talbot citing them to appear before the Board of Equalization at its next meeting and show cause why they should not be assessed for that portion of Berry street now occupied by them.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 4:30 o'clock p. m. adjourned, to meet again as a Board of Equalization on Monday, July 15, 1912, at 10 a. m.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

MONDAY, JULY 15, 1912, 10 A. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Cal., Monday, July 15, 1912, 10 a. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pur-

suant to adjournment for the purpose of hearing all applicants who had filed sworn applications for corrections of assessments on the Assessment Books of Real and Personal Property for the fiscal year 1912-1913.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan.

Quorum present.

Supervisor J. Emmet Hayden presiding.

Consideration of Applications for Reduction of Assessments.

Applications for the reduction of assessments were taken up, the applicants or their agents called, duly sworn, examined and after consideration said applications were disposed of as follows:

No.	Name of Applicant.	Vol.	Page.	Sub.	Block.	Assessor's Valuation.	Assess't fixed at.
152	H. Heyneman	2	53	79	13 Real Est.	\$6,000	\$3,750
153	Frederick Gerken	28	103	15	441 Impts.	3,700	3,000
154	A. & F. J. Markgraf....	49	82	37	1 Impts.	400	400
155	Mary J. Markgraf.....	30	18	13	537 Impts.	2,800	2,800
156	R. A. Paugh.....	37	95	47	205 Real Est.	2,500	2,500
157	Daniel Roth	4	41	15	170 Impts.	32,000	32,000
158	Kath. McDonald	28	84	28	43 Impts.	5,500	5,500
159	Jane T. Dowling.....	23	88	17	61 Impts.	500	10
160	Jane T. White.....	1	5	23	C Real Est.	14,000	11,500
161	Winifred Lillon	21	109	22	160 Impts.	3,300	3,300
162	Sophia Friese	26	94	3	284 Real Est.	3,580	3,580
163	P. C. & M. E. Jordan...	29	27	11	463 Impts.	1,400	1,400
164	Hirschman & Co.....				Per. Prop.	100,730	50,000
165	Patrick C. & Mary C. Jordan	5	79	12	245 Real Est.	2,840	2,840
166	H. C. Meyers.....	36	115	41	153 Impts.	900	700
167	L. I. Brown.....	13	97	43	60 Impts.	1,600	1,300
168	Isaac Liebes	34	151	38	... Real Est.	6,500	6,500
169	Isaac Liebes	34	151	37	... Real Est.	4,690	4,690
170	Isaac Liebes	34	151	38	... Impts.	6,500	6,500
171	Isaac Liebes	34	151	37	... Impts.	6,500	6,500
172	Leon Liebes	26	62	3	267 Impts.	1,500	1,500
173	Geo. Skaller	3	78	1	135 Real Est.	19,930	19,930
174	Isidor Lowenberg	2	50	76	10 Real Est.	46,880	40,430
175	C. Riley	38	26	6	277 Real Est.	1,130	1,300
176	Cathe. Riley	42	78	1	870 Real Est.	840	840
177	Leon Blum	1	12	9	3 Real Est.	26,320	26,320
178	Carl E. Person.....	46	82	9	... Impts.	900	900
179	Wm. Power	56	104	24 1/2	51 Impts.	150	50
180	J. Brandenstein Inv. Co.	12	47	12	1 Impts.	2,000	2,000
181	M. Fisser	12	14	33	4 Real Est.	16,540	16,540
182	E. M. Coutt.....	26	18	19	277 Impts. Ass'rs, cler.		er, list
183	Realty Dock & Impt. Corp.	8	10	47	354 Impts.	450,000	450,000
184	Idella Rosenthal	36	5	20	47 Impts.	4,000	2,500
185	Auguste Goldtree	24	67	9	133 Impts.	3,200	3,200
186	Sterling Realty Co....	38	170-173	1-50	337 Real Est.	24,410	24,410
187	Sterling Realty Co....	40	26-29	1-51	636 Real Est.	28,250	28,250
188	Sterling Realty Co....	40	29-32	1-51	637 Real Est.	30,540	30,540

189 Sterling Realty Co....	42	55-57	1-36	848	Real Est.	24,960	24,960
190 Sterling Realty Co....	42	93-96	1-48	880	Real Est.	17,360	17,360
191 E. D. Ledrman.....	39	147-149	1 to 17 ^s , and 21	415	Real Est.	5,190	5,190
192 Agnes Kraemer	46	86	1	5	Impts.	1,500	1,500
193 John Henry Meredith..	31	46	16	639	Real Est.	500	200
194 I. H. Goldmeyer.....	6	55	27	277	Real Est.	3,680	3,680
195 I. H. Goldmeyer.....	36	19	6	61	Impts.	2,500	2,200
196 I. H. Goldmeyer.....	6	55	26	277	Impts.	2,600	2,600
197 B. F. Brisac and Maud H. Norton	1	6	6	D	Real Est.	12,790	12,790
198 Spring Valley Water Co.			Piping,	meters, etc.	6,865,497	6,865,497	
199 C. Runge	12	114	17	29	Impts.	4,200	2,500
200 Frank G. Clark.....			Soldier	exemption		1,000	Nil
201 Geo. K. Frink.....	54	69	15	248	Real Est.	900	900
202 J. L. Crittenden.....	36	3	43	46	Impts.	1,000	10
203 Ella O. Flitschen.....	7	14	18	325	Impts.	800	800
204 Alice Casev	34	40	25	833	Impts.	Withdrawn	
205 Richard Pahl	6	119	3	309	Impts.	9,000	9,000
206 Joseph Young	13	121	8-9-10	66	Impts.	9,000	7,500
207 Henry Stern	1	5	22	C	Real Est.	9,450	6,370
208 Ida Degner	25	77	13	204	Impts.	6,300	6,300
209 A. Devoto	28	29	5	390	Impts.	1,300	1,300
210 Jos. T. Cooney et al... 4	36	4	167	Impts.	12,000	12,000	
211 Zellerbach-Levison Co. 1	5	25	C	Real Est.	22,140	15,630	
212 Zellerbach-Levison Co. 1	5	25	48	Real Est.	25,250	20,290	
213 F. H. Klemclaus.....	13	80	56	30	Impts.	1,100	1,100
214 F. H. Klemclaus.....	20	100	1	66-67	Impts.	800	800
215 Mabel A. McGinn.....	32	25	2	671	Real Est.	1,360	1,360
216 Behlow Estate Co.....	39	148	7	415	Real Est.	2,550	2,550
217 Behlow Estate Co.....	39	129	1	403	Real Est.	30,310	30,310
218 Robert Behlow	39	148	8	415	Real Est.	1,280	1,280
219 Robert Behlow	39	148	10½	415	Real Est.	1,080	1,080
220 L. C. Levey.....	30	92	24½	581	Impts.	1,800	1,300
221 Eugenie I. Sielcken, Ex- ecutrix, Eugenie I. Cole	26	62	16	266	Impts.	7,000	3,000
222 John C. and Dora Lutz	31	23	29	612	Real Est.	2,220	2,220
223 John C. and Dora Lutz	31	23	29	612	Impts.	4,500	4,500
224 Gertrude T. French....	34	64	20	849	Impts.	4,200	4,200
225 T. H. Kleinclaus.....	14	13	75	68	Real Est.	880	880
226 T. H. Kleinclaus.....	14	14	90	68	Real Est.	2,280	2,280
227 F. and L. Carnes.....	1	5	24	C		8,750	7,500
228 Bertha Lipman	1	5	24½	C		17,500	15,000
229 Chas. M. Plum & Co..					Per. Prop.	20,565	13,000
230 E. O. Davis.....	4	42	14	198		47,970	47,970
231 E. H. Davis.....	4	42	14	171		30,000	25,000
232 Elise Behnke	56	120	40	57		900	900
233 J. A. Mize.....	50	76	17	Ducas	Tract	500	500
234 Anton Tallman	18	104	38	144-5		1,000	1,000
235 Attilde Volkman	32	71	2¾	685		4,200	4,200
236 C. Munich	29	41	23	471		800	Nil
237 Ella B. Sonntag.....	12	86	5	22		400	10

Relative to Assessment of Pope and Talbot.

A. G. Harms, representing Pope and Talbot, appeared in answer to summonses of the Clerk, and stated that he knew no reason why Pope and Talbot should not be assessed for that portion of Berry street to which it had obtained a McEnerney title.

D. A. Hagens, representing the Chamber of Commerce, also addressed the Board, urging that a double assessment be placed on Berry street property, inasmuch as it had escaped taxation last year.

Assessor Washington Dodge stated that he would assess the strip for \$55,950 for this year and for the same amount for last year, this being in proportion to the assessed valuation of the block. He stated that the assessment could not be imposed under the law for the period preceding last year.

Assessor's Arbitrary List Adopted.

Supervisor Murdock moved that Assessor's Arbitrary List be adopted.

Motion carried.

Corrections of Assessment Roll Approved and Adopted.

The following Resolution was presented and adopted:

J. R. No. 301.

Resolved, That the list of corrections on the Assessment Roll for the year 1912-1913, as presented by the Assessor, be and the same is hereby approved and adopted and the Clerk of this Board is hereby instructed to correct the Assessment Roll accordingly.

Motion.

Supervisor Murphy moved that all matters taken under advisement during the proceedings be denied and that recommendations of Assessor in all matters referred to him be concurred in.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 11:45 o'clock a. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

MONDAY, JULY 15, 1912, 2:30 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 15, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph being absent. Supervisor Murdock was called to the chair.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of July 8, 1912, was read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following report was presented by Supervisor Hayden, read and ordered filed:

Report of Public Welfare Committee on Inauguration of Municipal Bank Concerts.

July 15, 1912.

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors, San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

The Committee on Public Welfare reports the inauguration of Municipal Band concerts beginning Sunday, July 21, 1912, at Washington Square Park and invites the Mayor and members of the Board to attend the opening concert.

J. EMMET HAYDEN,
ANDREW J. GALLAGHER,
CHAS. A. MURDOCK.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

(3½ Per Cent Sewer Bonds.)

In answer to advertisement calling for proposals for the purchase of 3½ per cent sewer bonds, amounting to \$543,600, comprising all of the ninth, tenth and eleventh series, maturing 1913, 1914 and 1915, same to be opened at the hour of 3:00 p. m., this day, the following bill was received:

1. State Construction Company, \$34,000, ninth series, without interest coupons.

Awarding Bonds to State Construction Co.

Whereupon, the following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Jennings and adopted:

J. R. No. 303.

Resolved, That the bid of State Construction Company for the purchase of sewer bonds, issue 1904, to the amount of \$34,000, of the ninth series, without interest coupons at the par value thereof be and the same is hereby accepted and the Treasurer is hereby directed to deliver said bonds to State Construction Co. upon the payment of the purchase price therefor.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9560 (New Series). Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be made out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Neal Publishing Company, printing public documents (claim dated June 22, 1912)	\$581.50
Neal Publishing Company, printing public documents (claim dated June 15, 1912)	1,451.00
Neal Publishing Company, printing public documents (claim dated June 22, 1912)	545.35
L. Abrams, hauling, erecting and storing election booths (claim dated May 20, 1912)	1,487.30
Whitcomb Estate, by Jas Otis, Trustee, rents, June, 1912, 1217-45 Market street (claim dated June 28, 1912)	5,250.00

Herbert F. Dugan, drugs, City and County Hospital (claim dated June 22, 1912)	630.72	first payment, Section "C-2," North Point main (claim dated July 2, 1912)	1,574.94
Miller & Lux, Incorporated, meats, city and County Hospital (claim dated June 29, 1912)	563.63	Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, first payment, Section "M," North Point main (claim dated July 2, 1912)	2,537.37
Sherry-Freitas Company, Incorporated, groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated July 1, 1912)	514.91	Contra Costa Construction Company, fourth payment, Section "C," Ingleside outlet (claim dated July 2, 1912)	6,932.25
Sherry-Freitas Company, Incorporated, groceries, City and County Hospital (claim dated July 1, 1912)	1,054.10	Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Company, assignee of Keystone Construction Company, fourteenth payment, Mission street sewer (claim dated July 2, 1912)	2,064.00
Miller & Lux, Incorporated, meats, Relief Home (claim dated June 29, 1912)	1,811.90	<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
Sherry-Freitas Company, Incorporated, groceries, Relief Home (claim dated July 1, 1912)	966.78	Mahoney Bros., second payment, track construction (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$37,160.00
San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Poundkeeper, auto truck and crew, sanitation account (claim dated July 1, 1912)	600.00	<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.</i>	
Pacific Gas & Electric Company, lighting public buildings and streets (claim dated June 30, 1912)	33,656.69	Karl Ehrhart, second payment, Thirteenth avenue and Cabrillo street (claim dated July 3, 1912)	\$2,794.35
<i>Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>		<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.</i>	
J. H. Dockweiler, preparation of data, water supply sources (claim dated June 26, 1912)	\$3,435.50	Lauge & Bergstrom, final payment, Everett School Annex (claim dated June 13, 1912)	\$1,747.25
C. E. Grunsky, services and expenses, water supply investigations (claim dated July 1, 1912)	2,492.11	<i>Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Cyril Williams, Jr., services and expenses, water supply investigations (claim dated June 28, 1912)	1,248.35	United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company, Assignee of Lennig-Rapple Engineering Company, final payment, heating and ventilating, City and County Jail (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$3,957.50
<i>Library Fund, 1911-1912.</i>		Lennig-Rapple Engineering Company, extra work, heating and ventilating, Hall of Justice (claim dated February 21, 1912)	907.22
Emporium, books, San Francisco Public Library (claim dated June 30, 1912)	\$671.51	<i>San Francisco Hospital, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
Geo. A. Mullin, for G. E. Stechert & Company, books, San Francisco Public Library (claim dated June 30, 1912)	638.20	Ralston Iron Works, third payment, interior ornamental iron work (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$4,050.00
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>		Otis Elevator Company, third payment, elevators (claim dated June 29, 1912)	4,500.00
John Daniel, tenth payment, Section "G," North Point main (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$8,964.90	<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund 1908.</i>	
E. Rolandi, eighth payment, Section "E," North Point main (claim dated July 2, 1912)	11,080.30	Michael Murphy, eighth payment, Section 4, Contract 50 (claim dated July 2, 1912)	\$16,427.00
Daniel Contracting Company,		<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.</i>	
		Chas. E. Thomas Company,	

third payment, heating and ventilating, Girls' High School (claim dated July 2, 1912)	2,145.00
Wm. H. Henning, eighth payment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated July 2, 1912)	25,392.00
Chas. E. Thomas Company, fifth payment, heating and ventilating, Lowell High School (claim dated July 2, 1912)	2,287.50
Wm. Le Baron, second payment, painting, Lowell High School (claim dated June 27, 1912)	750.00
National Electric Company, final payment, electric work, John Swett School (claim dated June 3, 1912)	1,100.00

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9561 (New Series). Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For moving and fitting up departments in temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice, additional appropriation, out of item, "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets," etc., account 1911-12

\$10,000.00

For moving and fitting up departments in temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice, additional appropriation, out of item No. 549, "Paving, repaving, repairs to streets," etc., account 1912-13

5,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$205,825.20 and numbered consecutively 21,853 to 22,178 inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew

J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series). Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

The De Lisle Realty Co., damages to Hewes Building (claim dated June 30, 1912)	\$ 900.00
T. W. McClenahan & Co., in full, septic tank, Golden Gate Park (claim dated June 30, 1912)	1,245.00
Flinn & Treacy, final payment, paving, etc., Lyons street, between Union and Filbert (claim dated June 30, 1912)	2,455.52
J. W. Schouten & Co., lumber, engine houses Nos. 10 and 12 (claim dated June 30, 1912)	523.85
O. C. Holt, first payment, general construction, Engine house No. 28 (claim dated July 9, 1912)	1,485.00
Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co., assignee Keystone Construction Co., twelfth payment viaduct contract No. 32 (claim dated July 2, 1912) ...	12,554.35
Healy - Tibbitts Construction Co., thirteenth payment, Mission viaduct, between Bosworth and Springdale streets (claim dated July 2, 1912)	3,400.00
Peter Caubu, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated June 30, 1912)	643.50
Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.	
Fay Improvement Co., final payment, paving, etc., O'Farrell street, between Powell & Jones streets (claim dated July 6, 1912)	\$4,643.87
Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.	
J. F. O'Brien Co., fifth payment, sewers, etc., in	

Brannan street (claim dated July 9, 1912)... \$9,441.39

Library Fund, 1911-1912.

Louis J. Borie, Metz auto car, Public Library (claim dated June 30, 1912)..... \$575.00

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.

J. W. Carr, third payment, foundation and excavation (claim dated July 10, 1912)..... \$6,750.00

Public Building Fund, Series 1908, Garbage System.

The Destructor Company, fourth payment, contract No. 1, garbage disposal (claim dated July 10, 1912)..... \$24,104.44

McLean, Haggans & Aden, first payment, foundations, Islaias Creek incinerator, contract No. 3 (claim dated July 3, 1912)..... 3,866.25

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin & Co., artificial slate, Lowell High School (claim dated July 5, 1912).... \$2,932.33

Brandon & Lawson, final payment, brick work, Lowell High School (claim dated July 8, 1912)..... 750.00

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Ralston Iron Works, final payment, interior ornamental iron work, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 9, 1912)..... \$2,713.00

McLean, Haggans & Aden, final payment, general finish, power house and laundry, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 1, 1912)..... 6,359.25

Mangrum & Otter, final payment, kitchen apparatus, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 8, 1912)..... 6,510.00

R. McLean, final payment, cement floors, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 10, 1912)..... 4,684.10

Vulcan Iron Works, third payment, refrigerator and ice, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 9, 1912)..... 1,875.00

McSheehy Bros., interior finish, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 8, 1912), final payment.. 19,722.00

Troy Laundry Mach. Co., final payment, laundry plant, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 8, 1912)..... 3,751.50

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Healy Tibbitts Construction Co., final payment, construction pumping station No. 1 (claim dated July 9, 1912)... \$ 883.64

Enterprise Foundry Co., twenty-third payment, cast iron specials, contract No. 39 (claim dated July 9, 1912)..... 3,465.29

Caldwell & Co., third payment, construction pumping station No. 2, contract No. 34 (claim dated July 10, 1912)... 7,683.00

Robt. C. Storrie, fourth payment, hauling and laying cast iron mains, etc., section 1, contract No. 44 (claim dated July 3, 1912)..... 29,757.53

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Contra Costa Construction Co., final payment, construction section D-I, North Point main (claim dated June 10, 1912)..... \$5,148.70

F. Rolandi, ninth payment, section D-3, North Point main (claim dated July 11, 1912)... 2,470.52

F. Rolandi, final payment, section D-3, North Point main (claim dated July 11, 1912)..... 1,529.48

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

C. E. Grunsky, investigation water supply (claim dated July 1, 1912)..... \$1,425.00

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund.

City Attorney, for legal expenses, condemnation suits, lands in Civic Center..... \$800.00

Water Construction Fund, July 1, 1910.
Investigation of water supply sources for submission to Board of U. S. Army

Engineers	10,000.00
<i>Budget Item No. 549, for Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc.</i>	
For construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Sherman, Columbia and Folsom streets in front of Columbia Square	
	\$840.00
For sewer connections with septic tank in Golden Gate Park, contract to be let by Board of Public Works...	
	1,000.00

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

J. R. No. 302.

Whereas, Pursuant to Journal Resolution No. 191, the Supervisors did on the first day of July, 1912, receive, open and consider sealed proposals for the purchase of certain bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Issue of 1908.

Fire Protection Bonds to the amount of \$680,000.00, comprising 17 bonds of each year's maturity from 1916 to 1953, inclusive.

Sewer Bonds to the amount of \$400,000.00, comprising 10 bonds of each year's maturity from 1915 to 1954, inclusive.

School Bonds to the amount of \$400,000.00, comprising 16 bonds of each year's maturity from 1914 to 1938, inclusive.

Hospital Bonds to the amount of \$180,000.00, comprising 9 bonds of each year's maturity from 1913 to 1932, inclusive.

City Hall Bonds.

City Hall Bonds to the amount of \$2,640,000.00, comprising 60 bonds of each year's maturity from 1917 to 1960, inclusive.

Exposition Bonds.

Exposition Bonds to the amount of \$1,000,000.00, comprising 40 bonds of each year's maturity from 1915 to 1939, inclusive; and

Whereas, a bid from N. W. Halsey & Company, Bond and Goodwin, A. B. Leach and Watson & Presprich was on said day received for the purchase of all of said bonds offered for sale at a price therefor of \$5,542,321.00; now, therefore

Resolved, That the said bid of N. W. Halsey & Company, Bond and Goodwin, A. B. Leach and Watson & Presprich (the same being the highest and best bid offered for said bonds) be and the same is hereby accepted, and the said bonds are hereby struck off and sold to said N. W. Halsey & Co., Bond and Goodwin, A. B. Leach and Watson & Presprich, for the sum of \$5,542,321.00 and accrued interest at the date of delivery in accordance with the terms of said Journal Reso-

lution No. 191, the notice of sale given in pursuance to said Resolution and the bid submitted therefor; and that all other bids be rejected, and the Clerk of the Board is directed to return all checks and deposits to unsuccessful bidders.

Further Resolved, That the Finance Committee of this Board is hereby authorized and instructed to arrange for the delivery of the aforesaid bonds.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

One day of Rest in Seven for City Employees.

J. R. No. —

Whereas, The Commissioner of the State of California has called the attention of city officials to the fact that in several departments the Statute providing for "One day's rest in seven," is not being obeyed;

Resolved, That the Finance and Efficiency Committees jointly are requested to report to this Board the procedure and appropriation as may be necessary to bring all departments under the operation of the law, and the employees thereof into the enjoyment of one day's rest in seven, since this municipality should set an example in obedience to these measures.

Referred to Finance and Efficiency Committees.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Leaves of Absence.

J. R. No. 304.

Resolved, That Justice of Peace, Chas. E. A. Creighton, be and he is hereby granted a leave of absence of sixty days, with permission to leave the State, commencing July 15, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Also J. R. 305.

Resolved, That Supervisors Byron Mauzy, J. Emmet Hayden and G. E. Caglieri be and they are hereby granted a leave of absence, commencing July 20, 1912, for a period of thirty days, with permission to leave the State.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Also J. R. No. 306.

Resolved, That the typographical error in Resolution No. 9381 (New Series), wherein D. Estacaille is granted an engine and boiler permit, be changed and corrected to read "laundry and boiler" permit, as was the intention of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Board of Public Works to Remove Shacks.
J. R. 307.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and empowered, in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 1139 (New Series) to serve notices on owners of the following frame buildings within the fire limits to cause same to be removed within five days from the date of service of said notice, and in the event of their failure to do so, authorized and empowering said Board to cause re-

moval of such buildings, to-wit:

Location.	Owner.
North line of Minna street, 90 feet east of Ninth street....	Mrs. Myer
938 Howard street.....	Mrs. Staake
Southwest corner Fourth and Minna streets....	Rudden, Dunn et al.
Southeast corner Fourth and Mission streets.....	C. O. Voorman
111 Fremont street.	Mrs. W. P. Fuller
41-45 Commercial street.....	
.....	W. F. Barton
195 Drumm street.....	A. H. Audiffred
59 Clay street.....	J. J. McCarthy
23-25 East street.....	Cowell Estate
Nos 5 & 7 Clay street.	Cowell Estate
109 Jackson street..	J. B. DeMartini
46 Sacramento street..	W. F. Barton
West line of Hyde street, south of O'Farrell.....	F. Maguire

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 4 p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors July 22, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.

Monday, July 22, 1912

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JULY 22, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 22, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meetings of July 9, 12 and 15, 1912, was approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From the Auditor, addressed to his Honor the Mayor, relative to his communication of April 24, 1912, in re recommendation of an ordinance authorizing the Auditor to appoint as additional employees a stenographer, bond clerk and an expert accountant for his office (minors' refund from State), and fixing their compensation; and setting forth that the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors appropriated money in the new budget for the compensation of said employees at the rate of \$125.00 per month.

The Auditor also transmitted drafts of bills and ordinances authorizing the appointment of such employees.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Murphy, said bills were ordered passed to print and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Bill No. 2190, Ordinance No. — (New Series), An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 1525, approved June 15, 1905.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. Ordinance No. 1525, approved June 15, 1905, is hereby repealed.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect from and after July 1, 1912.

Bill No. 2191, Ordinance No. — (New Series), An Ordinance authorizing the Auditor to appoint as additional employees a stenographer-bond clerk and an expert, minors' refund from state, and fixing their compensation.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. In accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor the Auditor is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint as additional employees a stenographer-bond clerk and an expert, minors' refund from State.

Section 2. The compensation of each of said additional employees is hereby fixed at fifteen hundred (\$1500.00) dollars per annum, and they shall be appointed pursuant to the provisions of Article XIII of the Charter.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect from and after July 1, 1912.

Communication—From his Honor the Mayor, transmitting notice of his appointment, in accordance with provisions of the Charter, of Mr. J. O. Low to the office of Tax Collector, for the unexpired term of Mr. David Bush, deceased, as follows, to-wit:

San Francisco, Cal. July 22, 1912.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, California—Gentlemen: Mr. David Bush, Tax Collector of the City and County of San Francisco, died on July 7, 1912.

By virtue of the authority vested in me under Section 4, Chapter 1, Article 4 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, I beg to advise you that I have appointed Mr. J. O. Low his successor, who shall hold office for the remainder of the unexpired term of Mr. David Bush, deceased.

The appointment of Mr. J. O. Low as Tax Collector is in direct line with Civil Service.

He has been the executive officer of the Tax Collecting Office for more than two terms. He is familiar with the duties, and has rendered the community excellent service.

His promotion is suggested by business efficiency in municipal affairs, and is a recognition of faithful service.

The demand for effectiveness in public service was never so great. Our municipal problems require trained minds and skilled hands and the suppression of politics.

Mr. Low's experience and record point to him, in my judgment, as the best man for the place.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees reported on various matters referred, which reports were presented, read and ordered filed:

Supplies Committee—By Supervisor Koshland.

Lighting and Rates Committee—By Supervisor Nolan.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9562 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

The De Lisle Realty Co, damages to Hewes Building (claim dated June 30, 1912)	\$900.00
T. W. McClenahan & Co., in full, septic tank, Golden Gate Park (claim dated June 30, 1912)	1,245.00
Flinn & Treacy, final payment, paving, etc., Lyons street between Union and Filbert (claim dated June 30, 1912)	2,455.52
J. W. Schouten & Co., lumber, engine houses Nos. 10 and 12 (claim dated June 30, 1912)	523.85
O. C. Holt, first payment, general construction, Engine House No. 28 (claim dated July 9, 1912)	1,485.00
Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., assignee Keystone Construction Co., twelfth payment, viaduct, contract No. 32 (claim dated July 2, 1912)	12,554.35
Healy-Tibbitts Construction	

Co., thirteenth payment, Mission Viaduct between Bosworth and Springdale streets (claim dated July 2, 1912) ..	3,400.00
Peter Cauba, milk City and County Hospital (claim dated June 30, 1912)	643.50
Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.	
Fay Improvement Co., final payment, paving, etc., O'Farrell street between Powell and Jones streets (claim dated July 6, 1912) ..	\$4,643.87
Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904.	
J. F. O'Brien Co., fifth payment, sewers, etc., in Brannan street (claim dated July 9, 1912)	\$9,441.39
Library Fund, 1911-1912.	
Louis J. Borie, Metz Auto Car, Public Library (claim dated June 30, 1912)	\$575.00
Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.	
J. W. Carr, third payment, foundation and excavation (claim dated July 10, 1912)	\$6,750.00
Public Building Fund, Series 1908, Garbage System.	
The Destructor Co., fourth payment, contract No. 1, Garbage Disposal (claim dated July 10, 1912)	\$24,104.44
McLean, Haggans & Aden, first payment, foundations, Islais Creek incinerator, contract No. 3 (claim dated July 3, 1912)	3,866.25
School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.	
Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin & Co., artificial slate, Lowell High School (claim dated July 5, 1912)	\$2,932.33
Brandon & Lawson, final payment, brick work, Lowell High School (claim dated July 8, 1912)	750.00
San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.	
Ralston Iron Works, final payment, interior ornamental iron work, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 9, 1912)	\$2,713.00
McLean, Haggans & Aden, final payment, general finish, power house and laundry, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 1, 1912)	6,359.25

Mangrum & Otter, final payment, kitchen apparatus, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 8, 1912)	6,510.00
R. McLean, final payment, cement floors, S. F. Hospital (claim dated June 10, 1912) ..	4,684.10
Vulcan Iron Works, third payment, refrigerator and ice, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 9, 1912)	1,875.00
McSheehy Bros., final payment, interior finish, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 8, 1912)	19,722.00
Troy Laundry Machinery Co., final payment, laundry plant, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 8, 1912) ..	3,751.50
<i>Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., final payment, construction pumping station No. 1 (claim dated July 9, 1912) ..	\$883.64
Enterprise Foundry Co., twenty-third payment, cast iron specials, contract 39 (claim dated July 9, 1912) ..	3,465.29
Caldwell & Co., third payment, construction, pumping station No. 2, contract No. 34 (claim dated July 10, 1912) ..	7,683.00
Robt. C. Storrie, fourth payment, hauling and laying cast iron mains, etc., Section 1, contract 44 (claim dated July 3, 1912)	29,757.53
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
Contra Costa Construction Co., final payment, construction section "D-1," North Point main (claim dated June 10, 1912)	\$5,148.70
F. Rolandi, ninth payment, Section "D-3," North Point main (claim dated July 11, 1912) ..	2,470.52
F. Rolandi, ninth payment, Section "D-3," North Point main (claim dated July 11, 1912) ..	1,529.48
<i>Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
C. E. Grunsky, investigation water supply (claim dated July 1, 1912)	\$1,425.00
Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.	

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9563 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund.

City Attorney, for legal expenses, condemnation suits, lands in Civic Center..... \$800.00
Water Construction Fund, July 1, 1910.

Investigation of water supply sources for submission to Board of U. S. Army Engineers .. \$10,000.00
Budget Item No. 549, "For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc."

For construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Sherman, Columbia and Folsom streets, in front of Columbia Square \$840.00
 For sewer connections with septic tank in Golden Gate Park, contract to be let by Board of Public Works.... 1,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$198,565.84, numbered consecutively, 22,179 to 22,648, inclusive, were presented and ordered paid on recommendation of the Finance Committee.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorization.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series): Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1912-13. Budget Item No. 34, Investigation of Public Utilities.

Bion J. Arnold, for month of June (claim dated July 17, 1912) \$3,032.16

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Levison Printing Co., for books, etc. (claim dated June 29, 1912) \$959.61

Western Rock Products Co., lime stone dust (claim

dated June 30, 1912).... 532.23
 Healy-Tibbitts Construction
 Co., Mission Viaduct, progress
 payment (claim dated
 July 10, 1912)..... 15,000.00
 P. J. Gartland, tearing up
 streets fund (claim dated
 June 30, 1912) 835.80

*Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue
 1910.*

J. H. Dockweiler, investigat-
 ing water supply (claim
 dated July 10, 1912)..... \$1,048.15
 Kent Haven, investigating
 water supply (claim dated
 June 28, 1912)..... 635.90

*Street Improvement Account, 1904
 Bond Issue.*

Fay Improvement Co., How-
 ard street, Second street
 westerly (claim dated July
 17, 1912) \$3,777.09

*Public Building Fund, 1908, North
 Point Sewer.*

F. Rolandi, progress payment
 (claim dated July 17,
 1912) .. \$32,212.99

*School Bond Fund, 1908, Lowell High.
 Whitman, Lyman & Co.*

(claim dated June 24, 1912) \$1,194.00

Fire Protection Bonds, 1908.

Coast Improvement Co.
 (claim dated July 13, 1912) \$4,035.53

Park Fund.

National Ice Cream Co.
 (claim dated June 11, 1912) \$595.57

Spring Valley Water Co.
 (claim dated June 21, 1912) 1,991.69

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

Lowry & Daly, San Francisco
 Hospital, third progress
 payment (claim dated July
 10, 1912) \$10,050.00

Appropriation.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
 ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$4000 be
 and the same is hereby set aside, ap-
 propriated and authorized to be ex-
 pended out of the proceeds of the sale
 of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, in addi-
 tion to \$30,000 heretofore appropriated
 for the construction of sewer and ap-
 purtenances in Oak street and in Stan-
 yan street.

Directing that Certain Unsold Bonds of
 1904 Issue be Placed on Sale at the Of-
 fice of the Treasurer of the City and
 County and Fixing a Price at Which
 Such Bonds may be Sold, to-wit:

Bill No. 2192, Ordinance No. —
 (New Series), entitled, "Reciting that
 certain bonds of the issue of 1904 re-
 main unsold after having been adver-
 tised for sale, no bids therefor having
 been received, and directing that such
 unsold bonds be placed on sale at the

office of the Treasurer of the City and
 County, and fixing the price at which
 such bonds may be sold by the said
 Treasurer of said City and County."

Adopted.

The following resolutions were
 adopted and numbered as follows, to-
 wit:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for
 Proposals for the Construction of a
 Sewer in Brannan Street.

Resolution No. 9564 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public
 Works be and is hereby directed to ad-
 vertise for proposals for the construc-
 tion of a sewer in Brannan street, from
 First street to Central place, in accord-
 ance with specifications No. 8348, which
 are hereby approved:

Further resolved, That the Board of
 Public Works be directed to report im-
 mediately to the Board of Supervisors
 the opening of the bids and the amount
 bid: When this is done the Finance
 Committee of the Board of Supervi-
 sors will set aside a sufficient sum out
 of proceeds of 1904 sewer bonds to
 cover the above work.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, A. J.
 Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings,
 Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy,
 Nolan, Payot—11.

Board of Park Commissioners Urged to
 Set Aside Sufficient Amount of Its
 Funds to Repair the Roadway of Sloat
 and Junipero Serra Boulevards, and
 Keep Same in Best Condition Possible.

J. R. No. 308.

Whereas, for several years past the
 Park Commission has, through arrange-
 ments with the Board of Supervisors
 and by budget appropriation, kept in
 repair the Sloat and Junipero Serra
 boulevards, and it is the intention of
 the Board of Supervisors that this
 work shall be continued by the Park
 Commissioners, and

Whereas, these said boulevards
 should be immediately repaired for the
 safety and convenience of the public;
 be it

Resolved, That the Board of Park
 Commissioners is urged by the Board
 of Supervisors to set aside sufficient
 amount of its funds to repair the road-
 way of Sloat and Junipero Serra bou-
 levards and to keep same in the best
 condition possible.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, A. J.
 Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings,
 Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy,
 Nolan, Payot—11.

Advertising for Proposals to Furnish
 Certain Supplies, to-wit:

J. R. No. 309.

Resolved, That the Supplies Com-
 mittee be and is hereby directed to

advertise for proposals for one street-flushing machine for use by the Department of Public Works; payment therefor to be made from Budget Item No. 553.

Ayes — Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Also, J. R. No. 310.

Resolved, That the Supplies Committee be and is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for one adding machine for use in the Treasurer's office; payment therefor to be made from Budget Item No. 33.

Ayes — Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Resolution No. 9565 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution No. 9350 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, adopted March 18, 1912, and approved March 20, 1912, declaring it to be the intention of said Board of Supervisors to order the construction of a tunnel under the elevation known as "The Twin Peaks Ridge," in the City and County of San Francisco, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ayes — Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Also, Resolution No. 9566 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution No. 9351 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, adopted March 18, 1912, and approved March 20, 1912, declaring it to be the intention of said Board of Supervisors to order the acquisition of certain easements or rights-of-way for the construction of a tunnel or tunnels under the Twin Peaks Ridge in said City and County, and also declaring it to be the intention of said Board of Supervisors to order the acquisition of certain lands for the construction of said tunnel or tunnels, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ayes — Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Also, Resolution No. 9567 (New Series). Declaring that the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco deems that the public interest and convenience require the construction for public uses of a tunnel within the City and County, and describing the route of said tunnel, etc.

That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to order the construction of a tunnel with appurtenances under the elevation known as the "Twin Peaks Ridge," in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, in the place and in the manner specified more fully therein, with general description of the construction contemplated.

Ayes — Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Also, Resolution No. 9568 (New Series). Declaring that it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to order the acquisition of certain lands, more fully described therein, in fee simple for and as being necessary and convenient for the construction of a tunnel or tunnels in said City and County, and known as the Twin Peaks Ridge, and for the construction of a portal or portals and an entrance or entrances thereto.

Ayes — Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Also, J. R. No. 311.

Resolved, That Justice of the Peace Charles E. A. Creighton is hereby granted a leave of absence of sixty days, with permission to leave the State, commencing August 1, 1912; and be it

Further resolved, That Journal Resolution No. 304 is hereby repealed.

Ayes — Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Also, J. R. No. 312.

Resolved, That Supervisor William H. McCarthy be and he is hereby granted a leave of absence, with permission to leave the State, for a period of 30 days, commencing July 22, 1912.

Ayes — Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Also, J. R. No. 313.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas & Electric Company be and is hereby instructed to install and remove gas

lamps and arc lamps at each of the following locations, to wit:

Install Arc Lamps.

One arc lamp at the east side of Eighth avenue, between California and Lake streets.

One arc lamp at the south side of Commercial street, about 110 feet west of Montgomery street.

Install Gas Lamps.

One gas lamp at southeast corner of Hayes and Scott streets.

One gas lamp at the west side of Scott street, 91 feet south of Hayes street.

One gas lamp at east side of Scott street, 183 feet south of Hayes street.

One gas lamp at north side of Broadway, 55 feet west of Mason street.

Remove Gas Lamp.

One gas lamp north side of Broadway, 103 feet west of Mason street.

Further Resolved, That Journal Resolution No. 270, adopted June 17, 1912, is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—11.

Matters Referred.

Supervisor Murphy presented a Bill and Ordinance, entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the days and hours of business of pawnbrokers, junk dealers and dealers in second hand wares, merchandise and commodities, and fixing the penalty for the violation thereof," and upon his motion was referred to the Police Committee.

Supervisor A. J. Gallagher presented a Resolution urging that the United States Supervising Inspector of Steam Vessels immediately investigate conditions obtaining upon the ferryboats of the Northwestern Pacific Railroad, and

insist upon the compliance with the United States statutes designed to safeguard the lives of persons who patronize ferryboats plying between this city and Sausalito, and upon motion of Supervisor Hayden was referred to the Public Utilities Committee.

Supervisor Hayden was heard at length and expressed the appreciation of the public for the music rendered by the municipally paid bands giving concerts in the various parks of the city.

His Honor the Mayor called attention to Charter provisions requiring all municipal officers and departments to file annual reports and requested that the Efficiency Committee give the matter its attention and also urged expedition in the matter of the plans and construction of the Civic Center and City Hall.

His Honor further suggested that a committee be appointed to appropriately receive the various visiting officials of cities of the United States and of Europe who are arriving in the city from time to time, particularly Mayor Gaynor of New York City, whom reports indicate would visit San Francisco in August, and called the attention of the Exposition Committee of the Board to give the matter its consideration.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Hayden the Exposition Committee was requested to make such arrangements as may be deemed appropriate for the reception of said officials.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 3:45 p. m., adjourned to meet Monday, July 29, 1912, at the regular hour.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, July 29, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisor, of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JULY 29, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 29, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met, pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of July 22, 1912, was approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

His Honor the Mayor announced the presence of Mr. D. S. Wilcox, Franchise Expert of the Public Service Commission of New York, who was thereupon introduced.

The gentleman addressed the Board and in brief expressed his keen appreciation of the manner of progress in the construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad.

His Honor further presented a communication setting forth that he had been advised that his Imperial Japanese Majesty, the Emperor of Japan, had died at midnight July 28, 1912, and that it is with sincere regret that this sad news is received. That his Imperial Japanese Majesty has been one of the most progressive monarchs of modern ages. He has been the head of the institutions of a friendly nation whose commercial relations with this port are very close and important; and respectfully suggested that the flags on all public buildings in this city be ordered to fly at half-mast from tomorrow until after the funeral of the Emperor of Japan, as a token of sincere respect, and expressing the regret that the people of San Francisco feel for the people of Japan in

the loss of their beloved ruler who has been a friend of this city and this nation, and on motion of Supervisor Jennings the communication was received and the suggestions of his Honor the Mayor adopted.

Also, from his Honor, the Mayor, transmitting a communication from the Mission Promotion Association, enclosing a copy of its resolution urging the Mayor, the Board of Supervisors and the City Attorney to prosecute without delay a vigorous campaign to procure the use of the Hetch Hetchy Valley as the basis of an adequate water supply for the City and County of San Francisco, which upon motion was referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

Also, from his Honor the Mayor, communication relative to a convention of the State Highway Commission to be held in the St. Francis Hotel; and requested that the matter be referred to Supervisor Hayden, chairman of the Publicity and Inter-urban Relations Committee, to represent the city at the said meeting.

Also, from his Honor the Mayor, transmitting the approval of the appointment of an additional corporal of police over and above the number of corporals specified in the budget for the fiscal year 1912-13, in accordance with the application of the Board of Police Commissioners. That in compliance with the language of Section XXXV, Article 16 of the Charter, he made investigation as to the necessity for the appointment of such additional corporal and found the same to be necessary and therefore recommends that the Board of Police Commissioners be authorized to appoint an additional corporal at a salary of one hundred and thirty (\$130.00) dollars per month; which upon motion was referred to the Finance Committee.

Also, from his Honor the Mayor, communication with notice of his appointment of Mr. John Ginty to the office of Assessor of the City and County of San Francisco, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. Washington Dodge, as follows:

San Francisco, Cal., July 23, 1912.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, California—Gentlemen: Dr. Washington Dodge, Assessor of the City and County of San Francisco, called upon me this afternoon, handing me his written resignation, addressed as follows:

"San Francisco, July 23, 1912.

"To the Honorable James Rolph, Jr., Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco—Dear Sir: Having accepted a position which will interfere with the discharge of my official duties, I hereby tender my resignation as Assessor. Yours very respectfully,

(Signed) WASHINGTON DODGE."

It has been with deep regret that I am reluctantly compelled to accept his resignation, to take effect August 1, 1912.

The resignation of Dr. Washington Dodge withdraws from the public service one of the ablest and most efficient officials San Francisco has ever known. He has been elected to the office of Assessor five times by the electorate of our city, and has served fourteen years, practically a lifetime.

During his incumbency, he has vastly elevated the office of Assessor in importance, dignity and effectiveness. He has enjoyed the full confidence of the public.

As the official head of the city I keenly regret his departure from its service.

By virtue of authority vested in me, under Section IV, Chapter I, Article 4 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, I have this evening appointed Mr. John Ginty his successor, who shall hold office for the remainder of the unexpired term of Dr. Washington Dodge, resigned.

Previous to my deciding upon the appointment of Mr. Ginty, I have received and considered the following statement to me by Dr. Dodge:

"I know of no one in the city that could begin to discharge the duties of the office as efficiently as Mr. John Ginty. He is thoroughly informed on the laws governing taxation, and has always taken a deep interest in matters relating to this subject previous to his connection with the office. I engaged him as my Chief Deputy on account of his expert knowledge."

In appointing Mr. John Ginty, Chief Deputy in the office, and which position he has held between four and five years, I feel that I may best insure to the people a continuance of the character of administration that Assessor Dodge has given.

Mr. Ginty has a scientific knowledge of assessments; he is a man of un-

questioned integrity, courteous and obliging.

I am sure that all public reasons point to the wisdom, propriety and advisability of his selection, and are in direct line with my policy of civil service and recognition of faithful service.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Also, from his Honor the Mayor, communication transmitting a copy of his letter forwarded to the Board of Public Works in the matter of the extension and construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad tracks on Market street, as follows:

San Francisco, July 29, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, California—Gentlemen: I beg to transmit to you herewith a copy of my communication of July 25, 1912, to the Honorable Board of Public Works, relating to the construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad and the request I have made of them to present plans and specifications for the track and roadbed and construction from the present terminus at Geary and Kearny streets, down Market street, to connect with the outer tracks on Market street below Sutter street, and to have same ready for presentation to your Honorable body on the 12th day of August next; which is self-explanatory.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,
Mayor.

San Francisco, Cal., July 25, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works, San Francisco, California—Dear Sirs: The progress of construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad is such as to enable the people to expect the benefits of its service within a reasonable time.

It becomes the immediate duty of the administration to consider by what methods the advantages of that system may be extended and enlarged, so that no opportunity or time may be wasted in improving San Francisco's street car transportation.

In the Declaration of Principles given to the people during my candidacy for Mayor, I said:

"Adequate street railway transportation is, at this time, one of the city's gravest problems.

"The greatness and success of a city depends, in a large measure, upon the facility with which the people are transported between their homes and places of work. A rapid and efficient transportation system extending to all

parts of San Francisco is a necessity. The street railway service must be substantially improved, and, as Mayor, I shall exercise the full authority of my office to obtain from holders of existing franchises the best possible service.

"I realize that more is needed than criticism that suggests no remedy, but whatever the law permits me to do to modernize street car service in San Francisco will be done.

"I have always favored the Geary Street Municipal Road; I will do my utmost to expedite its completion. As rapidly as money can be obtained, I shall favor its expansion and extension wherever the law permits, until it becomes a great municipal system."

On that platform I was elected; and that Declaration of Principles constitutes my contract with the citizens of San Francisco.

On the completion of the present plans for the Geary Street Road there will exist, in direct connection with the finished work, two blocks on Market street, from Geary to Sansome, which the city has the right to occupy and use—that is, extending from the Kearny street terminus of the Geary Street Road to the beginning of the Sutter street railroad tracks at Sansome street, now a matter of contention in the courts and claimed by the city under the decision rendered by Judge Seawell.

These two blocks on our main thoroughfare should be constructed without delay.

To accomplish this object, I request you to direct your engineering department to prepare plans and specifications for the track and roadbed from the present terminus at Geary and Kearny streets down Market, to connect with the outer tracks on Market street, below Sutter street.

The Board of Supervisors will convene on the 12th day of August, and it is desired that you have these plans and specifications completed, so that they may be presented to the Board at that meeting, to the end that the Board may authorize bids being invited and a contract entered into for the carrying out of this work without loss of time.

I trust that nothing will be permitted by you to interfere with these plans and specifications being in readiness at that time.

Yours very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, Jr.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Which upon motion was referred to the Public Utilities Committee.

Also, from his Honor the Mayor, transmitting two volumes covering the report and findings of Engineers O'Shaughnessy, Holmes and Eckert, in connection with the controversy existing between the Board of Public Works and the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company regarding the Twin Peaks reservoir, and upon motion the said volumes and report were received and placed on file.

Also, from his Honor the Mayor, communication from the League of American Municipalities advising that the next convention of the League will be held in Buffalo, September 18, 19 and 20, and hoping that the City of San Francisco will be represented at said meeting; which was upon motion referred to the Efficiency Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Supplies Committee—By Supervisor Koshland, presented a report on various matters referred, which was read and ordered filed.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

The following proposals were presented and ordered referred to the Supplies Committee, to-wit:

For Purchase of One Street Flushing Machine.

From Studebaker Bros. & Co., at \$700.00.

From A. L. Young Machinery Co., at \$1,350.00.

For Purchase of One Adding Machine.

From Burroughs Adding Machine Co., at following prices: For a nine-bank electric adding machine, \$450, less 2 per cent for cash; for a nine-bank duplex, \$525.00; for a nine-bank duplex electric, \$575.00.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9569 (New Series). Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1912-13, *Budget Item No.*
34, *Investigation of Public Utilities.*
Bion J. Arnold, for month of
June (claim dated July 17,
1912) \$3,032.16

General Fund, 1911-12.

Levison Printing Co., for
books, etc. (claim dated

June 29, 1912)	\$959.61
Western Rock Products Co., lime, stone dust (claim dated June 30, 1912)	532.23
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., Mission Viaduct, progress payment (claim dated July 10, 1912)	15,000.00
P. J. Gartland, tearing up streets fund (claim dated June 30, 1912)	835.80
<i>Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910.</i>	
J. H. Dockweiler, investigating water supply (claim dated July 10, 1912)	\$1,048.15
Kent Haven, investigating water supply (claim dated June 28, 1912)	635.90
<i>Street Improvement Account, 1904 Bond Issue.</i>	
Fay Improvement Co., How- ard street, Second street westerly (claim dated July 17, 1912)	\$3,777.09
<i>Public Building Fund, 1908, North Point Sewer.</i>	
F. Rolandi, progress payment (claim dated July 17, 1912) ..	\$32,212.99
<i>School Bond Fund, 1908, Lowell High.</i>	
Whitman, Lyman Co. (claim dated June 24, 1912)	\$1,194.00
<i>Fire Protection Bonds, 1908.</i>	
Coast Improvement Company (claim dated July 13, 1912) ..	\$4,035.53
<i>Park Fund.</i>	
National Ice Cream Co. (claim dated June 11, 1912) ..	\$595.57
Spring Valley Water Co. (claim dated June 21, 1912) ..	1,991.69
<i>Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Lowry & Daly, San Francisco Hospital, third progress payment (claim dated July 10, 1912)	\$10,050.00
<i>Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jen- nings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.</i>	
<i>Resolution No. 9570 (New Series).</i>	
Resolved, That the sum of \$4,000 be and the same is hereby set aside, ap- propriated and authorized to be ex- pended out of the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1904, in addi- tion to \$30,000 heretofore appropriated, for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Oak street and in Stanyan street.	
<i>Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jen- nings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.</i>	
<i>Bill No. 2190, Ordinance No. 1966</i>	

(New Series). An ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 1525, approved June 15, 1905.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. Ordinance No. 1525, approved June 15, 1905, is hereby repealed.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect from and after July 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

Bill No. 2191, Ordinance No. 1967 (New Series). An ordinance authorizing the Auditor to appoint as additional employees a stenographer-bond clerk and an expert, Minors' Refund from State, and fixing their compensations.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. In accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor the Auditor is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint as additional employees a stenographer-bond clerk and an expert, Minors' Refund from State.

Section 2. The compensation of each of said additional employees is hereby fixed at fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars per annum, and they shall be appointed pursuant to the provisions of Article XIII of the Charter.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect from and after July 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

Bill No. 2192, Ordinance No. 1968 (New Series). Reciting that certain bonds of the issue of 1904 remain unsold after having been advertised for sale, no bids therefor having been received, and directing that such unsold bonds be placed on sale at the office of the Treasurer of the City and County, and fixing the price at which such bonds may be sold by the said Treasurer of said City and County.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby recited and declared that on the 1st day of July 1912, the Board of Supervisors adopted Journal Resolution No. 283, directing the Clerk of said Board to give notice in the official newspaper that on the 15th day of July, 1912, the said Board would receive proposals to purchase certain bonds of the City and County

of the issue of 1904, described as follows:

Sewer Bonds—All of the ninth, tenth and eleventh series of the Sewer Bonds, amounting to \$543,600.00, maturing June 30, 1913, 1914 and 1915.

That in compliance with said resolution the Clerk of said Board did cause to be published for ten days in the official newspaper a notice of said sale as required by the Charter of the City and County.

That thereafter, on the 15th day of July, 1912, at the hour of 3:00 p. m., at the chambers of the Board of Supervisors, that being the time and place fixed by said resolution and notice for receiving, opening and considering bids for the purchase of said described bonds, the Board of Supervisors did receive, open and consider and accept a bid as follows:

From the State Construction Company, for \$34,000.00 worth of Sewer Bonds at par, comprising 34 bonds of \$1,000.00 denomination, ninth series, maturing June 3, 1913.

That the price paid for said bonds as aforesaid was the par or face value of said bonds and accrued interest thereon at the time of delivery and no more.

That there was no bid received, offered or considered other than that above stated, and that there remains unsold and unbid for Sewer Bonds of said City and County to the amount of \$147,200.00 of the ninth series of said bonds, maturing June 30, 1913, and all of the bonds of the tenth and eleventh series to the amount of \$362,400.00.

Section 2. It is hereby ordered that all of the Sewer Bonds of the City and County of San Francisco remaining unsold, amounting to \$509,600.00, as above described, be placed on sale and offered for sale at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, and said Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell said described bonds to any person desiring to purchase the same. That the price at which said Sewer Bonds may be sold is the par or face value of the same, and that all interest coupons shall be detached therefrom and no interest shall be paid thereon.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$112,212.70, numbered consecutively, 22,650 to 22,845, inclusive, were pre-

sented and ordered paid on recommendation of the Finance Committee.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures are hereby authorized to be made out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Paynes' Bolt Works, account contract No. 10, Geary Street Municipal Railway. \$2,022.79
Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Coast Imp. Co., 9th payment on contract No. 48, Auxiliary Water Supply System, hauling and laying pipe for Section 13\$26,722.03

Western Electric Co., for creosoted wooden ducts under contract No. 64, Auxiliary Water Supply System..... 7,193.12

Caldwell & Co., 4th progress payment account, contract No. 34, construction of Section A, pumping station No. 2 2,610.00

San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

T. P. Jarvis, 1st progress payment, account oil burners, for San Francisco Hospital \$600.00

Frederick C. Roberts & Co., final payment for turbines and switchboards in San Francisco Hospital 6,148.00

Department of Elections, General Fund.

California Mill Co., for mill work and material..... \$1,147.50
General Fund, 1911-1912.

The Star, for printing and distributing delinquent tax list, 1911 \$1,998.65

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, for maintenance and tuition of minors during month of June, 1912..... 1,305.68

The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of San

Francisco, for maintenance of minors, month of May, 1912	3,798.04
The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, for maintenance of minors during month of June, 1912	656.70
California Girls' Training Home, for maintenance of minors during months of May and June	609.70
Sister Mary Caine, Supt. Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. Asylum, for maintenance of minors during month of June, 1912	1,004.16
Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vincent's Asylum, for maintenance of minors during month of June, 1912	1,970.21
Eureka Benevolent Society, for maintenance of minors during month of June, 1912	660.00
Standard Oil Co., for fuel oil furnished City and County Hospital	856.80
Brown & Power Stationery Co., for printing schedules and instructions	620.76
Consolidated Motor Car Co., for auto-chemical wagon furnished fire department (apparatus)	6,308.00
Thos. Morton & Son., for coal furnished fire department	1,166.75
Scott, Magner & Miller, for 227,785 lbs. feeding hay furnished fire department	1,406.57
Somers & Co., for 939 sacks of oats, furnished fire department	1,410.82
Jos. Levey, for horses furnished fire department	1,500.00
D. Demartini, for hauling manure during month of June, 1912	570.00
Spring Valley Water Co., for water furnished for sprinkling streets during month of June, 1912	718.64

Appropriations.

Resolution, No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$83,000 from the Fire Protection Account of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908, is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works for the purpose of paying the cost of hauling and laying high pressure pipe in the district bounded by Market street, Second street, Division street and Kansas street, known as District No. 6, this appropriation being in addition to that

of \$95,000 made by Resolution No. 8319 (New Series).

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted and numbered as follows, to wit:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Proposals For Paving Lincoln Way.

J. R. No. 314.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be authorized and directed to advertise for and receive bids for the paving of the north half of Lincoln Way, westerly from Twentieth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

Clerk of the Board to Advertise for Proposals to Furnish Two Motor Runabouts for Department of Electricity.

J. R. No. 315.

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to invite proposals for two motor runabouts for use in the Department of Electricity, payment therefor to be made under Budget Item No. 455, of \$1380.00, and by "trading in" one old auto car now in the custody of said department, such bids to be in accordance with specifications to be prepared by the Supplies Committee.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

Authorizing the Mayor to Sell Certain Shack Buildings.

J. R. No. 316.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction, in accordance with provisions of the Charter, the certain shack buildings and cottages on the property being purchased as additional playground for the Sheridan School, and extending 100 feet at the rear of the Sheridan School site on both Lobos and Farallones streets.

(Communication from the Board of Education, filed July 27, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

Correcting Errors in Certain Bill Numbers.

J. R. No. 317.

Resolved, That the following Bill numbers, heretofore passed to print, be corrected to read as follows, on account of duplication therein: Numbers 2190 to 2193; 2191 to 2194 and 2192 to 2195.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jen-

nings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and ordered *passed for printing*:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That \$1,000 be and the same is hereby authorized to be expended out of the Water Construction Fund under the direction of the City Attorney, to continue investigation of legal matters in connection with the report to the United States Board of Army Engineers.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That \$800 be and the same is hereby authorized to be expended out of the City Hall and Civic Center Building Fund by the City Attorney for cost and extension of litigation in re City and County of San Francisco vs. Abrams et al. for condemnation of lands for Civic Center.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That E. M. Huie & Co. is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in the property bounded by California, Jones, Sacramento and Taylor streets; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5,000 as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works; and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said E. M. Huie & Co., then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Adopted.

Supervisor Murdock presented a resolution of sympathy upon the death of the Emperor of Japan which was upon motion adopted and numbered, as follows:

J. R. No. 318.

The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, in their representative capacity, would express the sincere sympathy of the citizens of the municipality with the people of

Japan, and especially with the members of the imperial household and the governmental family, in the death of Mutsu-hito, the deeply loved Emperor of Japan.

His late Imperial Majesty, Mutsu-hito, the one hundred and twenty-first Emperor of Japan, was born November 3, 1852, being the second son of the Emperor Komei, and succeeded to the throne January, 1867.

No sovereign was ever more completely loved and trusted. He was a wise, just and high-minded ruler. Unparalleled in history is the record of achievement during the forty-five years of his reign. The changes undergone, the substantial progress recorded, the proud position reached have no counterpart. America is glad to have been associated in this great development, and to have established a firm friendship on a basis of honor and just regard. California welcomed the first embassy sent to foreign nations, and has again and again honored and received honor from Japan and the Japanese. San Francisco cannot forget the sympathy shown by the Emperor of Japan in the day of her great trial. From his own purse he contributed \$10,000 to the relief fund. Today the representatives of Japan are with us preparing for participation in the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

In the great loss that has befallen Japan our hearts go out in sympathy, and across the broad Pacific we would clasp hands in mutual sorrow.

In the certain course of human events an enlightened sovereign, heroically engaged in lifting up and establishing on firm foundations the great empire entrusted through inheritance to his care and leadership, has been called by the Supreme Ruler to surrender his power and relinquish his great task. The large responsibility that he has borne with signal ability and honor is yielded to another. The illustrious Prince Yoshihito will take up the scepter, and may he be worthy of his lineage and blessed in his reign.

The people of the empire with reverent sorrow mourn the loss of their devoted ruler, but they will go forward in the way he led, maintaining their proud position among the nations of mankind. The name of Mutsu-hito will hold its place in grateful hearts, and be inscribed in fadeless characters high on the roll of those who served with honor, and won undying love.

Resolved, That when we adjourn it shall be in respect to the memory of Mutsu-hito, the late Emperor of Japan.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jen-

nings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphv, Nolan, Payot—12.

Matters Referred.

Supervisor Hayden presented the following resolution and upon motion was referred to the Public Welfare Committee:

Whereas, Admission Day, September 9, has been, by action of the Legislature, and the approval thereof by the Governor of California, declared a legal holiday and

Whereas, The history of California is the most unique and interesting of any State in the union and upon September 9, is commemorated her admission, without territorial childhood into the sisterhood of the nation and

Whereas, A proper observance of this day is required of all patriotic citizens and should be manifested not alone by the closing of all public offices and buildings, but also by the cessation from toil of the clerk and laborer and the closing of factory, store and workshop; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors urge upon all business men of the City and County of San Francisco, that upon next Admission Day, September 9, 1912, they close their various places of business and thus permit all

classes of our citizens to observe in a patriotic manner the most important anniversary in the history of our great State.

His Honor the Mayor stated that on account of insufficient time during his office hours in the discharge of matters of official business, to fully hear the public in various petitions and matters of public interest, that he has set aside each Monday evening at the hour of 8 o'clock, in the chambers of the Board of Supervisors for hearing all such matters, and of hearing any citizen desiring who may be unable to meet him during regular office hours.

In response to Supervisor A. J. Gallagher's question for information as to the status of litigation of the City with the Telephone Co., Assistant City Attorney Geo. Lull informed the Board that the City Attorney's office would proceed to furnish the desired information in the matter.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 3:40 p. m., adjourned out of respect to the memory of the late Emperor of Japan, to again meet Monday, August 5, 1912, at the regular hour.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, August 5, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisor. of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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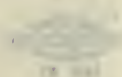
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, August 5, 1912. 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met, pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Gianini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of July 29, 1912, was approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

From his Honor the Mayor, transmitting a communication from Mr. John R. Freeman, Consulting Engineer of the City and County of San Francisco, relative to a reservoir site in the development of a water supply, as follows:

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 5, 1912.
Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen:—I beg to transmit to you, herewith, letter received by me this date from Mr. John R. Freeman, Consulting Engineer of the City and County of San Francisco, relative to a reservoir site in the San Miguel Valley about three miles southerly from the City Hall. The communication is self-explanatory and requires your immediate consideration and action.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor.

St. Francis Hotel, San Francisco, Cal.,

August 5, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph Jr., Mayor of San Francisco, San Francisco, Cal.

SAN MIGUEL RESERVOIR SITE.

Dear Sir:—I desire to call your attention to the merits of the site which

I have selected as the best available for a future great distributing reservoir for the City of San Francisco in the future development of its water supply. This is located in the San Miguel Valley about three miles southerly from the City Hall, and consists of lands now vacant and unimproved, as will be seen from the accompanying photographs. I advise that this land be acquired immediately before its cost can be increased by subdivision and the erection of buildings.

I have found no other site for a great central reservoir at suitable elevation which presents so many advantages, and I have planned the delivery conduits in connection with my designs for a Hetch Hetchy aqueduct to connect with this reservoir. The plan of surveys recently completed, of which I attach a small-scale copy hereto, shows that with a flow line 385 feet above city base, this reservoir would contain approximately 500,000,000 gallons of water. This is five and a half times as much storage as the Spring Valley Water Company's present nine city distributing reservoirs contain altogether.

While its elevation is particularly appropriate to supplying the great areas of medium elevation, its value as a reserve for emergencies applies equally to the low level districts of the city. The elevation proposed is about 17 feet higher than that of the present Lake Honda reservoir of the Spring Valley Company, but the surroundings of the Lake Honda reservoir are such that it is possible to raise its dam and the two reservoirs could be worked in connection if desired.

The area covered by the water surface of the projected San Miguel reservoir at elevation 385 above city base will be about thirty acres. Possibly it may be found best to make the elevation of the flow line about six feet higher, or an even 400 feet above mean sea level.

Outside the high water mark of the reservoir the city should acquire a strip of land nowhere less than 200 feet in width. The inner 100 feet

of this width to be mostly grassed and the outer 100 feet occupied by the bed and sloping banks of a broad roadway built on a gradient everywhere slightly ascending the valley, the street being provided with very deep gutters on both sides for intercepting the drainage of the street and from the adjacent outside territory, and carrying it down stream from the dam.

Considering the present situation and the probable cost with view to its proximity to the populous part of the city, I respectfully suggest that if the price is deemed satisfactory, it will be advisable to procure a much broader area than the 200 feet outside flow line above mentioned and to reforest the hillside and make this reservoir the central feature in a park, somewhat as Baltimore's great distributing reservoir is a central feature of Druid Hill Park.

With reference to the adaptability of the site for reservoir purposes, I have consulted Prof. Branner, the eminent geologist, vice-president of Stanford University, and with him have inspected it. The surface indications appear wholly favorable, both as to freedom from leakage and as to stability of dam and as to bedrock beneath the damsite lying within convenient reach, but neither test pits or borings have been made. The rock outcrops at many points within the reservoir site and I believe there can be no reasonable doubt of the feasibility of building a safe dam here at moderate cost.

My recommendation would be for an earth dam somewhat similar to that in the Baltimore park reservoir above mentioned, but I would counsel making it of uncommon thickness, because the material on the ground available for dam-building is so abundant that this can be done at small cost and being taken from within the reservoir will add to its capacity. The country rock here is of the very hard and flinty quality called jasper, excellent for road-building or for concrete, and can be so cheaply quarried that a loose rock-fill of generous dimensions is proposed for the foot of both inner and outer slopes, and it will also provide very cheap material for a core wall of concrete, of generous thickness, resting everywhere upon bedrock. The body of the dam can probably best be deposited by the hydraulic sluicing method, being gathered from within the site of the reservoir first by sluicing off the sides of the reservoir by a powerful water-jet, from a height of five feet above the flow line to perhaps seventy-five feet, or in places 100 feet, below the flow

line, thus exposing bare ledge all around the margins. This stripping of the bedrock sides will not only add to the appearance of the reservoir and enlarge its capacity but would lessen the tendency to aquatic vegetation to which open reservoirs with earth banks are liable under the California sun.

From the note on the plan it will be seen that with a flow line at elevation 385 this reservoir would contain a quantity of water equal to thirteen and one-half days' consumption at the present rate, and therefore ample to meet almost any ordinary contingency of interruption to any portion of the aqueduct or pipe lines leading into the city. The advantages of this site are so apparent that I believe the city should lose no time in securing it.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN R. FREEMAN,
Consulting Engineer.

Attached: Plan and photographs.

The said communication was read by the Clerk.

Whereupon, Supervisor Vogelsang presented a Resolution which was adopted and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Resolution No. 9571 (New Series).

Resolved, That public interest and necessity and use require the acquisition by the City and County of San Francisco of the following described lands and any and all rights and claims thereto, to-wit: all of the parcels, lots, tracts or pieces of real property that are included within the exterior boundaries of the following general tract of land:

Commencing at the intersection of the northerly line of Surrey street with the westerly boundary line of the Crocker Estate Company tract and running easterly along the northerly line of Surrey street (if extended and produced easterly) to a point eighteen hundred (1800) feet distant; thence in a northerly direction to a point where the northerly line of Valley street intersects the easterly line of Douglass street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Douglass street to a point where the easterly line of Douglass street intersects the northerly line of Twenty-seventh street; thence in a northwesterly direction to the top of the most southerly peak of the Twin Peaks three thousand five hundred (3500) feet, more or less, distant; thence in a southwesterly direction to the northwesterly corner of the land of Mary L. Craig fourteen hundred (1400) feet, more or less, distant; thence southerly along the westerly boundary line of the land of Mary L. Craig (if extended and produced) to the northerly line of Clipper street;

thence in a southwesterly direction to a point on the southerly line of Thirty-first street (if extended and produced) six hundred (600) feet westerly from the easterly line of Fowler street; thence in a southeasterly direction to a point where the northerly line of Surrey street intersects the westerly boundary line of the Crocker Estate Company tract and point of beginning.

That all the lands, rights and claims above described are suitable, adaptable and necessary for a public use, to-wit, as a reservoir and dam-site at which shall be constructed a reservoir to store waters to be brought from Lake Eleanor and the waters of the Tuolumne River and its tributaries; and from which reservoir the waters so stored shall be distributed to and for the use of the people of the City and County of San Francisco.

The construction of such reservoir on the lands hereinabove described is necessary to the final acquisition, construction and completion of a water supply and works to be owned and controlled by the City and County of San Francisco, as described in Ordinance No. 924 (New Series) regularly adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco on October 25, 1909, and regularly approved by the Mayor of said City and County on October 26, 1909, and in accordance with the plans for said water supply and works.

The City Attorney is hereby instructed to commence proceedings against the owners of said parcels, lots, tracts and pieces of land and any and all rights and claims thereto for the condemnation thereof for the use of the City and County of San Francisco as aforesaid, and to prosecute such proceedings to a speedy determination.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Also from his Honor the Mayor, transmitting copies of correspondence in the matter of the investigation relative to the construction and condition of the Twin Peaks reservoir, as follows:

Mayor's Office, San Francisco.
San Francisco, Cal., August 5th, 1912.
Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, California.
Gentlemen:

RE TWIN PEAKS RESERVOIR.

I beg to transmit to you herewith copy of letter received by me from the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, and copy of my reply thereto, also copy of my respects of same date to the Board of Public Works, forwarding

to them copies of said letters. I immediately took the matter up with Engineers O'Shaughnessy, Eckart and Holmes, requesting a definite expression of views from them as to the percentage of contributory negligence on the part of both parties in interest, and now beg to hand you copy of their communications on the subject.

The whole matter is having my attention.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Enclo.

July 30, 1912.

Honorable James Rolph, Mayor, San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:

Responding to your communication of July 25th, re Twin Peaks reservoir, our Mr. Healy called upon Mr. Casey yesterday and was informed by the latter that he had referred the matter to the City Attorney for a legal opinion.

It was our understanding when your Honor first took hold of this controversy that it was the mutual desire of all parties to reach a speedy, amicable and fair settlement of our differences and it was with the sole idea of avoiding the delay, expense and ill-feeling of court proceedings that we accepted the Mayor's suggestion and agreed to shoulder half the expense of an impartial investigation and report by the three engineers appointed by your good self.

This report is before us and a total liability has been incurred therefor, we understand, of some \$3,500.00. If, after all, the controversy is to be thrown back to the attorneys and we are both compelled to resort to the courts to settle our dispute, the very object all parties had in mind in the costly procedure already taken, has miscarried, and the city and ourselves stand in the same place we did two months ago, facing a money loss as above indicated and with long, expensive litigation ahead.

In order to carry out the spirit and true purpose of the attempts thus far made, which seem to us to be in line with economy and business prudence, we now suggest to your Honor that you refer back the matter to said Board of Engineers and ask them to determine in dollars and cents what, if any, amount this corporation should bear of the cost of fixing the reservoir, according to their ideas, which are entirely new and foreign to the original plans and specifications.

We shall be glad to abide by their majority report, and should they see fit to charge us, let the amount thereof be deducted from the moneys due

us, now lying idle in the City Treasury, and the balance paid us, and, if not, let us receive the full and prompt payment to which we are entitled and thus terminate the matter in a manner expeditious and just to all. Let it not be said that after two months delay and \$3500.00 disbursed the parties are to be remitted to the courts and thus the only purpose of the arbitration wholly frustrated and time and effort and money expended entirely wasted.

Respectfully,
HEALY-TIBBITTS CONSTRUCTION CO.

(Signed) By W. H. HEALY,
President.
July 29, 1912.

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., Mr.
W. H. Healy, President, Market
and Main street, San Francisco.

Dear Sirs:

Your favor of even date is received, and contents noted. It is my opinion that the three engineers were appointed to determine where the responsibility lay with regard to the leaking condition of the Twin Peaks reservoir, and to then determine a method of adjusting the controversy existing between you and the Board of Public Works, so that an immediate settlement may be arrived at and the repairs proceeded with without delay.

I am opposed to any legal controversy after proceeding as has been done to settle the dispute amicably. I have taken the matter up with the Board of Public Works, and, if you both cannot agree on an immediate settlement, I will have a conference with you and them and try to bring about a speedy adjustment.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor.

P. S.—I beg to hand you herewith copy of my respects of even date to the Board of Public Works, so that both you and they are in possession of all facts bearing upon the matter passing through my office.

July 29, 1912.

Honorable Board of Public Works, City
Hall, San Francisco.
Honorable and Dear Sirs:

I beg to hand you herewith copy of a letter received by me this day from the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, and a copy of my reply thereto, which is self-explanatory. I feel that the controversy between you and the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company should be settled promptly, and, if I can be of any assistance in hastening the matter, I shall be very pleased to have a conference with you and the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co. in my office at any time convenient to you both. I feel that this matter, from

every standpoint, needs prompt attention on the part of the administration.

Very respectfully yours,
(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,
Mayor.

San Francisco, Cal., July 31, 1912.
Hon. James Rolph Jr., Mayor of San
Francisco.

Dear Sir:

In response to your request for an opinion as to the manner in which the cost of repairing the defective joints in the Twin Peaks reservoir should be distributed, I beg to state that your commission of engineers deferred making any recommendation, as they considered it outside the requirements of the investigation you assigned them, and did not desire to obtrude on the duties of the city's legal advisers.

A perusal of the testimony will disclose the following conditions:

That the City Engineer's joint plans were defective and impractical; that the inspection by the inspectors of the Board of Works was careless; that the city accepted the defectively shaped concrete joints, inasmuch as they interposed no objection to their condition before pouring asphalt filling in same; and finally, that the contractors, through careless concrete foremen, made defective form work in shaping the concrete joints.

As an arbitrator, after examining the work and taking the testimony of all connected with it, I would place three-fourths of the repair cost on the city, as its employees were responsible to a great extent for the condition of the reservoir, and one-fourth of the repair cost on the contractors to compensate for their careless workmanship.

Very respectfully,
(Signed)

M. M. O'SHAUGHNESSY,
Consulting Engineer, Mem. Am. Soc.
C. E.

August 1, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph Jr., Mayor, City of
San Francisco.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your request for a statement from me proportioning the financial responsibility of the parties in connection with the Twin Peaks reservoir, I will state that your Commission of Engineers, acting under your letter of June 17th, and after further conference with you on June 28th, 1912, understood that they were purely a board of investigation and not one of arbitration, and the report of the commission was rendered accordingly.

The specifications contain certain clauses relating to responsibility for satisfactory performance of the work, and which may or may not be legally binding upon the contractors, and upon

the legal interpretation of which the board would not desire to pass.

However, if it will assist the parties to come to a settlement of the difficulties, I will state that by giving equal weight to each of the four causes of leakage found to exist, and enumerated in answer to your Question 2 on page 2 of the report, it will be found that:

The city may be charged with:

(a) Defective type of unsupported expansion joint.

(b) Defective system of inspection, that did not disclose the true condition of the joints being made by the contractors' workmen.

(d) Imperfect adhesion in places, between the asphaltum filling and the walls of the concrete slabs.

The contractors may be charged with:

(b) Defective workmanship as to shape of joints.

Upon this basis, I feel that justice would be done, if the city was to bear three-quarters of the cost of repairs and the contractors one-quarter.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) W. R. ECKART.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 1, 1912.

Hon. James Ralph Jr., Mayor, San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

I have been informed by Mr. M. M. O'Shaughnessy (by telephone) that you have requested that the commission appointed by you report *positively* as to what extent the contractors (Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company) should bear the expense of repairing the joints of the Twin Peaks reservoir.

The commission have discussed this matter quite frequently in the past, and I was satisfied that I could not agree with my colleagues. Consequently I respectfully submit the following:

I think the only questions in which this commission are not virtually unanimous, are Questions Nos. 3 and 4 of your letters to the commission of June 17, 1912, which are as follows:

No. 3: "What is the principal cause of the leaky condition of the same?"

No. 4: "Who is to blame for the condition of the reservoir? The man or the men that designed it and made the specifications; the man who constructed and supervised the construction of it; or all?"

The principal, and in my opinion, the only cause of this leakage is the lack of solid material for foundation under the joints (irrespective of their form or size or the filling thereof). The loose rock surrounding the underdrains and directly under the aforesaid joints, offers no resistance to any tendency of the material forming the

filling of these said joints to be pushed out and downwards by the water pressure from above. The fact that many of the joints examined were not built in exact accordance with either the original or the so-called amended specifications, does not alter the situation, as in my opinion the result would have been the same if all the joints as regards size and cross section, were perfect as to the requirements of the specifications, and, on the other hand, I do not hesitate to say that there is not a joint in the reservoir, regardless of size, cross-section, etc., as far as has been examined, which would not have been practically water tight had it had the proper backing or rested on a solid, immovable foundation.

As to the question of the size and shape of these joints:

The testimony as far as taken is conflicting, to say the least,—there being three different sizes mentioned. The original specifications called for a joint five-eighths-inch on top and one-half-inch at the bottom. According to letter of Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company to the commission, these joints were changed to seven-eighths-inch on the top and one-half-inch on the bottom, and Mr. Hunt, Assistant City Engineer, informed us that such was the case, and that there was a resolution of the Board of Public Works agreeing to this change. But this resolution has failed to materialize, and Mr. Hunt is now in doubt as to whether such resolution was ever passed.

According to Mr. Cheminant, local engineer, in charge of the work at the reservoir, these joints were changed from the original size to three-quarter-inch wide on top and three-eighths-inch on the bottom, and he has such memorandum in pencil on the specifications used by him, but there is no other documentary evidence to this effect. According to the forms used by Richard Keatinge & Sons, sub-contractors, the joints would have been five-eighths-inch on top and three-eighths-inch on the bottom.

Any of the aforesaid joints, and still a greater variety can be found to exist at the reservoir as far as this commission has examined. However, all the testimony, not only of the contractors and their assistants, but that of the assistant engineers and the two local inspectors at the reservoir, are unanimous in the fact that the importance of the shape and the size of this joint was overlooked in the actual construction.—the actual facts being that the contractor was allowed to build the joints, clean out the same after construction, and again tamp oakum into said joints after they were cleaned out, and lastly, to fill the same with asphalt

—no objection being made at any of the aforesaid times (by the City Engineer, Mr. Connick, Mr. Hunt, Mr. Cheminant and Mr. Schauffle—the two principal inspectors—or their assistants) that these joints were not in exact accordance with the specifications or were not entirely satisfactory to the Engineer's office. The engineer representing the Merchants' Association also made weekly inspections. And these different engineers had constant access to examine the same during the ten months in which they were open to inspection, and did (as testified both by Mr. Schauffle and Mr. Cheminant) examine them frequently.

The only measurements ever taken were as to the depth of these joints, but the desirability of having them conform as to shape and size to any of the aforesaid requirements, was overlooked by all parties concerned, and it seems to me that if all the engineering talent obtainable in the office of the City Engineer, the Board of Public Works, and the attaches of the Merchants' Association did not realize the importance of this detail, it is hard to expect that the contractor and his representatives should, in view of the following clause in the specifications:

"All work shall be done and all materials must be furnished under the general supervision and subject to the approval of the City Engineer. The contractor shall promptly obey and follow every order or direction which shall be given by the City Engineer in accordance with the terms of the contract."

In the report of the commission to you in answer to your Question No. 6, "If so, what do you advise to be done to make it so?" the answer anticipates making an entirely new and permanent support for the filling of the joint—something which was not mentioned or implied in any of the original or amended specifications, and if it had been required after the contract was signed, it would undoubtedly have entitled the contractor to an extra payment, as this would require not only additional work, but additional material.

In view of all these conditions, I fail to see why the contractor should be held responsible for any of the lapses on the part of the engineering force either in designing, constructing or superintending the making of these much-mentioned joints or the remodeling of the same. I therefore respectfully submit that the contractor be relieved from paying any portion of the costs of repairs.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) HOWARD C. HOLMES.

The above communications were received, ordered placed on file and to be spread at length in the Journal.

Also, communication from his Honor the Mayor transmitting a communication and copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Health at its meeting of June 18, 1912, relative to the establishment of convenience stations and sanitary drinking fountains throughout the city, which was upon motion referred to the Public Health Committee.

Also, communication from his Honor the Mayor transmitting a letter from Honorable Samuel C. Park, Mayor of Salt Lake City, Utah, calling attention to the twenty-third session of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, which will be held in Salt Lake City August 27th to the 30th, inclusive, and expressing a disappointment if this city is not represented, and requesting a list of delegates at an early date.

Upon motion the communication was referred to the Publicity and Interurban Relations Committee.

His Honor the Mayor also presented a communication from the Board of Public Works relative to the trolley system for the Geary Street Municipal Railroad on Market street from Kearny street to Sansome street, as follows:

San Francisco, August 1, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor, City and County of San Francisco.

Dear Sir:—I am directed by the Board of Public Works to forward to you for consideration the attached copy of the City Engineer's communication relating to the construction of the overhead trolley for the Geary Street Municipal Railway along Market street from Geary street easterly and to request that you advise this Board of your view of the matter.

Respectfully,

RICHARD J. CLINE,

Secretary pro tem., Board of Public Works.

San Francisco, July 31st, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:—In preparing the plans and specifications for the construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railway along Market street from Kearny street to connections with the outer tracks on Market street opposite Sansome street in compliance with Resolution No. 18887, Second Series, of your Honorable Board, desire instructions as to what method should be employed in supporting our trolley wires.

Two methods are suggested:

First—All new constructions with independent poles and suspension. This would double the number of trolley poles now on this portion of Market

street and would necessitate the attaching of the United Railroads trolleys to our spans, and the attaching of our trolleys to the United Railroads spans.

Second—Attaching the Geary Street Railway's trolley wires to the United Railroads' suspension spans, without setting additional poles. This would be a similar arrangement to that now installed from Sutter street east, where there are already trolley wires over the outer tracks.

It is recommended that the second plan be adopted if the necessary arrangements with the United Railroads can be effected.

Prompt advice in this connection is requested.

Respectfully,

MARSDEN MANSON,

City Engineer.

The said communication was read by the Clerk.

Whereupon Supervisor Giannini moved that the Board of Public Works be directed to instruct the City Engineer to prepare plans, specifications and estimate of cost of construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railroad overhead trolley on system of independent poles and wires from Kearny street along Market street to Sansome street, and also to furnish separately plans, specifications and cost of construction should the wires be suspended to poles now used by the United Railroads along said route; such information to be furnished to the Board of Supervisors on or before Monday, August 12, 1912, which motion was carried.

Supervisor McLeran presented a resolution granting permission to the United Railroads to operate its Sutter street cars on the outer tracks of lower Market street on condition that the said railroad company will dismiss its appeal from the decision of Honorable Judge Seawell, and upon motion said resolution was referred to the Public Utilities Committee.

The Clerk read a communication from the City Attorney enclosing a statement as to the status of the so-called Home Telephone case. That so far two cases have been commenced involving the matter and are at present pending before his Honor, Judge Seawell; that demurrers have been interposed and the cases are ready for argument and will be heard as soon as Judge Seawell returns from his vacation.

The communication upon motion was referred to the Public Utilities Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Fire Committee—By Supervisor Giannini, presented a report on various matters referred; also,

The Supplies Committee—By Supervisor Koshland, presented a report on various matters referred; which reports were read and ordered filed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9572, Authorizing the following expenditures to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Paynes' Bolt Works, account contract No. 10, Geary Street Municipal Railway. \$ 2,022.79

Fire Protection Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

Coast Improvement Company, ninth payment on contract No. 48, Auxiliary Water Supply System, hauling and laying pipe for Section 13 \$26,722.03

Western Electric Company, for creosoted wooden ducts under contract No. 64, Auxiliary Water Supply System 7,193.12

Caldwell & Company, fourth progress payment, account contract No. 34, construction of Section "A." Pumping Station No. 2. 2,610.00

San Francisco Hospital Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

T. P. Jarvis, first progress payment, account oil burners for San Francisco Hospital \$ 600.00

Frederick C. Roberts & Co., final payment for turbines and switchboards in San Francisco Hospital 6,148.00

Department of Elections, General Fund.

California Mill Company, for mill work and material. . . \$ 1,147.50

General Fund, 1911-12.

The Star, for printing and distributing delinquent tax list, 1911 \$ 1,998.65

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, for maintenance and tuition of minors during month of June, 1912. 1,305.68

The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of San Francisco, for maintenance of minors, month of May, 1912 3,798.04

The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, for maintenance of minors during month of June, 1912	656.70
California Girls' Training Home, for maintenance of minors during months of May and June	609.70
Sister Mary Caine, Superintendent Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum, for maintenance of minors during month of June, 1912 ..	1,004.16
Brother Paul, Superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, for maintenance of minors during month of June, 1912 ..	1,970.21
Eureka Benevolent Society, for maintenance of minors during month of June, 1912 ..	660.00
Standard Oil Company, for fuel oil furnished City and County Hospital	856.80
Brown & Power Stationery Co., for printing schedules and instructions	620.76
Consolidated Motor Car Co., for auto chemical wagon furnished Fire Department (apparatus)	6,308.00
Thos. Morton & Son, for coal furnished Fire Department ..	1,166.75
Scott, Magner & Miller, for 227,785 pounds feeding hay furnished Fire Department ..	1,406.57
Somers & Co., for 939 sacks of oats, furnished Fire Department	1,410.82
Jos. Levey, for horses furnished Fire Department	1,500.00
D. Demartini, for hauling manure during month of June, 1912	570.00
Spring Valley Water Company, for water furnished for sprinkling streets during month of June, 1912 ..	718.64
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.	

Resolution No. 9573, Authorizing an expenditure of \$1,000, to be made out of the Water Construction Fund under the direction of the City Attorney, to continue investigation of legal matters in connection with the report to the United States Board of Army Engineers.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Resolution No. 9574, Authorizing an expenditure of \$800, to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Building Fund by the City Attorney for cost and extension of litigation

in re City and County of San Francisco vs. Abrams et al., for condemnation of lands for Civic Center.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Resolution No. 9575, Granting permission to E. M. Huie & Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in the property bounded by California, Jones, Sacramento and Taylor streets; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5,000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works; and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said E. M. Huie & Company, then the privileges and all rights thereunder shall become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Action Deferred.

Resolution —, Providing the sum of eighty-three thousand dollars to be expended out of the Fire Protection Account of the Public Building Fund, bond issue 1908, for the purpose of paying the cost of hauling and laying high pressure pipe in the district bounded by Market street, Second street, Division street and Kansas street, known as District No. 6, this appropriation being in addition to that of \$95,000 made by Resolution No. 8319 (New Series), was, upon motion of Supervisor Jennings, laid over on the calendar for one week.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$124,849.84, numbered, consecutively, 22,846 to 23,096, inclusive, were presented and ordered paid on recommendation of the Finance Committee.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter accounts to the following named claimants:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Marshall Newhall Supply Co. (claim dated June 29, 1912)	\$ 562.71
Associated Oil Co. (claim dated June 29, 1912)	1,509.04
Catholic Humane Bureau (claim dated June 30, 1912)	4,047.60
Albertinum Orphanage (claim dated June 30, 1912)	501.30
State of California (claim dated June 30, 1912)	677.60

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Brown & Power (claim dated July 23, 1912)	\$ 1,205.36
<i>Budget Item No. 42, Water for Public Buildings.</i>	

Spring Valley Water Company (claim dated July 29, 1912)	\$ 1,791.68
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Budget Item No. 51, Lighting Streets and Public Buildings.

Pacific Gas & Electric Company (claim dated August 1, 1912)	\$34,521.13
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Budget Item No. 243, Contingent Expenses of Police Department.

D. A. White, Chief, August allowance (claim dated August 1, 1912)	\$666.66
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City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Fund.

A. Carlisle & Co. (claim dated July 19, 1912), to be paid out of premium from sale of bonds, engraving and printing City Hall bonds, ..	\$ 3,225.00
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Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

Cyril Williams, Jr., salary and expenses, report on San Francisco-Tuolumne water supply system (claim dated July 31, 1912)	\$ 2,464.95
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Public Building Fund 1908, San Francisco Hospital.

Speck Mfg. Co. (claim dated July 24, 1912)	\$ 1,150.00
Wittman, Lyman Co. (claim dated July 23, 1912)	1,792.00

Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.

Healy-Tibbitts & Co. (claim dated July 23, 1912), final payment on contract No. 20, North Point main	\$ 4,000.00
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Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Mitchell & Savage (claim dated July 31, 1912), contract No. 32, Ashbury Heights tank, final payment	\$ 5,234.75
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Geary Street Railway Fund.

Mahoney Bros. (claim dated August 2, 1912), progressive payment	\$54,632.57
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School Bond Fund, 1908.

W. H. Hennessy (claim dated July 30, 1912), ninth progressive payment on Girls' High School	\$18,072.00
Charles E. Thomas Co. (claim dated July 30, 1912), heating and ventilating Girls' High School, fourth progressive payment	3,000.00
William Le Baron (claim dated July 31, 1912), painting Girls' High School, third progressive payment. ..	1,324.00
Flinn & Treacy (claim dated June 4, 1912), yard work at Junipero Serra School, second payment	750.00

General Fund, 1911-12.

Walter Huff & Co. (claim dated November 15, 1911), for Bay View police station	\$ 574.80
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Appropriations.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$25,000 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the proceeds of the sale of the Polytechnic High School bonds, issue 1910, to enable the Board of Education to purchase, as need may arise, equipment for the new Polytechnic High School.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$1250.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Health out of Budget Item No. 382-A, for special emergency sanitation measures for the continuance of special sanitation work during the month of August.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2,000.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Park Commissioners out of the Budget Item No. 549, paving, repaving, grading etc., for immediate repairs to Junipero Serra and Sloat boulevards.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$700 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Supplies Committee out of Budget Item No. 18, printing public documents, in printing opinions of the City Attorney.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2,400 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Juvenile Court out of the Budget Item No. 39, urgent necessities, for the employment of an additional Clerk for the fiscal year 1912-1913.

Blasting Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Foster Vogt Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of grading the property at the southwest corner of Fourteenth and Mission streets, in construction of the San Francisco Armory building; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said Foster Vogt Company, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the Dimond Estate Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for a period of one hundred and eighty (180) days from the date of approval of this resolution, for the purpose of grading the property in the Dimond Tract, situate near the county line, midway between Mission street and San Bruno avenue, in Visitacion Valley; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the

satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said above named corporation, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Changing Grades on Polk Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2196, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Changing and establishing the official grades on Polk street between Lombard and Bay streets, and on Chestnut and Francisco streets between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; and ordering certain regrading of said mentioned portions of said streets and certain street work to be done thereon.

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors, on the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, did on the 15th day of May, 1912, by Resolution of Intention No. 9441 (New Series), declare its intention to change and establish the grades of Polk street between Lombard and Bay streets, and on Chestnut street and Francisco street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; and to order certain street work to be done thereon, to-wit:

The re-grading of Polk street between Lombard and Bay streets and of Chestnut street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; also, the re-sewering of Polk street, between Lombard and Chestnut streets; of Chestnut street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue, and the crossing of Polk and Chestnut streets; also, the re-laying of such curbs as are now in good condition, and the reconstruction of such paving or other street improvements as have been constructed to official grade on Polk street between Lombard and Bay streets, and on Chestnut and Francisco streets between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; and in said resolution did define and establish the district to be benefited by such changes or modifications of such grade and such regrading, recurb-ing, sewer-ing and other improvements, and to be assessed for the damages caused thereby, and the cost of making the same as therein specified, and did direct the Clerk to publish for ten (10) days in the official newspaper said resolution of intention; and,

Whereas, said resolution was so published for ten (10) days, and the Board of Public Works within ten (10) days after the first publication of said resolution of intention caused notices of the passage of said resolution to be conspicuously posted along all streets within the district defined in the resolution in the manner, and form as required

by the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, and by law; and,

Whereas, more than forty (40) days have elapsed since the first publication of said resolution of intention, and no protest of the owners of two-thirds (2-3) of the property fronting on the streets the grades of which are to be changed or modified; and no protest of the owners of a majority of the superficial area of the property included within the assessment district defined in said resolution of intention have been filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors; now, therefore,

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The grades of the following named streets at the points hereinafter named, and at elevations above City base as hereinafter stated, are changed and established as follows:

On Polk street at the northerly line of Lombard street at 140 feet. (The same being the present official grade.)

On Polk street at the crossing of Chestnut street, raised and established at 120 feet.

On Polk street at the crossing of Francisco street, lowered and established at 104 feet.

On Polk street at the crossing of Bay street, at 80 feet. (The same being the present official grade.)

On Polk street, between Lombard and Bay streets, and on Chestnut and Francisco streets, between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue, changed and established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations above given therefor and the present official grade of Chestnut and Francisco streets at Larkin street and Van Ness avenue.

Section 2. The following street work on the following portions of the above mentioned streets is hereby ordered to be done, to wit:

The re-grading of Polk street, between Lombard and Bay streets and of Chestnut street, between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; also the re-sewering of Polk street, between Lombard and Chestnut streets; of Chestnut street, between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue, and the crossing of Polk and Chestnut streets; also the re-laying of such curbs as are now in good condition, and the reconstruction of such paving or other street improvements as have been constructed to official grade on Polk street, between Lombard and Bay streets, and on Chestnut and Francisco streets, between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue.

Section 3. The actual cost of per-improvements for the year stated in

forming the work of regrading and sewerage and otherwise improving said portions of said streets as above specified shall be assessed upon the said district described in Resolution of Intention No. 9441 (New Series), which is above declared to be benefited by such changed or modified grade (except that the Board of Supervisors reserves the right in its discretion to order by Ordinance that the whole or any part of the cost and expense of the work aforesaid or the damages resulting therefrom be paid out of the Treasury of the City and County of San Francisco, from such funds as the Board of Supervisors may designate).

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted and numbered as follows, to wit:

Directing the Auditor and Treasurer to Transfer Accounts.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:

J. R. No. 319.

Resolved, That the Auditor and Treasurer be directed to transfer from the City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Fund to the credit of the General Fund of 1911-12, \$39,245.13, the same being preliminary expenses paid from the General Fund on account of City Hall and Civic Center bond election and other expenses, the total being composed of the following items:

Cost of bond election as certified by Registrar	\$23,760.15
Expenses of advertising	823.44
Expenses of Advisory Committee of Architects	13,297.99
Fee and expenses of Walter Cook, umpire architect in matter of selecting City Hall plans	1,363.55

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Directing the Auditor to Cancel Certain Assessments and Tax Sales.

J. R. No. 320.

Whereas, The Auditor in a written communication dated June 25, 1912, recommends that the assessments and tax sales hereinafter set forth be cancelled for reasons set forth in said communication, and the City Attorney has given his consent to such cancellation; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Auditor is hereby directed to cancel the assessments of the following parcels of land and

connection with each such description, and the Recorder is directed to cancel the sales thereof as described by the number of each description, viz.:

Sale No. 819, June 24, 1902, for 1901 taxes—Lot No. 19, Block 11, Noe Garden Homestead Union, assessed in the name of Mary Tobener.

Sale No. 820, June 24, 1904, for 1901 taxes—Lot west line of Douglass street, 32 feet north from Twenty-fourth street; thence north 32 by 125 feet; block 11, Noe Garden Homestead Union. Assessed in the name of Goodall Estate Co.

Sale No. 821, June 24, 1902, for 1901 taxes—Lot northwest corner Douglass and Twenty-fourth streets, thence north 32 by 125 feet; block 11, Noe Garden Homestead Union. Assessed in name of Jas. M. Curtin.

Sale No. 822, June 24, 1902, for 1901 taxes—Lot No. 16, Block 11, Noe Garden Homestead Union. Assessed in the name of Goodall Estate Co.

Note—Sales Nos. 819 to 822, inclusive, cover school property.

Such cancellation shall be made as provided by section 3804a of the Political Code and for the reasons set forth in the communications herein referred to and on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Requesting the Spring Valley Water Co. to Lay Water Mains.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
J. R. No. 321.

Resolved, That the Spring Valley Water Company is requested to lay a four-inch main from the most convenient point, to the site of proposed fire house to be erected on the east line of Nineteenth avenue, 225 feet north of Rivera street, for water service.

(Communication from Board of Public Works, filed July 13 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Assigning Room in Temporary City Hall For Use of the Bureau of Efficiency.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 322.

Resolved, That Room No. 344, temporary City Hall building, is hereby assigned for use and purposes of the Bureau of Efficiency.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Clerk to Advertise for Proposals.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:
J. R. No. 323.

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be directed to advertise that sealed proposals will be received for the printing of the ordinances of the Board of Supervisors and that the Committee on Publicity prepare specifications therefor.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Also, J. R. No. 324.

Resolved, That the Clerk is hereby directed to advertise a proposal notice, inviting bids for printing and furnishing 500 copies of the opinions of the City Attorney, to be compiled from the last publication to date.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Awarding Contract For Furnishing an Adding Machine For the Treasurer's Office.

Resolution No. 9576 (New Series).

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing one nine-bank electric adding machine with listing attachment, for use in the Treasurer's office, is hereby awarded to the Burroughs Adding Machine Company for the sum of \$563.50, proposals therefor having been received pursuant to Journal Resolution No. 310.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Requesting the Underwriters and Fire Insurance Companies to Make a Reduction in the Cost of Insurance Effected by the High Pressure System Installed by the City.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
J. R. No. 325.

Whereas, The City and County has, during the past four years, expended

approximately five million of dollars in securing protection for the property of its citizens from destruction by fire and that the following portions of its High Pressure Auxillary Water System for Fire Protection are now in actual service, to wit:

Two fire boats for the protection of shipping and property along the water front.

Eighty-five cisterns distributed throughout the City.

Forty-two miles of high pressure mains connected with the Twin Peaks and Ashbury Heights reservoirs and with the pumping station at Second and Townsend streets, together with an adequate supply of hose and other apparatus to meet all reasonable demands, and

Whereas, The public was given to understand that when the aforesaid system was in service, a substantial reduction in the cost of fire insurance would be made, to the end that the great cost of such system imposed upon the tax payers would be met with corresponding benefits to be extended by the several insurance companies; now therefore

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, that in its opinion the time is at hand for the fulfillment of the promises made to the people of this city, and the Board of Fire Underwriters and insurance companies doing business in the community are respectfully requested to make such reduction in the cost of insurance as is warranted by the great additional security from fire loss now effected by the high pressure system installed by the city.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Requesting the Pacific Gas and Electric Company to Install Gas Lamps.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 326.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and

Electric Company is hereby requested to install gas and arc lamps as follows:

One arc lamp on Fourteenth avenue, between California and Lake streets.

One gas lamp on north side of Ellis street, 292 feet west of Van Ness avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Supervisor Murdock presented the following bills and resolution, which, upon motion, were referred to the Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee:

Bill No. —. Ordinance No. — (New Series). Repealing Section 7 of Ordinance No. 2190 (New Series), approved July 9, 1912, relating to the Bureau of Efficiency.

Also, Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series). Authorizing the appointment of a Director of the Bureau of Efficiency by the Civil Service Commission and fixing and providing for his compensation.

Resolution No. — (New Series). Resolved, That the sum of three thousand dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the General Fund for the fiscal year 1912, Budget Item No. 26, by the Civil Service Commission, for the purpose of enabling them to perform the duties imposed upon them by Section 14 of Article XIII of the Charter.

His Honor the Mayor requested that Supervisor Murdock represent the city at a meeting of the Pennsylvania Society, to be held August 5th. The Supervisor agreed to serve in the capacity.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 3:35 p. m. adjourned, to again meet Monday, August 12, 1912, at the regular hour.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors August 12, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

City and County of San Francisco.

Monday, August 12, 1912

Journal of Proceedings Board of Supervisors

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, August 12, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met, pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of August 5, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Mayor Recommends Appointment of Director of Bureau of Efficiency and Economy.

The following matter was presented, read and ordered spread at length in the Journal:

August 9th, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, City Hall, City.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Section 35 of Article XVI of the Charter, the Civil Service Commission has applied to me for authority to appoint an additional employe, said employe to be known as, and designated, the "Director of the Bureau of Efficiency of the Civil Service Commission," his duty to be to assist said Commission in the performance of the duties imposed upon said Commission by Section 14 of Article XIII of the Charter. I have made investigation as to the necessity of such additional assistance and find the same to be necessary. I therefore recommend to your Honorable Board that you authorize the appointment of such additional employe by the Civil Service Commission, said employe to be known as and designated, the Director of the

Bureau of Efficiency of the Civil Service Commission.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

Communication from the Board of Public Works as to Portion of Auxiliary Water System Now in Service and Recommending That Steps be Taken to Reduce Insurance Rates.

The following communication was presented, read and ordered spread at length in the Journal:

Department of Public Works, 995 Market street.

San Francisco, August 10, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

The following parts of the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection are now in service, namely:

1. Two fire boats, fully equipped and manned.

2. The Second and Townsend Street Pumping Station, fully equipped and manned.

3. The east compartment of the Twin Peaks reservoir.

4. North of Market street, 20.89 miles of pipe;

South of Market street, 15.24 miles of pipe, or a total of 36.13 miles under pressure and in service.

5. There are in addition 12 miles of pipe laid and tested and nearly ready for similar service, bringing the total number of miles practically in service up to 48.13 miles. Connected with this mileage of pipe are 643 hydrants.

6. There are also in service 85 new fire cisterns holding 75,000 gallons each, or a total of 6,375,000 gallons.

This system will be subdivided by the laying of intersecting and intermediate pipes, the connections for which are now in place. It effectively covers the congested value district of the city, and is shown on the accompanying map. The completion of the system to this extent justifies the reduction in insurance rates, which was promised when the system was agreed upon.

This Board, therefore, recommends to your Honorable Board that you take

such steps as in your judgment may be deemed proper to secure to the people of this city who are now paying high insurance rates, the relief that this system justifies.

(See map filed.)

Respectfully,

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

By F. J. CHURCHILL, Secretary.

Relative to Acquisition of Land on Twin Peaks for Park Purposes.

The following matters were presented, read and ordered spread at length in the Journal:

Mayor's Office, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., August 12, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, San Francisco.

Gentlemen:—I beg to transmit to you, herewith, copy of my communication of August 6th, calling the attention of the Board of Park Commissioners to the fact that the land containing what is known as the "Twin Peaks" is likely to be sold to parties for the purpose of subdivision and sale, and requesting their consideration of the matter and recommendation to me of the practicability and advisability of the City's purchasing this, and including same in our park system.

I also beg to hand you, herewith, copy of reply received by me from the Board of Park Commissioners, and also copy of letter from Mr. A. J. Rich concerning this property and the property which your Honorable Board have authorized the City acquiring, by condemnation proceedings, for a reservoir site. Immediately upon receipt of communication from the Park Commissioners, making the recommendations in the matter, I shall transmit a copy of same to you.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,
Mayor.

Mayor's Office, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., August 6, 1912.
To the Honorable Park Commissioners of the City of San Francisco.

Dear Sirs:

It has been brought to my attention that the tract of land containing what is known as "Twin Peaks," close to the new reservoir site now under condemnation, and distant but a little way from the auxiliary fire water reservoir, is likely to be sold to parties for the purpose of subdivision and sale.

The land belongs to Wells, Fargo & Co., and I am informed that the portion containing the peaks, and a considerable area surrounding them, is being offered at what I am told is a comparatively small price.

The Twin Peaks constitute the skyline of San Francisco—a very important

and picturesque feature of our landscape.

In all ideas of "The City Beautiful" these hills form an attractive part.

It would be an irreparable loss to San Francisco were these to be disfigured, and pass from the scene, as daily beheld by our entire population.

I request that your Commission, at once, consider this matter and make a recommendation to me as to the practicability and advisability of including this land in our park system, so that I may submit the matter, as approved by you, for consideration by the Board of Supervisors.

Yours very respectfully,

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

San Francisco, August 7th, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor, City Hall, San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:

We send you herewith copy of letter of even date to Mr. Percy V. Long, City Attorney, concerning the 240 acres of land, known as the "Twin Peaks Land Holdings", standing in the name of Wells Fargo and Company Express.

We have had this property under option for some time, and had consummated the purchase almost simultaneously with the announcement in the newspapers, that the City desired the property for a reservoir site, and possibly for park purposes.

We assure you we have no desire to hinder you in this matter, and are perfectly willing to enter into negotiations with the city authorities, providing that the matter is not too long delayed.

As we verbally advised over the telephone, we are delighted to hold ourselves at your service in the premises.

Cordially yours,
(Signed)

A. J. RICH.

August 7th, 1912.

Mr. Percy V. Long, City Attorney, City Hall, San Francisco.

Dear Sir:

Confirming our telephone of this morning:

Please be advised that we have written authorization, properly executed by Wells Fargo and Company Express, for the sale of two hundred and forty (240) acres, more or less, known as the "Twin Peaks and Holdings," and in compliance therewith, shall be glad to commence negotiations with your office covering the sale, in accordance with arrangement made by previous conversation.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) A. J. RICH & CO.

Park Lodge, August 9th, 1912.

Honorable James Rolph, Jr., Mayor of

the City and County of San Francisco, City Hall, San Francisco.

My Dear Mayor:

Your esteemed communication relative to the acquisition of the tract of land containing what is known as Twin Peaks, which is likely to be sold to parties for the purpose of subdivision and sale, was read and considered at the meeting of the Park Commissioners held August 7th.

The subject matter was referred to Superintendent McLaren, with instructions to make an early investigation into the same.

Respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES DE SUCCA,
Secretary.

Estimates of Cost and Specifications for Construction of Geary Street Municipal Railroad on Market Street From Market to Sansome Streets.

The following matter was presented, read, ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee and spread at length in the Journal:

San Francisco, August 9, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:—Complying with instructions from his Honor, the Mayor, this department has prepared and herewith submits to your Honorable Board, the following specifications:

No. 8394—For constructing the extension of the Geary Street Municipal Railway along Market street from Kearny street to the existing outer

tracks at Sansome street. The cost has been estimated at \$24,500.00, and the contract provides for a bonus of \$100.00 per day for a maximum of fifteen days.

No. 8385—Track special work.	
Estimated cost	\$13,000.00
No. 8386—Steel tie rods and nuts. Estimated cost	800.00
No. 8387—Rail spikes. Estimated cost	600.00
No. 8388—Tie plates. Estimated cost	3,600.00
No. 8389—Redwood cross ties. Estimated cost	6,000.00
No. 8390—Tubular steel trolley poles. Estimated cost..	3,900.00
No. 8391—Copper wire. Estimated cost	3,500.00
No. 8395—Copper joint bonds. Estimated cost	2,000.00

The quantities of the various class of material covered by these specifications are sufficient for the construction of the easterly extension along Market street to Sansome street, and the westerly extension from Thirty-third avenue to Ocean Beach, along the route designated in the report on that subject made and filed with your Honorable Board by Mr. B. J. Arnold.

The necessary changes of grade and the grading operations essential to the westerly extensions, have been recommended; the rails, rail joints and fastenings for the proposed extensions, are on hand.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS,
By F. J. Churchill, Secretary.

REPORT OF MAYOR ON CASH AND SECURITIES IN THE TREASURER'S OFFICE.

The following matter was presented by his Honor the Mayor; read, ordered filed and ordered spread at length in the Journal:

August 12, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

As one of the duties incumbent upon the Mayor is to count the coin and check the securities in the Treasurer's vaults, I desire to submit herewith the result of my verification of same, conducted at intervals between the period commencing June 19th and ending July 30th, 1912.

The Treasurer's statement of funds and securities in his possession on June 19th, 1912, when my examination was begun, was as follows:

Counter cash	160,319.73
Cash in current vault.....	361,060.00
Cash in joint custody vault.....	3,000,000.00
Bank deposits	3,576,500.00
Crocker Bank int	100,000.00

Total\$7,197,879.73

During my examination of the Treasurer's vaults there were present Treasurer McDougalds, Mr. W. B. Birdsall, the expert for the Grand Jury and, in the absence of, the Auditor from the State, Chief Deputy Auditor John Boyle.

On June 19th I counted the counter cash, verified the Crocker Bank interest fund and found in the joint custody vault one hundred and fifty (150) properly sealed and tagged bags, said to contain \$20,000 in gold each. After this count of the number of bags it contained, the joint custody vault was locked and sealed until each of the bags should have been opened and its contents counted.

On June 20th the examination was continued by verifying the amount of unsold municipal bonds in the possession of the Treasurer and also the record of the bonds on deposit with him as security for deposits of City and County funds with several banks in this City and throughout California.

From June 27th until July 30th, according to the amount of reserve funds required for the payment of demands upon the Treasury, the sealed and tagged bags in the joint custody safe were opened and counted and the money placed in the current vault. All of these sacks, even those with the seal of the U. S. Mint, as well as each of the smaller sacks contained in them, were opened and the gold counted, with the exception of fourteen (14) Mint sacks which were in my presence paid out over the cashier's counter intact, to meet large payments.

The detailed result of the Mayor's count is as follows:

COUNTER CASH.

Coin	\$18,482.73	
Currency	7,644.00	
Checks	112,597.62	
Demands	21,235.38	
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		\$160,319.73

CASH IN CURRENT VAULT.

Gold	\$350,000.00	
Silver	11,050.00	
Coppers	10.00	
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		\$361,060.00

CROCKER BANK INTEREST.

Interest	\$100,000.00
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CASH IN JOINT CUSTODY VAULT.

June 27th, 1912—

150 bags in vault, each said to contain \$20,000.00
 Removed and counted thirty (30) bags (\$20,000.00 each)\$600,000.00
 (120 bags remaining in vault when sealed.)

June 28th, 1912—

120 bags in vault, each said to contain \$20,000.00
 Removed and counted twenty (20) bags (\$20,000.00 each)\$400,000.00
 (100 bags remaining in vault when sealed.)

July 5th, 1912—

100 bags in vault, each said to contain \$20,000.00
 Removed and counted twenty (20) bags (\$20,000.00 each)\$400,000.00
 (80 bags remaining in vault when sealed.)

July 18th, 1912—

80 bags in vault, each said to contain \$20,000.00
 Removed and counted six (6) bags (\$20,000.00 each) . \$120,000.00
 Removed six (6) additional U. S. Mint bags, which
 were paid out intact over counter (\$20,000.00 each) . \$120,000.00
 (68 bags remaining in vault when sealed.)

July 23rd, 1912—

68 bags in vault, each said to contain \$20,000.00
 Removed and counted thirty (30) bags (\$20,000.00 each)\$600,000.00
 Removed eight (8) additional U. S. Mint bags, which
 were paid out intact over counter (\$20,000.00 each) . \$160,000.00

(30 original bags remaining in vault when sealed.)

(On account of lack of room in current vault, five bags of gold already counted were re-sealed by the Treasurer and Auditor and restored to joint custody vault, each containing \$20,000.00 and stamped July 23rd, 1912.)

(Joint number of bags in vault when sealed, 35.)

July 24th, 1912—

Thirty (30) uncounted and original bags in vault

Five (5) restored and counted bags additional in vault

Twenty-five original bags removed and counted (each found to contain \$20,000.00).....\$500,000.00

(Five (5) original bags remaining in vault when sealed)

(In addition to the five bags of counted gold restored to vault July 23rd, the twenty-five bags counted July 24th were re-sealed by the Treasurer and Auditor and restored to joint custody vault, each containing \$20,000.00 and stamped July 24th, 1912)

(Joint number of bags in vault when sealed, 35)

July 30th, 1912—

Five original and uncounted bags in vault

(Thirty (30) additional restored and counted bags in vault)

Five (5) original bags removed and counted.....\$100,000.00

Total in joint custody vault.....\$3,000,000.00

Bank deposits3,576,500.00

Grand total as per Mayor's examination.....\$7,197,879.73

Hereunder you will find itemized the bonds on deposit and also bank securities:

BONDS ON DEPOSIT WITH CITY AND COUNTY TREASURER

June 19th, 1912.

Banks.	Denomination of Bonds.	Par Value.	Deposit.
French-American Bank.....	S. F. School 5%	\$ 50,000.00	\$46,500.00
Donohoe-Kelly Banking Co..	U. S. Government 4% ...	50,000.00	50,000.00
First Natl. Bank of S. F....	Los Angeles 4½%	85,000.00	75,000.00
First Fed. Trust Co. of S. F..	Los Angeles 4½%	63,000.00	56,250.00
City and County Bank, S. F..	S. F. 5%	69,000.00	63,000.00
Portuguese-American Bank...	S. F. 3½%	64,500.00	
	Oakland 4½%	14,000.00	68,000.00
Redwood City Com. Bank....	San Jose Municipal Imp..	31,700.00	25,000.00
Bank of Commerce, Oakland.	San Jose 4½%	10,250.00	
	S. F. 4½%	12,000.00	19,800.00
Italian-American Bank.....	S. F. 5%	100,000.00	
	County of Kern 4½% ...	6,000.00	100,000.00
Livermore Valley Sav. Bank.	Los Angeles 4½%	8,000.00	6,800.00
First Natl. Bank, Berkeley...	S. F. 5%	17,000.00	
	S. F. 3½%	53,000.00	62,500.00
Bank of Sausalito.....	S. F. 5%	8,000.00	7,000.00
First Natl. Bank, Livermore.	San Leandro School	16,000.00	14,000.00
Cal. Natl. Bank, Sacramento.	S. F. 5%	82,000.00	75,750.00
A. Mierson Bankg. Co., Placerville	S. F. 3½%	10,000.00	
	Santa Rosa 4%	2,500.00	10,000.00
Stirling City Bank.....	S. F. 5%	13,000.00	12,000.00
Bank of Yolo, Woodland....	S. F. 5%	77,000.00	71,750.00
Central Savings Bank, Lodi..	S. F. 5%	13,600.00	12,300.00
Alameda, Savings Bank.....	City of Alameda	23,000.00	20,000.00

Bank of North. Cal, Redding.	S. F. 5%	11,000.00	
	Long Beach City H. Schl.	6,000.00	11,250.00
Napa Savings Bank.....	Stockton 5%	4,000.00	3,000.00
First Natl. Bank, Fresno....	S. F. 5%	52,000.00	48,000.00
Contra Costa Bank, Black Diamond	S. F. 5%	12,000.00	10,000.00
First Natl. Bank, Salinas....	S. F. 5%	20,000.00	19,000.00
The Mission Bank, S. F.....	Los Angeles 4½%	25,000.00	
	S. F. 3½%	2,000.00	
	S. F. 5%	4,000.00	26,250.00
Farmers & Merchants' Natl. Bank, Livermore.....	S. F. 4½%	5,000.00	
	Yuba City 6%	11,500.00	15,150.00
Livermore Savings Bank.....	S. F. 4½%	10,000.00	
	Yuba City 6%	2,500.00	11,500.00
Colfax Bank, Colfax.....	S. F. 5%	7,000.00	6,000.00
Natl. Bank of D. O. Mills, Sacramento	S. F. 3½%	17,000.00	
	S. F. 5%	32,000.00	45,000.00
San Ramon Valley Bank, Walnut Creek.....	Sebastopol 4½%	17,250.00	15,000.00
Petaluma Natl. Bank.....	S. F. 3½%	5,000.00	
	Sonoma County 4½%	29,000.00	30,000.00
Central Savings Bank of Oakland	Oakland School District.	7,000.00	
	City of Lodi 5%	41,666.00	34,950.00
First Natl. Bank, Auburn....	Deal School 6%	2,000.00	
	Thermal School Dist. 5%	5,000.00	6,250.00
Alameda Natl. Bank.....	Alameda 4½%	13,250.00	11,250.00
Farmers' Bank of Wheatland.	S. F. 5%	19,000.00	18,000.00
First Trust & Savings Bank of Oakland.....	S. F. 5%	30,000.00	27,000.00
Bank of Cal. Natl. Assn....	S. F. 5%	155,000.00	150,000.00
Sotoyome Bank, Healdsburg.	Los Angeles 4½%	3,000.00	
	Berkeley 4½%	2,000.00	
	S. F. 5%	5,000.00	9,400.00
South Berkeley Bank.....	Berkeley 4½%	2,000.00	
	Santa Monica 4½%	8,000.00	
	Oakland 4½%	11,000.00	
	City of Redding 5%	4,000.00	
	S. F. 5%	2,000.00	
	S. F. 3½%	1,000.00	25,000.00
First Natl. Bank, Sonora....	Marysville 4½%	5,000.00	
	Lindsey School District..	1,000.00	5,500.00
Auburn Sav. Bank, Auburn..	Corona 5%	3,000.00	
	Hanford 5%	4,500.00	
	Doris School 6%	2,500.00	
	Long Beach 5%	3,000.00	12,500.00
People's Bank of Turlock....	S. F. 5%	10,000.00	9,600.00
City Sav. Bank, Santa Cruz..	S. F. 5%	27,000.00	25,000.00
Union Natl. Bank, Fresno....	S. F. 5%	25,000.00	24,000.00
Farmers & Mechanics' Bank, Healdsburg	S. F. 5%	5,000.00	4,500.00
Bank of Tulare.....	S. F. 5%	15,000.00	8,000.00
Calistoga Natl. Bk., Calistoga.	S. F. 5%	8,000.00	7,000.00
Wells Fargo Nevada Natl. Bank	S. F. 5%	216,000.00	200,000.00
Santa Rosa Natl. Bank.....	S. F. 5%	40,000.00	37,500.00
First Natl. Bank, Dixon.....	S. F. 5%	13,000.00	12,500.00
Com. & Sav. Bk., Stockton...	S. F. 5%	50,000.00	48,000.00

Calaveras County Bank, Angel's Camp	S. F. 5%	10,000.00	9,650.00
First Natl. Bk., Palo Alto...	S. F. 4½%	11,000.00	10,000.00
Farmers & Mechanics' Bank, Sacramento	S. F. 5%	42,000.00	40,000.00
Sacramento Valley Trust Co., Sacramento	S. F. 3½%	57,000.00	47,500.00
Redding Savings Bank.....	Sausalito 5%	8,000.00	5,000.00
Homestead Sav. Bank, Berkeley	S. F. 5%	9,000.00	8,000.00
Salinas City Bank.....	Aetna Union District 6%	6,600.00	
	Escondido 5%	8,000.00	
	S. F. 5%	26,000.00	36,000.00
Del Norte Co. Bank, Crescent City	S. F. 5%	11,000.00	10,000.00
Ferndale City Bk., Ferndale.	City of Kern 4½%	11,000.00	10,000.00
Union Trust Co. of S. F.....	S. F. 5%	90,000.00	85,000.00
People's Savings Bank, Sacramento	S. F. 5%	20,000.00	11,000.00
Union Natl. Bank, San Luis Obispo	S. F. 5%	8,000.00	7,800.00
Bank of Gilroy.....	S. F. 5%	15,000.00	6,500.00
North. Cal. Bank of Savings, Marysville	Fruitvale School 5%	10,000.00	
	Imp. Val. High School 6%	25,000.00	
	Watsonville School 5%	10,000.00	25,000.00
First Natl. Bank, Fort Bragg.	S. F. 5%	25,000.00	25,000.00
First Natl. Bank, Merced....	S. F. 3½%	10,300.00	8,900.00
Yolo County Savings Bank, Woodland	Oakland 4½%	17,000.00	15,500.00
Citizens' Bank, Nevada City.	Oakland 4½%	11,000.00	4,000.00
Anglo & London Paris Natl. Bank	Los Angeles 4½%	168,000.00	
	Geary St. 4½%	30,000.00	
	City of Long Beach 4½%	50,000.00	225,000.00
Mutual Sav. Bank, S. F.....	S. F. 3½%	187,500.00	85,000.00
Petaluma Savings Bank.....	S. F. 4½%	25,000.00	22,500.00
First Natl. Bank, Sebastopol.	S. F. 4½%	15,000.00	13,500.00
Dairymen's Bk., Valley Ford.	S. F. 4½%	20,000.00	18,000.00
Bank & Tr. Co. of Tomales..	S. F. 4½%	40,000.00	18,000.00
First Natl. Bank, Pleasanton.	S. F. 4½%	6,000.00	5,400.00
Bank of Italy.....	S. F. 3½%	49,500.00	
	S. F. 4½%	15,000.00	
	S. F. 5%	80,000.00	
	Los Angeles 4½%	60,000.00	
	Oakland 4½%	10,000.00	
	San Anselmo 4½%	8,500.00	
	San Leandro 5%	8,000.00	
	Pomona 4½%	4,000.00	
	Fruitvale 5%	16,000.00	230,000.00
West. Met. Natl. Bank.....	S. F. Municipal Bonds...	445,500.00	402,500.00
Anglo California Trust Co...	S. F. 5%	150,000.00	133,000.00
Bank of Cent. Cal., Fresno...	S. F. 4½%	10,000.00	9,000.00
First Natl. Bank, Coalinga...	S. F. 4½%	5,000.00	4,500.00
Seaboard Natl. Bank, S. F...	S. F. 5%	74,000.00	70,000.00
First Natl. Bank, San Pedro..	S. F. 4½%	10,000.00	9,000.00
Sav. Bank of St. Helena....	S. F. 4½%	14,000.00	12,500.00
Marine Trust & Sav. Bank...	S. F. 4½%	30,000.00	27,000.00
Sonoma County Natl. Bank, Petaluma	S. F. 4½%	40,000.00	36,000.00
Internatl. Banking Corpn....	Los Angeles 4½%	5,000.00	

	Madera 5%	5,000.00	
	Turlock 5%	5,400.00	
	Yuba City 6%	5,000.00	
	Modesto 5%	5,000.00	
	San Diego 4½%	3,000.00	
	Sacramento 4½%	5,000.00	
	Sausalito 5%	5,000.00	
	S. F. 5%	10,000.00	
	S. F. 4½%	12,000.00	54,000.00
Merchants' Natl. Bank.....	Sisson 5%	40,000.00	38,000.00
Savings Dept., International Banking Corporation	S. F. 4½%	35,000.00	32,000.00
Santa Rosa Bank.....	S. F. 5%	10,000.00	
	Glen County 5%	30,000.00	
	Court House 5%	22,000.00	55,000.00
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			\$3,576,500.00

To verify this record and my examination of these securities, made on June 20th, 1912, the following letter was sent by me to each of these institutions:

"One of my duties is to count the coin and check the securities in the Treasurer's office. I have been engaged in this work during the past few days, and I find that the City and County of San Francisco has made a deposit with your bank, as security for which you have deposited certain securities with the Treasurer.

"Might I trouble you to favor me with a statement of the amount of the funds you have on deposit from the City and County of San Francisco, and likewise a detailed statement of the securities which you have placed as security against same with the Treasurer of this City and County.

"Appreciating your kind attention to this request, I beg to remain,

"Very truly yours,

"(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor."

The letters of reply, copies of which are attached to this report, verify in every case and respect the correctness of the Treasurer's accounts and the result of my examination.

In addition to the above registered bonds, I found the following printed but unsold bonds in the Treasurer's possession, June 20th, 1912:

School Bonds, 1904	(Nos. 606- 774 inc.—each \$ 100.00)
	(Nos. 519- 666 inc.—each 500.00)
	(Nos. 987-1206 inc.—each 1,000.00)
Sewer Bonds, 1904	(Nos. 737-1012 inc.—each 100.00)
	(Nos. 545- 748 inc.—each 500.00)
	(Nos. 1105-1518 inc.—each 1,000.00)
Library Bonds, 1904	(Nos. 379- 840 inc.—each 100.00)
	(Nos. 253- 566 inc.—each 500.00)
	(Nos. 577-1277 inc.—each 1,000.00)

Polytechnic Bonds, 1910 (144 bonds altogether—\$1,000.00 each)

The following printed, unsold and likewise unsigned bonds were also in his possession on that date:

Market Street Railway Bonds, 1910—(Nos. 1-120, \$1,000.00 each)

Garbage System Bonds, 1908—152 in all

Hospital Bonds, 1908—200 in all.

A list of the registered bonds in the Treasurer's office is also appended, together with the names of the parties or institutions they are credited to. These names are kept secret by the Treasurer and I do not deem it proper that they become public property.

I ascertained that the provisions of Chapter III, Section III, of the Charter are complied with by the Treasurer in all necessary particulars as regards the joint custody safe, the amount of gold and silver contained in each properly sealed and tagged bag therein and the entries in the joint custody book which is kept in the vault and shows necessary withdrawals therefrom.

RECAPITULATION.

Counter Cash	\$ 160,319.73
Cash in Current Vault	361,060.00
Cash in Joint Custody Vault	3,000,000.00
Bank Deposits	3,576,500.00
Crocker Bank Interest	100,000.00
Grand Total	\$7,197,879.73

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES ROLPH, Jr.,

Mayor.

Report of the Fourth of July Committee.

The following report was presented, read and ordered filed:

San Francisco, August 12, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: I beg leave to report that the Fourth of July Committee, appointed by His Honor the Mayor, covers back into the Treasury \$112.07.

In handling this matter this year, your Committee deemed it advisable to make the celebration as general as possible and as diversified as might be. Therefore the playgrounds and parks were selected for separate programs, which were very successfully carried out.

In doing this there was allowed the following sums:

To playgrounds	\$735.00
Washington square	554.00
Smaller parks	555.00
Mission Parks	566.00

Total\$2410.00

The total expenditures, the bills all being paid, amount to \$2387.93.

To facilitate the payment of these bills, the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors was directed to draw the appropriation of \$2500.00, deposit it and pay all bills by check.

All demands of whatever character were properly O. K'd by the Auditing Committee of the Fourth of July Committee, Messrs. Thomas E. Hayden and Alexander Russell. They were then handed to the Clerk, who drew checks and took receipts. All the checks and stubs are returned to the Auditor, and the balance of \$112.07 is paid into the Treasury.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY PAYOT,

Chairman Fourth of July Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their

respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were read and ordered filed, to wit:

Fire Committee—by Supervisor Giannini, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—by Supervisor Bancroft, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—by Supervisor Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—by Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—by Supervisor Koshland, Chairman.

HETCH HETCH VALLEY INSPECTION TRIP.

His Honor the Mayor stated that the U. S. Army Engineers, the City Attorney, Mr. Freeman and himself would leave tonight on a trip of inspection to Hetch Hetchy Valley, returning Friday night. He declared that Washington is desirous of obtaining the report as to water supply sources required by San Francisco, and that the occasion afforded the members of the Board an opportunity to familiarize themselves with the situation. He stated that there was room in the automobile for two or three more members and suggested that Supervisor Vogelsang, Chairman of the Public Utilities, and one or two other members who have not been to Hetch Hetchy accompany the party.

Motion.

Supervisor Giannini moved that Supervisors Vogelsang and Koshland be granted a leave of absence and be added to the party.

Motion carried.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Motor Runabouts.

Proposals for furnishing two motor runabouts for use of the Department of Electricity were received, opened and read, being as follows:

1. Marin Motor Car Co., \$1380; cer-

tified check, \$138, Merchants National Bank.

2. Studebaker Bros., \$1380; certified check, \$138, Bank of California.

Ordered referred to Supplies Committee.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9577 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter accounts to the following named claimants:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Marshall Newhall Supply Co. (claim dated June 29, 1912)	\$ 562.71
Associated Oil Co. (claim dated June 29, 1912)	1,509.04
Catholic Humane Bureau (claim dated June 30, 1912)	4,047.60
Albertinum Orphanage (claim dated June 30, 1912)	501.30
State of California (claim dated June 30, 1912)	677.60

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Brown & Power (claim dated July 23, 1912)	\$ 1,205.36
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Budget Item No. 42, Water for Public Buildings.

Spring Valley Water Company (claim dated July 29, 1912)	\$ 1,791.68
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Budget Item No. 51, Lighting Streets and Public Buildings.

Pacific Gas & Electric Company (claim dated August 1, 1912)	\$34,521.13
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Budget Item No. 243, Contingent Expenses of Police Department.

D. A. White, Chief, August allowance (claim dated August 1, 1912)	\$666.66
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City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Fund.

A. Carlisle & Co. (claim dated July 19, 1912), to be paid out of premium from sale of bonds, engraving and printing City Hall bonds..	\$ 3,225.00
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Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

Cyril Williams, Jr., salary and expenses, report on San Francisco-Tuolumne water supply system (claim dated July 31, 1912)	\$ 2,464.95
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Public Building Fund 1908, San Francisco Hospital.

Speck Mfg. Co. (claim dated July 24, 1912)	\$ 1,150.00
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Wittman, Lyman Co. (claim dated July 23, 1912)	1,792.00
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Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.

Healy-Tibbitts & Co. (claim dated July 23, 1912), final payment on contract No. 20, North Point main.....	\$ 4,000.00
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Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Mitchell & Savage (claim dated July 31, 1912), contract No. 32, Ashbury Heights tank, final payment	\$ 5,234.75
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Geary Street Railway Fund.

Mahoney Bros. (claim dated August 2, 1912), progressive payment	\$54,632.57
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School Bond Fund, 1908.

W. H. Hennessy (claim dated July 30, 1912), ninth progressive payment on Girls' High School	\$18,072.00
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Charles E. Thomas Co. (claim dated July 30, 1912) heating and ventilating Girls' High School, fourth progressive payment	3,000.00
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William Le Baron (claim dated July 31, 1912), painting Girls' High School, third progressive payment.	1,324.00
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Flinn & Treacy (claim dated June 4, 1912), yard work at Junipero Serra School, second payment	750.00
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General Fund, 1911-12.

Walter Huff & Co. (claim dated November 15, 1911), for Bay View police station	\$ 574.80
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Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Providing \$25,000 for Equipment of Polytechnic High School.

Resolution No. 9578 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$25,000 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the proceeds of the sale of the Polytechnic High School bonds, issue 1910, to enable the Board of Education to purchase, as need may arise, equipment for the new Polytechnic High School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Providing \$1250 for Sanitation.

Resolution No. 9579 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$1250.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Health out of Budget Item No. 382-A, for special emergency sanitation measures for the continuance of special sanitation work during the month of August.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Providing \$2000 for Repairs to Junipero Serra and Sloat Boulevards.

Resolution No. 9580 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2,000.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Park Commissioners out of the Budget Item No. 549, paving, repaving, grading etc., for immediate repairs to Junipero Serra and Sloat boulevards.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Providing \$700 for Printing City Attorney's Opinions.

Resolution No. 9581 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$700 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Supplies Committee out of Budget Item No. 18, printing public documents, in printing opinions of the City Attorney.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Providing \$2400 for Employment of Additional Clerk for Juvenile Court.

Resolution No. 9582 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2,400 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Juvenile Court out of the Budget Item No. 39, urgent necessities, for the employment of an additional Clerk for the fiscal year 1912-1913.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Authorization.

Resolution No. 9583 (New Series).

as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditure be and the same is hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned fund to the following named claimant, to-wit:

General Fund, 1911-12—

The Bernhard Mattress Company, bunks, mattresses and covers, City Prison (claim dated June 26, 1912).....\$626.25

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Blasting Permits.

Resolution No. 9584 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Foster Vogt Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of grading the property at the southwest corner of Fourteenth and Mission streets, in construction of the San Francisco Armory building; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said Foster Vogt Company, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Resolution No. 9585 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Dimond Estate Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for a period of one hundred and eighty (180) days from the date of approval of this resolution, for the purpose of grading the property in the Dimond Tract, situate near the county line, midway between Mission street and San Bruno avenue, in Visitation Valley; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works

and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said above named corporation, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy,
Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Changing Grades on Polk Street.

Bill No. 2196, Ordinance No. 1969 (New Series), Changing and establishing the official grades on Polk street between Lombard and Bay streets, and on Chestnut and Francisco streets between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; and ordering certain regrading of said mentioned portions of said streets and certain street work to be done thereon.

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors, on the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, did on the 15th day of May, 1912, by Resolution of Intention No. 9441 (New Series), declare its intention to change and establish the grades of Polk street between Lombard and Bay streets, and on Chestnut street and Francisco street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; and to order certain street work to be done thereon, to-wit:

The re-grading of Polk street between Lombard and Bay streets and of Chestnut street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; also, the re-sewering of Polk street, between Lombard and Chestnut streets; of Chestnut street between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue, and the crossing of Polk and Chestnut streets; also, the re-laying of such curbs as are now in good condition, and the reconstruction of such paving or other street improvements as have been constructed to official grade on Polk street between Lombard and Bay streets, and on Chestnut and Francisco streets between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; and in said resolution did define and establish the district to be benefited by such changes or modifications of such grade and such regrading, recurb, sewerage and other improvements, and to be assessed for the damages caused thereby, and the cost of making the same as therein specified, and did direct the Clerk to publish for ten (10) days in the official newspaper said resolution of intention; and.

Whereas, said resolution was so published for ten (10) days, and the Board of Public Works within ten (10) days after the first publication of said resolution of intention caused notices of the passage of said resolution to be conspicuously posted along all streets within the district defined in the resolution in the manner and form as required by the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, and by law; and,

Whereas, more than forty (40) days have elapsed since the first publication of said resolution of intention, and no protest of the owners of two-thirds (2-3) of the property fronting on the streets the grades of which are to be changed or modified, and no protest of the owners of a majority of the superficial area of the property included within the assessment district defined in said resolution of intention have been filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors; now, therefore,

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The grades of the following named streets at the points hereinafter named, and at elevations above City base as hereinafter stated, are changed and established as follows:

On Polk street at the northerly line of Lombard street at 140 feet. (The same being the present official grade.)

On Polk street at the crossing of Chestnut street, raised and established at 120 feet.

On Polk street at the crossing of Francisco street, lowered and established at 104 feet.

On Polk street at the crossing of Bay street, at 80 feet. (The same being the present official grade.)

On Polk street, between Lombard and Bay streets, and on Chestnut and Francisco streets, between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue, changed and established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations above given therefor and the present official grade of Chestnut and Francisco streets at Larkin street and Van Ness avenue.

Section 2. The following street work on the following portions of the above mentioned streets is hereby ordered to be done, to-wit:

The re-grading of Polk street, between Lombard and Bay streets and of Chestnut street, between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue; also the re-sewering of Polk street, between Lombard and Chestnut streets; of Chestnut street, between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue, and the crossing of Polk and Chestnut streets; also the re-laying of such

curbs as are now in good condition, and the reconstruction of such paving or other street improvements as have been constructed to official grade on Polk street, between Lombard and Bay streets, and on Chestnut and Francisco streets, between Larkin street and Van Ness avenue.

Section 3. The actual cost of performing the work of reggrading and sewerling and otherwise improving said portions of said streets as above specified shall be assessed upon the said district described in Resolution of Intention No. 9441 (New Series), which is above declared to be benefited by such changed or modified grade (except that the Board of Supervisors reserves the right in its discretion to order by Ordinance that the whole or any part of the cost and expense of the work aforesaid or the damages resulting therefrom be paid out of the Treasury of the City and County of San Francisco, from such funds as the Board of Supervisors may designate).

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting, was taken up and again laid over one week:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of eighty-three thousand dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Fire Protection Account of the Public Building Fund, bond issue of 1908, for the purpose of paying the cost of hauling and laying high pressure pipe in the district bounded by Market street, Second street, Division street and Kansas street, known as District No. 6, this appropriation being in addition to that of \$95,000 made by Resolution No. 8319 (New Series).

Closing Accounts of Completed Contracts.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings, the Clerk was directed to request Board of Public Works to advise Supervisors as to closing accounts for contracts which have been completed.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$174,117.36 and numbered consecutively 23,097 to 23,506 inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

<i>General Fund, 1912-13.</i>	
Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., 13th payment, Mission street viaduct, southerly section (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	\$1,569.38
Standard Portland Cement Co., cement, Board of Public Works (claim dated July 17, 1912)	527.25
Antioch Sand Co., sand, Board of Public Works (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	1,322.77
D. D. Lowney, 2 sprinkling wagons (claim dated July 17, 1912)	944.00
The Rincon Publishing Company, printing public documents (claim dated Aug. 2nd, 1912)	637.21
Spring Valley Water Company, hydrants (claim dated July 31, 1912)	10,965.58
J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Police Department (claim dated July 30, 1912)	805.64
J. W. Schouten & Co., lumber (claim dated July 17, 1912)	2,205.25
J. W. Schouten & Co., lumber (claim dated July 26, 1912)	769.02
J. D. Grant, rehabilitation of Grant Building (claim dated July 27, 1912)	1,260.00

Library Fund.

The Emporium, books (claim dated July 31, 1912)

\$511.01

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue

July 1, 1910.

C. E. Grunsky, water supply investigations (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912)	\$1,725.00
J. H. Dockweiler, water supply investigations (claim dated July 31, 1912)	1,550.00
J. H. Dockweiler, water supply investigations (claim dated July 31, 1912)	4,477.63
<i>Garbage Incinerator Plants. Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
McLean, Haggans & Aden, 2nd payment, construction, Islais Creek incinerator (claim dated Aug. 7, 1912)	\$4,308.75
The Destructor Co., 5th payment, construction, Islais Creek and North Beach incinerators (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912)	24,137.06
<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
F. Rolandi, 1st payment, car house construction (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912)	\$7,500.00
<i>Sewer Construction, Public Building Fund, Series 1904.</i>	
Karl Ehrhart, 3rd payment, Thirteenth avenue and Cabrillo street sewer (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	\$ 2,941.05
Karl Ehrhart, 1st payment, San Jose avenue sewer (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	1,711.80
State Construction Co., 1st payment, Stanyan and Oak streets sewers (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	2,495.29
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.</i>	
J. W. Carr, 4th payment, foundation and excavation, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912)	2,100.00
<i>School Construction, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
Chas. Lauffer, assignee of V. J. Belknap, 3rd payment, plumbing, Lowell High School (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	3,000.00
Elmer Carlson, 11th payment, general construction, Lowell High School (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	12,225.00
<i>San Francisco Hospital. Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
Butte Engineering Co., 1st payment, electric clock and signal system, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 5, 1912)	1,125.00
John G. Sutton Co., 1st payment, plumbing, Receiving Building, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 30, 1912)	2,700.00
Smith & Johnson, 9th payment, plastering, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 7, 1912)	8,000.00
<i>Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 2nd payment, Sec. M, North Point main sewer (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	13,547.18
Daniel Contracting Co., 11th payment, Sec. G, North Point main sewer (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	6,586.10
Daniel Contracting Co., 2nd payment, Sec. C-2, North Point main sewer (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	9,719.58
Contra Costa Construction Co., 5th payment, Sec. C, Ingleside Outlet sewer (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	9,498.00
Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., 15th payment, Mission street sewer, Silver avenue to Bosworth (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	1,923.38
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Robt. C. Storrie & Co., 5th payment, hauling and laying cast iron pressure mains, Sec. No. 1 (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	\$17,066.22
Michael Murphy, 9th payment, hauling and laying cast iron pressure mains, Sec. No. 4 (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	19,528.42
Enterprise Foundry Co., 24th payment, cast iron specials (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912)	4,676.15
Caldwell & Co., 5th payment, construction, Pumping Station No. 2 (claim dated July 31, 1912)	3,170.25
<i>Motion.</i>	
<i>Supervisor Giannini moved that the Clerk be directed to notify Michael Murphy that his demand for \$19,528.42 will not be finally passed unless he replaces pavement on recent job in Van Ness avenue.</i>	
<i>Motion carried.</i>	
<i>Appropriations.</i>	
Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:	
Resolved, That the following accounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:	
<i>Budget Item No. 549, "Paving, Repairing, Repairs to Streets, etc."</i>	
For City's portion of constructing granite curbs and asphalt pavement, crossing of Sixteenth and Hampshire streets (recommended by Board of Public Works).\$	361.50

For street work in front of City property. Twenty-first avenue, between Fulton and Cabrillo streets (recommended by Board of Public Works)	350.00
For repairs to Junipero Serra and Sloat Boulevards; to be expended by Park Commission; additional appropriation	1,500.00
For repair of streets, month of August, 1912	45,000.00
For repair and cleaning of sewers, month of August, 1912	12,000.00
<i>Budget Item No. 553, Maintenance, Cleaning, Sweeping and Sprinkling Streets.</i>	
For street cleaning, month of August, 1912	\$27,000.00
<i>Budget Item No. 40, General Fund.</i>	
For repairs to Grant Building, formerly occupied by City departments	\$1,260.00
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
For connecting Ashbury Heights tank with 12-inch main of the Spring Valley Water Company on Clayton street for purpose of filling Twin Peaks reservoir (recommended by Board of Public Works)	\$ 600.00
Providing \$5000 for Use of Supplies Committee.	

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of Budget Item No. 26, under direction and supervision of the Supplies Committee.

Garage and Oil Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted: *Garages—*

G. E. Marshall, north line of Geary street, 68 feet 9 inches west of Taylor street.

Dow & Green, west side of Taylor street, 62 feet 6 inches north of O'Farrell street.

Storage Tanks—

San Mateo Dairy Company, 1816 Howard street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Thomas F. Bannon, southeast corner of Polk and Turk streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

J. Warren Dutton, north side of California street, 77 feet 6 inches east of Hyde street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Vienna Bakery, 878 McAllister street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Emma G. Butler, northwest corner

of Fillmore and Post streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

E. A. Wasserman, east side of Ninth street, 75 feet north of Mission street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of George K. Frink to Sell for \$47,500 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9586 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, George K. Frink has offered to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of George K. Frink to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land free of all incumbrances, for the sum of forty-seven thousand five hundred (\$47,500.00) dollars, be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Polk street, running thence easterly along said northerly line of Fulton street 120 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the southerly line of Ash street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Ash street 120 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line of Fulton street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,

McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$47,500 to George K. Frink for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of forty-seven thousand five hundred (\$47,500) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account", in payment to George K. Frink as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Polk street, of dimensions 120 by 120 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4, required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Accepting Offer of William Goeggel to Sell for \$62,500 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9587 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, William Goeggel has offered to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of William Goeggel to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, for the sum of sixty-two thousand five hundred (\$62,500.00) dollars, is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Fulton street with the easterly line of Van Ness avenue; running thence easterly along said northerly line of Fulton street 109 feet; thence at right angles northerly 30 feet; thence at right angles westerly 109 feet to the said easterly line of Van Ness avenue; thence southerly along said easterly line of Van Ness avenue 30 feet to the said northerly line of Fulton street and point of commencement.

Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and improvements, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$62,500 to William Goeggel for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of sixty-two thousand five hundred (\$62,500.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account", in payment to William Goeggel as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the intersection of the northerly line of Fulton street with the easterly line of Van Ness avenue, of dimensions 30 feet x 109 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Accepting Offer of C. F. Townsend to Sell for \$16,000 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9588 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, C. F. Townsend has offered to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of C. F. Townsend to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land and improvements, free of all encumbrances, for the sum of sixteen thousand (\$16,000) dollars, be and is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Polk street, running thence easterly along said northerly line of McAllister street 30 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 30 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all encumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Aves—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$15,000 to C. F. Townsend for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of sixteen thousand (\$16,000.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account", in payment to C. F. Townsend as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the northerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Polk street, of dimensions 30 x 120 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5, required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Recommended.

The following resolution was intro-

duced by Supervisor Bancroft and referred to the Building Committee: Board of Public Works to Contract for Complete Plans and Specifications for New City Hall.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement and contract with Bakewell & Brown, architects, to complete plans, detailed drawings and specifications for the erection of a new City Hall, said contract and agreement to fix the fee of said architects at 4½ per cent on a maximum cost of \$3,500,000 for said proposed City Hall.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Extensions of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That J. Carr is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 4, 1912, within which to complete his contract for the excavation and foundation of the Polytechnic shop building, for the reason that the work cannot be completed until the steel frame is erected; and be it

Further Resolved, That the advertising charges for printing this resolution be remitted.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following extensions of time are hereby granted the herein named contractors in the construction of the San Francisco Hospital, as follows, to-wit:

To F. C. Roberts & Co., for turbines, sixty days from May 21, 1912.

To Speck Manufacturing Co., for sterilizers, ninety days from May 21, 1912.

These extensions are recommended by the Board of Public Works for the reason that final tests cannot be made, as no steam is being carried in the boilers of the power plant.

Also:

To W. P. Fuller & Co., for glazing, ninety days from July 11, 1912.

To Columbia Marble Co., for interior marble, ninety days from July 18, 1912: from October 16, 1912, to May 16, 1913.

To John G. Sutton Co., for disinfectors, ninety days from May 21, 1912.

To John G. Sutton Co., completion of plumbing, ninety days from May 23, 1912: from August 21, 1912, to May 21, 1913.

To Roebing Construction Co., for partitions, ninety days from December 25, 1911; from March 24, 1912, to May 24, 1913.

To Smith & Johnson, for plastering, ninety days from December 28, 1911; from March 27, 1912, to May 27, 1913.

To Wittman, Lyman & Co., for high pressure steam piping in Receiving building, ninety days from August 17, 1911; from November 14, 1911, to May 14, 1913.

To Lowry & Daly, for tiling, from September 7, 1912, to May 7, 1913.

To The Turner Co., for heating four ward buildings and service building, ninety days from July 6, 1912; October 4, 1911, to October 1, 1912.

These extensions are recommended by the Board of Public Works, for the reason that owing to the present condition of the buildings the installation of the work cannot be completed; and be it

Further Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Mayor to Sell Certain Building of South of Market Children's Playground Site.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
J. R. No. 326.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction, in accordance with Charter provisions, the two-story frame structure belonging to the city, known as Nos. 862-870 Bryant street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Assigning Rooms in City Hall for Use of Municipal Band.

J. R. No. 327.

Resolved, That room No. 401 in the temporary City Hall building be and is hereby assigned for use and purposes of the Municipal Band.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Repealing Section 7 of Ordinance No. — (New Series), Relating to the Bureau of Efficiency.

On motion of Supervisor Murdock:
Bill No. 2197, Ordinance No. —

(New Series), entitled, "An ordinance repealing Section 7 of Ordinance No. 1958 (New Series), approved July 9, 1912, relating to the Bureau of Efficiency."

Authorizing Appointment of Director of Bureau of Efficiency.

Also Bill No. 2198, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance authorizing the appointment of a Director of the Bureau of Efficiency by the Civil Service Commission and fixing and providing for his compensation."

Providing \$3000 for Use of Civil Service Commission.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the General Fund for the fiscal year 1912, Budget Item No. 26, by the Civil Service Commission, for the purpose of enabling them to perform the duties imposed upon them by Section 14 of Article XIII of the Charter.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Installing Underground Conduits and Appurtenances in Geary Street from Kearny Street to Presidio Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:
J. R. No. 328.

Authorizing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for furnishing and installing underground conduits and appurtenances in Geary street between Kearny street and Presidio avenue, for use in connection with feeder cables for the Geary Street Municipal Railway. When the bids shall have been received the Board of Works shall notify the Board of Supervisors, and the Finance Committee will then recommend the setting aside of sufficient funds to cover the award of contract.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Clerk to Advertise for Proposals for Certain Supplies.

J. R. No. 329.

Resolved, That the Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for supplying certain articles to various public departments and offices as follows:

1. Auditor, metal book racks.
2. Superintendent of Schools, furniture and filing cabinets.

3. Recorder, metal book cases for index volumes.
4. Recorder, metal book racks for record volumes.
5. County Clerk, metal document files.
6. Relief Home, one motor oil wagon.
7. Police Department, two motor patrol wagons.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Fixing Width of Sidewalks.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2199, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 18, 1903, by amending section thirty-eight thereof," the provisions of which fix width of sidewalks on Corbett avenue between Ord and Danvers streets.

Also, Bill No. 2200, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and sixty-two", the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Ney street between Mission street and its northerly termination at nine feet.

Also, Bill No. 2201, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto new sections to be numbered four hundred and sixty-five to four hundred and seventy-nine inclusive," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on the following streets": Melrose avenue, Mangels avenue, Joost avenue, Hearst avenue, Flood avenue, Staples avenue, Judson avenue, Marston avenue, Genessee street, Foerster street, Edna street, Detroit street, Congo street, Baden street, Arcadia street.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2202, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Coleridge street between Esmeralda and Virginia avenues; Twenty-fourth avenue between California and Lake streets; Geary street between Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues; Twenty-first avenue between Geary and Anza streets; Chenery street between

Mateo and Roanoke streets; crossing of Divisadero and Greenwich streets; crossing of Chenery and Randall streets."

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2203, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

"Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Anza street between Twenty-second and Twenty-third avenues; Sixteenth avenue between Geary and Anza streets; Twenty-fifth avenue between California and Clement streets; Clement street between Twenty-second and Twenty-third avenues; crossing of Clement street and Twenty-ninth avenue; crossing of Clement street and Thirtieth avenue."

Also, Bill No. 2204, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Eighteenth street between Alabama and Harrison streets; Lyon street between Union and Filbert streets; Fair Oaks street between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets; and crossing of Chenery and Mateo streets."

Establishing Grades, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2205, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Faxon avenue between Grafton and Lakeview avenues."

Also, Bill No. 2206, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Poplar street between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets."

Changing Grades.

Also, Bill No. 2207, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Sacramento street between Van Ness avenue and the westerly line of Franklin street, and on Franklin street at the crossing of Sacramento street."

Also, Bill No. 2208, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Genoa place between Filbert and Union streets, and on Filbert street at the intersection of Genoa place."

Also, Bill No. 2209, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit: Sixteenth avenue and Judah street, Plymouth avenue and Sadowa street; Eighth street be-

tween Stevenson and Mission streets; Kansas street between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets; Lawton street and Seventeenth avenue; Forty-sixth avenue and Kirkham street; Buena Vista avenue and Waller street; Forty-first avenue between Lincoln way and Irving street, and Forty-first avenue between Irving and Judah streets, and Irving street and Forty-second avenue."

Extension of Time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 16, 1912, within which to complete contract for the construction of the northerly section of the Mission Street Viaduct.

This extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor cannot proceed further until the southerly portion of the viaduct is completed.

Spur Track Permit.

Also, Bill No. 2210, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to William L. Murphy, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of the Western Pacific Company at Mariposa and Carolina streets, and into the property in Block No. 173, bounded by Mariposa, Seventeenth, De Haro and Carolina streets."

Also, Bill No. 2211, Ordinance No. (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance granting permission to Nathan Dohrmann Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the existing spur track of the Southern Pacific Company in Bluxome street, thence over and across Bluxome street to the south side of Bluxome street, between Fifth and Sixth streets."

Extensions of Time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That The Barber Asphalt Paving Company is hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after June 5, 1912, within which to complete the contract for paving Fifteenth avenue from Gearv to Clement streets, including the intersection of Tacoma street and Fifteenth avenue, under public contract.

This extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was delayed until it had been determined that a sewer

was not necessary in the intersection of Tacoma street and Fifteenth avenue.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Contra Costa Construction Company is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after July 29, 1912, within which to complete contract for the construction of Section "C" of the Ingleside Outlet Sewer under contract No. 42.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that during the months of February and March the contractor was unable, on account of rainy weather, to do sufficient work to enable him to complete the work within the time allowed.

Further Resolved, That the fee for advertising this resolution be remitted.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That William Grant, President of the Homeland Company, be granted an extension of one hundred and eighty days from and after September 9, 1912, on that certain permit to explode blasts in and at certain streets and adjoining lots in "Sunny-side", in the City and County of San Francisco, which said permit was granted by Resolution No. 9030 (New Series), approved December 13, 1911, said blasting to be done for the sole purpose of grading the property.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9580 (New Series), Declaring intention to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Dolores street, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed July 10, 1912.

Aves—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George F. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hecks, Jennings, Kestland, Manzy, McArthur, McFarap, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Pavot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Proposals for Street Work

J. R. No. 230.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for the following street work in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Public Works filed July 27, 1912:

The repaving of Twenty-fourth street between Howard street and Potrero

avenue.

The improvement of the northerly half of the roadway of Lincoln way, from Twentieth to Thirty-sixth avenues, by the construction of granite curbs, catch-basins and an asphalt pavement.

Further Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the opening of the bids and the amount bid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Fixing Dates of Hearings of Appeals Against Assessment for Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. 9590 (New Series), Fixing Monday, August 26, 1912, at 3:00 p. m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors, No. 1231 Market street, as the time and place for hearing appeal of Flinn & Treacy against assessment for street work at Twenty-seventh street between Sanchez and Noe streets and the crossing of Twenty-seventh and Sanchez streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Also, Resolution No. 9591 (New Series), Fixing Monday, August 26, 1912, at 3:30 p. m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors, No. 1231 Market street, as the time and place for hearing appeal of Jos. J. Webb and Nancy B. Turner against assessment fixed by Board of Public Works for street work on Lyon street between Union and Filbert streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Proposals for Paving Geary Street from Kearny Street to Van Ness Avenue.

J. R. No. 331.

Directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for proposals for the paving of the roadway of Geary street, from Kearny street to Van Ness avenue, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed July 29, 1912.

The notice of proposal to provide that contract shall be awarded within thirty days from date of reception of bids. The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the open-

ing of the bids and the amount bid. When this is done the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors will set aside a sufficient sum to cover the above work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Also, Bill No. 2212, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows: Granting permission to the Piedmont Winery Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company in Beach street, as follows:

Commencing at a connection with the existing spur track of the Southern Pacific Company on Beach street at a point where said track is intersected by the westerly line of Hyde street; running thence westerly along Beach street, curving to the left and reversing to the right 275 feet, more or less, to a point 10 feet northerly from the southerly line of Beach street and 136 feet easterly from the easterly line of Larkin street; thence westerly and parallel with the southerly line of Beach street 68 feet 9 inches to a point.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Mayor to Enter into Lease With L. C. Coleman for Premises Occupied by Board of Health on Mission Street.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9592 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to enter into lease with L. C. Coleman, owner, or his authorized agents, for the certain premises situate at No. 1085 Mission street, now occupied by the Board of Health, for the use of said Board of Health, for the period of one year from the date of the signing of the lease, at a monthly rental of \$300, with an option of renewal of said lease for a period of time until the new City Hall shall have been completed, at a monthly rental of \$350.

It is further understood that the city at its own expense shall have authority to alter and change the interior of said premises to accommodate the requirements of said Board of Health if it should be so desired, and any further conditions that may be

agreed upon between said owner and the City to be made a part of said lease.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Intention to Change Grades on Thirty-third Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Also, Resolution No. 9593 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Thirty-third avenue, in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office July 10, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be posted along the streets or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Recommend Grading of Certain Streets in the Richmond District.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 332.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to recommend the grading of the following streets where not already graded, to wit:

Balboa street, from Thirty-third to Forty-fifth avenues.

Forty-fifth avenue, from Balboa to Cabrillo streets.

Cabrillo street to the Great Highway.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Require Contractors to Provide Temporary Platforms Over Trenches Level With Streets to Facilitate Traffic and to Minimize Dirt Piles.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

J. R. No. 333.

Whereas: The public is greatly inconvenienced by the conditions of the trenches, temporary platforms and crossings installed during the progress of installation of the fire protection system and other work which disrupts streets, and

Whereas, It is apparent that contractors have not made adequate efforts to lessen obstruction to traffic on sidewalks and roadways; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to instruct contractors to make temporary platforms where necessary and to have all these platforms level with the street so that vehicular and pedestrian traffic may be put to as little inconvenience as necessary.

Further Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to require that contractors shall minimize the dirt piles and cobble stone obstructions which are now piled upon some of the principal streets of the City to the great inconvenience and annoyance of storekeepers and people generally.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Department of Electricity to Discontinue Fire Alarm Signals on Market Street.

Supervisor McCarthy presented:

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, The operation of the fire alarm signal system now installed along Market street on a single circuit impedes traffic and endangers life and limb of persons who happen to be moving along the roadway when the alarm is sounded for fire, and

Whereas, This system of sounding a general alarm has been generally abandoned in all cities of the world; be it

Resolved, That the Department of Electricity be requested to discontinue sounding the alarm signals on Market street, and that instruction be given to the Chief of the Bureau of Electricity to remove said alarms and standards from the streets.

Ordered referred to the Electricity Committee.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Commission of City Officials to Prepare Official Map.

On motion of Supervisor Murdock:

J. R. No. 334.

Resolved, That the Assessor, the Tax Collector, the Recorder, the City Engineer and the City and County Attorney be constituted, ex-officio, a commission to consider the advisability of adopting an official map of the City, wherein each subdivision of real estate shall receive, and hereafter be designated by, a lot and block number, which shall be used in recording and for assessment purposes instead

of the description by metes and bounds. The Commission is asked to report its findings to the Board of Supervisors, and if the adoption of such a plan is favored, it is asked to designate the necessary procedure and to furnish an estimate of the cost involved.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Seats for Elevator Operators.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing that seats shall be provided for all

operators of passenger elevators within the City and County of San Francisco."

Ordered referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Presentation of Harry E. Hyde, Mayor of Marysville.

His Honor the Mayor introduced Harry E. Hyde, Mayor of Marysville, who addressed the Board briefly and invited the members to pay a visit to Marysville and see development and progress of that city.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board, at the hour of 5:15 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors August 19, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervision of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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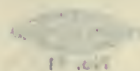
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, AUGUST 19, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, August 19, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met, pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of August 12, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Relative to Sending "Portsmouth" to San Francisco for Exposition.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Mayor, transmitting correspondence from U. S. Senator Geo. C. Perkins, relative to sending "Portsmouth" to San Francisco for Exposition.

Referred to *Exposition Committee*.

Responsibility for Defects in Twin Peaks Reservoir.

Communication—From Mayor, relative to defects in construction of Twin Peaks reservoir and the responsibility therefor.

Ordered *filed*.

Transportation to Exposition Grounds.

Communication—From Mayor, transmitting correspondence from C. C. Moore, President of Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, requesting that a conference be arranged for between proper committees of the Board of Supervisors and the Transportation Committee of said Company in matter of transportation facilities for the Exposition.

Ordered *referred to the Exposition Committee*.

Protest Against Use of Geary Street Municipal Railway Funds for Paving Geary Street.

Communication—From Public Ownership Association, protesting against use of Geary Street Municipal Railway Funds for the construction of pavement on Geary street.

Ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

Protest Against Forfeiture of Impounded Water Rates Money to Spring Valley Water Company.

Communication—From J. C. Campbell, representing Rates Payers' Association, protesting against inclusion in offer to purchase Spring Valley plant of a condition releasing to said company the impounded water rates money.

Ordered *filed*.

Acknowledgment of Resolutions of Sympathy on Death of Emperor of Japan.

Communication—From Consul-General of Japan, thanking Board of Supervisors for its expression of sympathy on the occasion of the death of the Emperor of Japan.

Ordered *filed*.

Arnold's Report on the New United Railroads Car—Analysis of Design and Improvements Suggested.

Bion J. Arnold, traction engineer, has submitted a report to the Board of Supervisors which presents a complete analysis of the new type of car now under construction by the United Railroads, 65 of which have been contracted for on fall delivery.

The Supervisors requested Mr. Arnold recently to report upon the new car, whether it is suitable as a standard car for San Francisco conditions, and will in general embody features necessary for the comfort and convenience of passengers. While Engineer Arnold does not yet present his ideas upon a final standard car, he has analyzed the present car from the following standpoints: Whether it approximates the proper standard for future equipment; and, if not, whether it is suited for operation on certain lines in its present form.

The design is discussed in the following details: Seating arrange-

ments, facilities for quick loading and unloading, storage space, car proportions, with reference to street clearance, height and type of steps, ventilation and lighting, and destination signs. A detailed comparison is made with these points in view with the Geary street car, which it resembles in general appearance, but which Arnold considers of superior design, the two differing materially in the matter of seating arrangement and car width.

Several commendable features are found in the new United Railroads car, such as the use of the "turtle-back" or arched roof, the position and type of illuminated signs, and the lowering of the steps by means of a platform ramp. The arched roof is new to the United Railroads practice, and helps to decrease the car weight. The new design also embodies for the first time the prepayment feature in a "California" type of car, i. e., car with closed and open sections. The illuminated signs are mounted conspicuously in this arched roof at the sides and ends, giving both the line and destination. There is also evidence of careful design in the matter of step height, the first step being about 15 to 16 inches from the pavement when new, and about 12 inches as a result of wear and settlement, while the third step is reduced two inches by an inclined plane in the platform known as a "ramp."

In the matter of seating arrangement, Arnold prefers the Geary or the Chicago plan, where at least half of the seating capacity is in cross seats in the center compartment, the remainder in longitudinal seats. This places the principal storage space next to the platform in the open sections, where it will be most available for short-haul riders. He finds from his experience in other cities that longitudinal seats do not attract patrons; cross seats, quite the reverse. The seating arrangement of the new car, however, is a considerable improvement over some of the present equipment, due to the extra width of car employed.

One very serious matter presented to the Supervisors for consideration is the prevailing standard width of sidewalks in both the 50-Vara and 100-Vara districts. Arnold finds that with the present standard of 15 and 19 feet width, respectively, two-line vehicle traffic is practically impossible either for commercial vehicles south of Market street, or passenger vehicles north of Market street; whereas by a reduction in the sidewalk width to 12 and 15 feet re-

persons attempting to ride on the blind side of the car. He also conspectively, and the use of narrower car and track centers, two-line vehicle traffic would be possible in both districts. The sidewalk width is the principal controlling factor.

It is also found that in San Francisco no cars can pass each other on curves, due to the use of the "Eclipse" fender, thus resulting in slower schedules than would be necessary if each car was independent, as in Chicago, where provision for clearance operation throughout the City has been made in the rehabilitation by the redesigning of several hundred special work layouts. Arnold does not think the change from the tapered to the straight-sided platform, as proposed in the new car, is justified, owing to the possible development of an improved type of fender with less overhang, permitting clearance operation. In its absence, the only alternative is for the City to permit the spreading of tracks at curves, sufficient for the fenders to clear, which would result in a center overhang of 15 inches over the standard curb of the Western Addition district.

To facilitate entrance and more rapid loading, modifications in the platform arrangements are suggested, and it is understood the United Railroads will use the recent "Cleveland arrangement", in which the guide railing is practically dispensed with and the conductor stands immediately behind the fare box in the center of the entrance to the car body, leaving the entire platform open to passengers. There will be no bulkhead doors in these cars at the ends the entire compartment being open. It is also recommended that the front exit gate be located next to the bulkhead, to facilitate exit. All these improvements are found necessary, owing to the slow loading and unloading of the present equipment, which requires approximately 27% more time in seconds per passenger than the latest Oakland car, using a radius bar to secure full width of entrance.

At the Ferry and other terminal points of heavy traffic, Engineer Arnold recommends that the car shall load from both ends, with an extra conductor at the terminal to receive fares forward; also that the collapsible gate on the left side of the platform be thrown open full width to permit rapid unloading of passengers at such terminal points.

Folding steps are suggested as a means of preventing accidents to

siders some form of protection against storms in the open sections as in the Geary street cars.

It is understood that the United Railroads will eliminate the usual straps, using instead vertical stanchion rods as in the Hudson tunnel subway cars in New York, and will incorporate in the new rolling stock a number of the improvements suggested above.

Summarizing: Engineer Arnold considers the 1912 car of the United Railroads "a step in the right direction, and in general a considerable improvement over any of the types at present in operation here. It will prove fairly satisfactory for certain sections of the City, where streets are wide enough to accommodate a wide car, as in the Mission." However, if the design be intended for universal use throughout the City, or as a standard for future equipment, the car will require considerable modification, according to his view. Mr. Arnold will later present a supplementary report upon improvements in the present cars now operating, as well as upon a future standard car for the entire City.

Report of City Engineer on Extensions of Water Service and Availability of Source of County Line Water Company. City and County of San Francisco. Department of Public Works.

August 19, 1912.

The Honorable the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen:

Complying with Resolution No. 9553 (New Series), and Journal Resolution No. 282, of your Honorable Board, there is herewith transmitted a report prepared by the City Engineer relating to the extensions of water mains in districts which have none, or are inadequately supplied with water.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

By F. J. CHURCHILL, Secretary.
City and County of San Francisco.
Bureau of Engineering.

Department of Public Works.

San Francisco, August 14, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

By Resolution No. 9553, New Series, the Board of Supervisors set aside the sum of \$2,000 to be expended by the City Engineer in the preparation of data for the Board of Supervisors relating to needed extensions of water mains in districts which have no water mains or which

are inadequately supplied with water.

By Journal Resolution No. 282, Board of Public Works Petition No. 17,051, the Board of Supervisors resolved:

"That the City Engineer be and is hereby requested to furnish this office at the earliest possible date, with an estimate of what it will cost to place the plant of the County Line Water Company in such a condition as will enable it to furnish water to the residents in the district bounded by Burrows, Silliman, Harvard and Le Grand streets, also a report upon the general availability of the plant of the County Line Water Company, for the purpose of supplying water to said districts."

On August 2nd the Clerk of the Supervisors addressed a letter to your Board; Petition No. 17,421, stating that in accordance with a communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners recommending that a three million gallon capacity tank be constructed in Lincoln Park, to be supplied with water from a 104-inch main which the Park Commissioners have installed in Thirty-ninth avenue from Golden Gate Park to Lincoln Park; to afford better fire protection in this district, the Committee on Fire of the Board of Supervisors requests that the Board of Public Works furnish at the earliest date an estimate of the cost of constructing such a tank in said Lincoln Park.

All of these matters relate to the supply of water for domestic and fire protection purposes to various districts of the City and can best be considered as part of one problem.

The following report is a result of the investigation which has been conducted by this office, in accordance with your instructions and is an answer to the questions asked by the Board of Supervisors in regard to these matters.

The districts which are without adequate water supply are as follows: Richmond District, Sunset District, University Mound Heights, Excelsior Homestead District, Potrero Heights District, Sunnyside District, Ingleside District and the district on the east side of Holly Park.

Parts of these districts are supplied with sufficient water for domestic purposes, other parts with a limited quantity, while still others are entirely without water. In none of the districts are the mains large enough to enable the Fire Department to cope with a fire of any magnitude.

The distribution of houses in these districts clearly shows the effect which the water supply has had on the growth of the districts. This is most noticeable in the Richmond District where the parts supplied with only sufficient water for domestic service are thickly built up, those with an insufficient supply are partially built up, and those without water are practically uninhabited.

The population in these districts is now in excess of the number which can be supplied through the present mains with sufficient water for health and comfort and it is of the utmost importance that immediate steps be taken to enlarge and extend the water mains if the growth of these districts is not to be throttled.

Furthermore, it will not be sufficient to simply make such extensions as will supply the needs of the present inhabitants, but provisions should be made for the increase of population which will surely follow as soon as property owners are assured of an adequate water supply.

As the installation of the necessary water mains will involve large expense and will take considerable time, the following estimate has been divided into three parts as follows:

Part 1: This includes the cost of mains which should be laid at once in order to provide an adequate water supply for domestic use in those portions of the districts already built up. It does not include the cost of mains necessary to provide fire protection.

Part 2: This includes the cost of mains which should be installed as soon as the mains included in Part 1 are completed, in order to provide for future increase in the population of the districts and to furnish adequate fire protection in those parts of the districts thickly populated.

Part 3: This includes the cost of laying mains in the Richmond District, to furnish water for domestic use and fire protection in portions of the district which it appears will be rapidly built up as soon as property owners are assured that an adequate water supply will be available.

For convenience of discussion the needs of each district will be described separately and the pipes to be laid under each part of the proposed plan will be discussed in order. For the sake of simplicity, this discussion includes only total estimated costs, the detail estimates from which these figures are made up will be found in a tabulated statement accompanying this report.

RICHMOND DISTRICT.

This district is supplied with water

from the Lake Honda reservoir through a 16-inch main connected to a 24-inch main at Beulah and Stanyan streets. This 16-inch main is laid on Stanyan street northerly to Fulton street, thence westerly along Fulton street to Arguello avenue, where it is reduced to a 12-inch main, and extends thence along Fulton street to Third avenue, thence northerly along Third avenue to Geary street, where it is increased to a 16-inch main; then runs westerly along Geary street to Twenty-third avenue, northerly along Twenty-third avenue to California street, where it is reduced to a 12-inch main, and runs easterly along California street to Eighteenth avenue.

The greater number of complaints as to inadequate water supply in this district arise from the fact that this main is not sufficiently large to supply water to all of the distribution pipes. It is, however, a fact that the fire protection in this district is not what it should be and the distribution pipes should be considerably increased in size.

Part 1. To relieve the immediate wants of the district for adequate water supply for domestic service, it is proposed to connect a 20-inch main to the 30-inch main from the Lake Honda reservoir at Seventh avenue and Judah street. This 20-inch main is to be laid along Judah street westerly to Nineteenth avenue, where it will be reduced to an 18-inch. It will then be carried along Nineteenth avenue northerly to Lincoln way, thence across the Park to Twenty-fourth avenue and Fulton street; thence along Twenty-fourth avenue northerly to Geary street easterly to Twenty-third avenue, where it will be connected with the existing 16-inch main at Geary street and Twenty-third avenue.

The cost of this proposed main is estimated at \$72,453.48.

Part 2. To provide adequate fire protection and improve the supply for domestic service, it is proposed to lay mains as follows:

Clement street, from Twenty-third avenue to Thirty-sixth avenue, 10-inch main.

Balboa street, from Twenty-third avenue to Great Highway, 10-inch main.

California street, from Twenty-third to Thirty-third avenue, 8-inch main.

California street, from Arguello avenue to Eighteenth avenue, 12-inch main.

Third avenue, from Lake to Geary streets, 12-inch main.

Anza street, from Arguello avenue to Twenty-fourth avenue, 8-inch main.

Balboa street, from Arguello avenue to Lincoln parkway, 8-inch main.

Cabrillo street, from Arguello avenue to Eleventh avenue, 8-inch main.

The cost of the above main estimated at \$113,303.08.

Part 3. It is believed that when the Geary Street Municipal Railway is completed to the beach and an adequate water supply provided, the entire Richmond District will be rapidly built up and in order to provide for the increase in growth of the district, it is proposed to lay mains on all of the streets in this district which are not now covered by mains of the Spring Valley Water Company at least four inches in diameter.

The new mains proposed are as follows:

Lake street, from Arguello avenue to Twenty-seventh avenue, 8-inch main.

Clement street, from Arguello avenue to Twenty-third avenue, 8-inch main.

Balboa street, from Eleventh avenue to Twenty-fourth avenue, 8-inch main.

Fulton street, from Tenth avenue to Twenty-fourth avenue, 8-inch main.

Anza street, from Twenty-fourth avenue to Forty-eighth avenue, 10-inch main.

Cabrillo street, from Twenty-fourth avenue to Great Highway, 10-inch main.

Fulton street, from Twenty-fourth avenue to Great Highway, 8-inch main.

California street, from Twenty-third avenue to Thirty-second avenue, 12-inch main.

Twenty-third avenue, from California street to Lake street, 12-inch main.

All cross streets from Arguello avenue to the Great Highway not provided with Spring Valley mains, 4 inches or greater in diameter, 6-inch mains.

The estimated cost of these mains is \$340,614.73.

Referring to the letter of the Board of Supervisors of August 2nd, in reference to the cost of a three million gallon reservoir in Lincoln Park, I will state that such a reservoir will cost not less than fifty thousand (50,000.) dollars, nor more than one hundred thousand (100,000.) dollars. If a more accurate estimate of the cost is desired, it will be necessary that about one thousand dollars be provided with which to defray the cost of the necessary investigation and plans. While such a reservoir may ultimately be desirable as part of the City's water sup-

ply system, it is believed that for the present it is more desirable to lay the mains recommended for this district than to construct the reservoir.

SUNSET DISTRICT.

Owing to the fact that parts of this district are higher than any reservoir now owned by the Spring Valley Water Company while other parts are only slightly above City Base, it is desirable that this district be divided into three sections, which, for convenience, we will call the Upper Sunset District, the Middle Sunset District, and the Lower Sunset District.

Upper-Sunset District: This comprises that portion of the westerly end of the Sunset District lying above an elevation of 325 feet. While it is highly desirable that residents of this portion of the Sunset District be supplied with water for domestic purposes, the number to be supplied is so small compared to the cost of extending the system that we have classified all of these belonging to Part 2 of the estimate.

It is proposed to purchase a site between Pacheco and Quintara streets and Eleventh and Thirteenth avenues, at an elevation of about 730 feet, on which can be located a 500,000 gallon steel tank.

This tank is to be supplied with water from a new Pumping Plant located in the Central Pumping Station on Sloat Boulevard opposite Twenty-third avenue. From the Central Pumping Station an 18 inch pipe will be laid along the Sloat Boulevard to Nineteenth avenue, thence along Nineteenth avenue to Quintara street, thence along Quintara street to the 500,000 gallon tank, located as already described.

From this tank a 16-inch pipe will be laid on Twelfth avenue to Kirkham street, where it will be reduced to a 12-inch; thence along Kirkham street to Fourth avenue, along Fourth avenue to Parnassus avenue and then along Parnassus avenue to Cole street, where it will be connected to the existing 8-inch main now connected to the Clarendon Heights tank.

The installation of this main will make it possible to supply some of the district now supplied from the Clarendon Heights Tank from the proposed new tank and so relieve the drain on the Clarendon Heights Tank and make it possible to use the water from this tank to supply other districts as the need arises.

In addition, it is proposed to lay lateral mains as follows:

Ortega street from Twelfth avenue to Eighth avenue, 8-inch main.

Noriega street from Twelfth avenue to Seventh avenue, 8-inch main.

Moraga street from Twelfth avenue to Seventh avenue, 8-inch main.

Lawton street from Twelfth avenue to Seventh avenue, 8-inch main.

Eleventh avenue from Kirkham street to Ortega street, 6-inch main.

Tenth avenue from Kirkham street to Ortega street, 6-inch main.

Ninth avenue from Noriega street to Ortega street, 6-inch main.

Ninth avenue from Kirkham street to Lawton street, 6-inch main.

The cost of these extensions, including pumps and tank, is estimated at \$187,093.63.

Middle Sunset District: The supply of water in this district will be considerably increased by the 20-inch main which has already been proposed as a supply pipe to the Richmond District.

In addition, it is proposed to lay the following mains:

Irving street, from Seventh avenue to Twenty-sixth avenue, 8-inch main.

Judah street, from Nineteenth avenue to Twenty-sixth avenue, 8-inch main.

The cost of these mains is estimated at \$23,349.37.

PART 2. To afford adequate fire protection, it is proposed to lay mains as follows:

Second avenue, from Lincoln Way to Parnassus avenue, 6-inch main.

Third avenue, from Hugo street to Parnassus avenue, 6-inch main.

Fourth avenue, from Irving street to Parnassus avenue, 6-inch main.

Eighth avenue, from Irving street to Judah street, 6-inch main.

Thirteenth avenue, from Lincoln Way to Judah street, 6-inch main.

Fourteenth avenue, from Lincoln Way to Judah street, 6-inch main.

Seventeenth avenue, from Irving street to Judah street, 6-inch main.

Eighteenth avenue, from Irving street to Judah street, 6-inch main.

Twentieth avenue, from Irving street to Judah street, 6-inch main.

Twenty-first avenue, from Lincoln Way to Judah street, 6-inch main.

Twenty-fourth avenue, from Lincoln Way to Judah street, 6-inch main.

Ulloa street, from Nineteenth avenue to Thirty-third avenue, 8-inch main.

The 8-inch main on Nineteenth avenue and Sloat Boulevard should be connected to the 24-inch force pump from the Central Pumps to Lake Honda instead of to the 4-inch pipe in the Ingleside Tract.

The estimated cost of this extension is \$20,128.67.

Lower Sunset District: The Lower Sunset District is at the present time supplied from a small tank on Forty-first avenue between Lincoln Way

and Irving street. This tank is filled through a 4-inch main from the Lake Honda Reservoir. The supply at the present time is sufficient for domestic purposes but is not sufficient for fire protection.

To afford adequate fire protection in this part of the district will require a very large expenditure and we therefore have included the cost of extensions in this district under Part 2.

It is proposed to lay a 20-inch main from the Central Pumping Station at Sloat Boulevard opposite Twenty-third avenue, along Sloat Boulevard to Forty-sixth avenue, where the main will be reduced in size to 16-inch and carried across Forty-sixth avenue to Lincoln Way; thence down Lincoln Way to the Great Highway, along the Great Highway to Balboa street on the north side of the Park.

This main, in addition to furnishing an adequate supply for the Lower Sunset District, can be connected to the 10-inch pipe already recommended for Balboa and Cabrillo streets and used to supply a small area of the Richmond District near the Beach.

Lateral mains for fire protection and domestic service are to be laid as follows:

Irving street, from Forty-first avenue to the Great Highway.

Judah street, from Forty-first avenue to the Great Highway.

Kirkham street, from Forty-first avenue to the Great Highway.

Lawton street, from Forty-sixth avenue to the Great Highway.

Forty-seventh avenue, from Lawton street to Lincoln Way.

Forty-eighth avenue, from Moraga street to Judah street.

Great Highway, from Moraga street to Judah street.

The cost of this work is estimated at \$120,833.45.

With the installation of the mains recommended for the Sunset District, the growth of this district will undoubtedly be so great within the next few years as to necessitate the laying of additional lateral pipes, but so little of this district has been put in such shape as to be available for building purposes that it is not considered advisable to attempt to predict just where this growth will occur.

UNIVERSITY MOUND HEIGHTS.

Journal Resolution No. 282 of the Board of Supervisors, requested the City Engineer to furnish an estimate of the cost of placing the plant of the County Line Water Company in such a condition as will enable it to furnish water to the residents in the district bounded by Burrows, Silliman, Harvard and Le Grand streets, and to report upon the general availability of

the plant of the County Line Water Company for the purpose of supplying water to said district.

Investigation of this district shows that there are about sixty-five houses situated therein which cannot be supplied from the mains of the Spring Valley Water Company. There are also about one hundred houses in the upper part of Excelsior Homestead District which are inadequately supplied with water.

PART 1. It is proposed to lay twelve and eight inch mains from the reservoir of the County Line Water Works to supply this district.

Starting at the reservoir with a twelve-inch pipe, this line will extend along Dartmouth street to Dwight street, along Dwight street to Cambridge street, along Cambridge street to Felton street, where it will be reduced to eight inches in diameter; thence along Felton street it will extend to Madison street, along Madison street to its intersection with Athens street, thence along Athens street to Excelsior avenue, along Excelsior avenue to Moscow street, along Moscow street to Brazil street and along Brazil street to Prague street.

The Health Department have at various times reported to this office that colon bacteria are present in the water of the County Line Water Company, indicating its contamination with the excreta of warm blooded animals. The use of this water therefore involves grave danger of an epidemic of typhoid fever. Furthermore, the engineer of the plant reports that the water in the well is some seventeen feet lower than at the corresponding time one year ago, indicating that if a heavier draft is made on it than at present, the supply of water may possibly give out.

It is therefore recommended that the present water supply be abandoned and that means be arranged for securing the necessary water for this district from the main supply pipe to the University Mound Reservoir which crosses Leland avenue between Rutland and Alpha streets.

It is recommended that a twelve-inch main be connected to the University Mound supply pipe on Leland avenue and laid along Leland avenue to the pumping plant of the County Line Water Works.

The present force pipe from the pumping works to the County Line Water Works reservoir is of sheet iron and liable to give way at any time, and it is recommended that this pipe be replaced with a twelve-inch cast iron pipe extending from the pumping station on Leland avenue to Delta street, thence along Delta street

to Wilde street and along Wilde street to the reservoir.

There is only one pump at the station of the County Line Water Works available for delivering water into the reservoir. This pump should be duplicated so that in the event of its breaking down, a spare pump will be available immediately.

It is also proposed to connect the twelve-inch main from the University Mound Heights supply pipe to the pumping station with the mains in the lower part of the district supplied by the County Line Water Works, that is, the district bounded by Raymond street from its westerly end to Delta street; Delta street from Raymond street to Teddy street; Teddy street from Delta street to San Bruno avenue; San Bruno avenue from Teddy street to Leland street and to supply this part of the district directly from the University Mound pipe. The district immediately south of this is already supplied with sufficient water for domestic purposes.

There is also a lower district in the vicinity of the University Mound Reservoir which should be furnished with water from the College Hill Reservoir. This can be done by laying an eight-inch main connected to the eight-inch main on Cortland avenue, from Cortland avenue along Andover street to its southerly end; thence to the north end of University street; thence along University street to Wayland street, along Wayland street to Dartmouth street, along Dartmouth street to Dwight street, along Dwight street to Goettingen street, along Goettingen street to Mansell street, along Mansell street to Girard street.

The estimated cost of these extensions is \$60,146.02.

These proposed extensions will furnish a sufficient supply of water for domestic purposes to the districts affected and will furnish a partial fire protection. It is not recommended that any attempt be made to furnish more complete fire protection until the district shall be more thickly populated.

Part. 2. The property in the vicinity of Berlin street should be furnished with better fire protection than at present. This can be done by laying an eight-inch main along Berlin street from Silver avenue to Woolsey street. The estimated cost of this extension is \$4,866.40

EXCELSIOR HOMESTEAD DISTRICT.

Part 1. The Excelsior Homestead District is apparently furnished at the present time with sufficient water for domestic purposes, but the fire protection is not worthy of being called such.

Part 2. It is recommended that additional mains be laid as follows:

Italy street, from Mission street to Moscow street, 8-inch main.

France street, from Mission street to Munich street, 8-inch main.

Russia avenue, from Madrid street to Munich street, 8-inch main.

Replace the 8-inch main on Persia street, from Mission street to Naples street, with a 12-inch main.

Persia street, from Naples street to Munich street, 8-inch main.

Brazil street, from Madrid street to Athens street, 8-inch main.

Excelsior avenue, from Mission street to 100 feet east of Naples street, 8-inch main.

Avalon street, from west of Lisbon street to east of Edinburgh street, 6-inch main.

Peru street, from west of Lisbon street to east of Naples street, 6-inch main.

Amazon avenue, from Mission street to Madrid street, 6-inch main.

London street, from Amazon street to northerly end of 6-inch main.

Paris street, from Amazon avenue to northerly end, 6-inch main.

Lisbon street, from Amazon avenue to Silver avenue, 6-inch main.

Madrid street, from Amazon avenue to Silver avenue, 6-inch main.

Edinburgh street, from Amazon avenue to Silver avenue, 6-inch main.

Naples street, from Amazon avenue to Silver avenue, 6-inch main.

Vienna street, from Italy avenue to 500 feet northerly of Brazil avenue, 6-inch main.

Athens street, from Italy avenue to Persia avenue, 6-inch main.

Moscow street, from Italy avenue between Persia avenue and Brazil avenue, 6-inch main.

Munich street, from France avenue to Persia avenue, 6-inch main.

The cost of these extensions is estimated at \$79,688.40.

POTRERO HEIGHTS DISTRICT.

Part 1. The inefficiency of the supply of water for domestic purposes in this district is due principally to the fact that the Potrero Heights Reservoir is not sufficiently high to supply water at all times to houses in the upper part of the district. This can best be remedied by installing a small tank of from 50,000 to 100,000 gallons capacity adjacent to the reservoir to supply water to the upper parts of this district and pumping water into this tank by a small pump drawing from the reservoir.

I understand from the Spring Valley Water Company that provision is being made for this extension, which cost should not exceed \$10,000.

Part 2. The fire protection in this

district should be improved by laying the following pipes:

Twentieth street, from Wisconsin street to Vermont street, 8-inch main.

Wisconsin street, from Twentieth street to Eighteenth street, 8-inch main.

Rhode Island street, from Twentieth street to Seventeenth street, 8-inch main.

The estimated cost of this improvement is \$8,168.60.

Part 3. It is not recommended that any mains to provide for future increase in the population of this district be laid at the present time as it is believed that the extensions recommended above will provide satisfactory service for some time to come.

SUNNYSIDE DISTRICT.

The upper part of this district is not supplied with water for the reason that it is above the level which can be supplied from the pipes in the lower part of the district. It will be necessary that a main supply pipe be run either from the mains indicated to the Clarendon Heights tank or from the mains indicated with the Upper Sunset District. In order to supply this district with water, the main in either event would be in the neighborhood of 12,000 feet long and should be about twelve inches in diameter. No definite recommendation, however, can be made without a further investigation of the most feasible route for this main.

The cost is estimated at about \$35,112.00.

INGLESIDE DISTRICT.

We understand from the engineers of the Spring Valley Water Company that the property owners in this district are making preparations, at their own expense, for extensions of the Spring Valley mains, therefore, no recommendations in regard to this district are made.

DISTRICT EAST OF HOLLY PARK.

The supply for both domestic and fire protection purposes in this district is inadequate for the reason that the main supply pipes into the district are not of sufficient size.

It is recommended that an eight-inch main on Elsie street, from Appleton to Cortland avenue, be increased to twelve inches. That a twelve-inch main be laid along Cortland avenue from Elsie street to Bocana street; thence along Bocana street from Cortland avenue to Powhattan street; from Powhattan street and Bocana avenue, an eight-inch main should be laid along Powhattan street to Nevada street and an eight-inch main along Bocana street to Coso avenue. It is believed that these additional pipes

will be sufficient for both domestic and fire protection purposes. Their cost is estimated at \$18,888.76.

SUMMARY.

The following is a summary of the above costs. In this I have included the total length of pipe which it is proposed to lay.

It is to be noted that the pipes contemplated are of different sizes and weights and therefore the cost of pipe per mile of the pipe included in this estimate cannot be compared with the cost per mile of other pipe systems unless the conditions are similar.

PART 1.

	Length feet.	Cost.
Richmond District.	12,340	\$ 72,453.48
Middle Sunset District	8,390	23,349.37
University Mound District	26,740	60,146.02
Potrero Heights District		10,000.00
Sunnyside District	12,000	35,112.00
Holly Park District	5,360	18,888.76
Total	64,830	\$219,949.63

PART 2.

	Length feet.	Cost.
Richmond District.	36,540	\$113,303.08
Upper Sunset District	31,352	187,093.68
Middle Sunset District	15,090	30,128.67
Lower Sunset District	39,450	130,833.45
University Mound District	2,800	4,866.40
Excelsior District	98,100	79,688.40
Potrero Heights District	4,700	8,168.60
Total	129,032	\$554,082.28

PART 3.

	Length feet.	Cost.
Richmond District	181,005	\$ 340,614.73
Part 1	64,830	219,949.63
Part 2	129,032	554,082.28
Part 3	181,005	340,614.73
Total	374,867	\$1,114,646.73

The above estimates are based upon the cost to the Spring Valley Water Company of laying pipes of the sizes specified. They do not include any contractor's profit.

If this pipe is laid by the City, the cost of labor will be twenty per cent (20%) higher than that upon which these estimates are based. There should also be added 15% to the

labor to cover the contractor's profit, making a total of 35% to be added to the cost of the labor. This will amount to about 12% of the entire cost.

In other words, if laid by the Spring Valley Water Co., the extensions outlined above will cost the Spring Valley Water Company approximately \$1,115,000. If laid by the City, they will cost the City approximately \$1,250,000.

In going over the proposed extensions, it will be discovered that in a number of cases, as for instance the 16-inch main of Forty-sixth avenue in the Sunset District, the streets upon which it is proposed to lay mains have not as yet been graded or paved. When the work of construction is commenced, it will probably be found advisable to modify the location of a number of mains, or postpone their construction until the streets shall have been graded. In making this report, we have indicated the streets upon which it is desirable, if possible, to lay the proposed mains. Minor modifications in the location of these mains will not materially affect their cost, and the exact location should be left until the City or the Spring Valley Water Company is ready to commence the actual construction.

In preparing the above estimate, we have, insofar as possible, recommended mains of such sizes and so located that they can be ultimately made part of the Municipal Water Supply System, whether the present mains of the Spring Valley Water Company are included in this system or not. Should the City not purchase the properties of the Spring Valley Water Company, it will probably be necessary to take up and relay a small part of the larger mains herein proposed, in order to adapt them to a Municipal Water Supply System, but the number which it will be necessary to so relay will not be great nor will the cost of this work be excessive.

As soon as the ultimate ownership of the property of the Spring Valley Water Company is definitely settled, a thorough study should be made of the distribution of water for domestic and fire protection purposes throughout the entire City, and a comprehensive plan should be prepared of the mains and reservoirs of the Municipal Water Supply System. Thereafter all extensions in mains should be made in accordance with this plan.

Respectfully submitted,

MARSDEN MANSON,
City Engineer.

PROPOSED EXTENSIONS TO WATER SYSTEM,
TABULATED STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED COST.

	Length Feet	Total Length Feet	Estimated Cost
RICHMOND DISTRICT—PART 1.			
<i>20-Inch Main under Bitumen.</i>			
Judah St. from 7th Ave. to 19th Ave.....		3,800	
3,800 ft. at \$7.40 per ft.....			\$28,120.00
Engineering and Incidentals.....	2,812.00		
Total			\$30,932.00
<i>18-Inch Main under Macadam.</i>			
19th Ave. from Judah St. to Park Entrance....	1,440		
Cross Park to 24th Ave. and Fulton St.....	4,000		
24th Ave. from Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,800		
Geary St. from 24th Ave. to 23rd Ave.....	300	8,540	
8,540 ft. at \$4.42 per ft.....			\$37,746.80
Engineering and Incidentals.....	3,774.68		
Total			\$41,521.48
Total		12,340	\$72,453.48
RICHMOND DISTRICT—PART 2.			
<i>8-Inch Main under Bitumen.</i>			
Anza St. from Arguello Ave. to 24th Ave.....	7,200		
Balboa St., Arguelle Ave. to Lincoln Parkway...	3,720		
Cabrillo St., Arguello Ave. to 11th Ave.....	3,100		
California St., 23rd Ave. to 23rd Ave.....	3,030	17,050	
17,050 ft. at \$2.53 per ft.....			\$43,136.50
Engineering and Incidentals.....	4,313.65		
Total			\$47,450.15
<i>10-Inch Main under Macadam.</i>			
Balboa St., 24th Ave. to Great Highway.....	8,000	8,000	
8,000 ft. at \$2.04 per ft.....			\$16,320.00
Engineering and Incidentals.....	1,632.00		
Total			\$17,952.00
<i>10-Inch Main under Bitumen.</i>			
Clement St., 23rd Ave. to 36th Ave.....		4,030	
4,030 ft. at \$3.29 per ft.....			\$13,258.70
Engineering and Incidentals.....	1,325.87		
Total			\$14,584.57
		29,080	\$79,986.72
<i>12-Inch Main under Bitumen.</i>			
California St., Arguello Ave. to 18th Ave.....	5,340		
3rd Ave., from Lake St. to Geary St.....	2,120	7,460	
7,460 ft. at \$4.06 per ft.....			\$30,287.60
Engineering and Incidentals.....	3,028.76		
Total			\$33,316.36
Total		36,540	\$113,303.08

RICHMOND DISTRICT—PART 3.

12-Inch Main under Bitumen.

Anza St., California St. to Lake St.....		680	
680 ft. at \$4.06 per ft.....	\$ 2,760.80		
Engineering and Incidentals.....	276.08		
Total	\$ 3,036.88		3,036.83

10-Inch Main under Macadam.

Anza St., 24th Ave. to 48th Ave.....	7,400		
Cabrillo St., 24th Ave. to Great Highway.....	8,000	15,400	
15,400 ft. at \$2.04 per ft.....	\$31,416.00		
Engineering and Incidentals.....	3,141.60		
Total	\$34,557.60		34,557.60

8-Inch Main under Bitumen.

Lake St., Arguello Ave. to 27th Ave.....	8,130		
Clement St., Arguello Ave. to 23rd Ave.....	6,890		
Anza St., Lincoln Parkway to 24th Ave.....	3,480		
Cabrillo St., 11th Ave. to 24th Ave.....	4,100		
Fulton St., 10th Ave. to 24th Ave.....	4,410	27,010	
27,010 ft. at \$2.53 per ft.....	\$68,335.30		
Engineering and Incidentals.....	6,833.53		
Total	\$75,168.83		75,168.83

8-Inch Main under Macadam.

Fulton St., 24th Ave. to Great Highway.....		8,000	
8,000 ft at \$1.58 per ft.....	\$12,640.00		
Engineering and Incidentals.....	1,264.00		
Total	\$13,904.00		13,904.00

51,090 \$126,667.31

6-Inch Main under Bitumen.

9th Ave., Balboa St. to Geary St.....	1,400
10th Ave., Fulton St to Anza St.....	2,040
11th Ave., Fulton St. to 300 ft. N. of Anza.....	2,340
12th Ave., Fulton St. to Anza St.....	2,040
14th Ave., Fulton St. to Presidio Res.....	5,185
15th Ave., Fulton St. to Presidio Res.....	5,185
16th Ave., Fulton St. to Presidio Res.....	5,185
17th Ave., Fulton St. to Presidio Res.....	5,185
19th Ave., Fulton St. to California St.....	4,165
20th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790
21st Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790
22nd Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790
23rd Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790
25th Ave., Geary St. to Presidio Res.....	2,765
26th Ave., Geary St. to Presidio Res.....	2,765
27th Ave., Geary St. to Presidio Res.....	2,765
28th Ave., Geary St. to Lake St.....	2,085
29th Ave., Geary St. to Lake St.....	2,085
30th Ave., Geary St. to Lake St.....	2,085
31st Ave., Geary St. to Lake St.....	2,085
32nd Ave., Geary St. to Lake St.....	2,085
33rd Ave., Geary St. to Clement St.....	725
34th Ave., Geary St. to Clement St.....	725

35th Ave., Geary St. to Clement St.....	725	
36th Ave., Geary St. to Clement St.....	725	
37th Ave., Geary St. to Clement St.....	725	
38th Ave., Geary St. to Clement St.....	725	
39th Ave., Geary St. to Clement St.....	725	62,865
62,865 ft. at \$1.91 per ft.....	\$120,072.15	
Engineering and Incidentals....	12,007.22	

Total	\$132,079.37	132,079.37
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	113,955	\$258,746.68
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6-Inch Mains under Macadam.

25th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
26th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
27th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
28th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
29th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
30th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
31st Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
32nd Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
33rd Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
34th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
35th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
36th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
37th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
38th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
39th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,720	
40th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790	
41st Ave., Fulton t. to Geary St.....	2,790	
42nd Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790	
43rd Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790	
44th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790	
45th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790	
46th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790	
47th Ave., Fulton St. to Geary St.....	2,790	
48th Ave., Fulton St. to Anza St.....	2,040	
La Playa, Fulton St. to Sutro Heights.....	1,890	67,050
67,050 ft. at \$1.11 per ft.....	\$74,425.50	
Engineering and Incidentals.....	7,442.55	

Total.....	\$81,868.05	81,868.05
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Total	181,005	\$340,614.73
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SUNSET DISTRICT.

Upper Sunset District.

13-Inch Main under Macadam.

Sloat Boulevard, 23rd Ave. to 19th Ave.....	1,240	
19th Ave., Sloat Boulevard to Quintara St.....	5,160	
Quintara St., 19th Ave. to 12th Ave.....	2,100	8,500
8,500 ft. at \$4.70 per ft.....	\$39,950.00	
Engineering and Incidentals.....	3,995.00	

Total	\$43,945.00	43,945.00
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16 Inch Main under Macadam.

12th Ave., Quintara St. to Kirkham St.....		4,080
4,080 ft. at \$3.54 per ft.....	\$14,443.20	
Engineering and Incidentals.....	1,444.32	

Total	\$15,887.52	\$15,887.52
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12-Inch Main under Bitumen.

Kirkham St., 12th Ave. to 4th Ave.....	2,480	
4th Ave., Kirkham St. to Parnassus Ave.....	700	
Parnassus Ave., 4th Ave. to Cole St.....	3,000	6,180

6,180 ft. at \$4.06 per ft.....\$25,090.80
 Engineering and Incidentals 2,509.08

Total \$27,599.88

27,599.88

8-Inch Mains under Macadam.

Lawton St., 12th Ave. to 7th Ave.....	1,550	
Moraga St., 12th Ave. to 7th Ave.....	1,550	
Noriega St., 12th Ave. to 7th Ave.....	1,550	
Ortega St., 12th Ave. to 8th Ave.....	1,310	5,960

5,960 ft. at \$1.58 per ft.....\$ 9,416.80
 Engineering and Incidentals..... 941.68

Total \$10,358.48

10,358.48

6-Inch Mains under Macadam.

11th Ave., Kirkham St. to Ortega St.....	2,720	
10th Ave., Kirkham St. to Ortega St.....	2,720	
9th Ave., Noriega St. to Ortega St.....	670	
8th Ave., Kirkham St. to Lawton St.....	680	6,800

6,800 ft. at \$1.11 per ft.....\$7,548.00
 Engineering and Incidentals..... 754.80

Total \$8,302.80

8,302.80

31,352 \$106,093.68

SUNSET DISTRICT.*Upper Sunset District.*

One 500,000-gallon tank.....	25,000.00
Property bounded by Quintara and Pacheco Sts., and Eleventh and Thirteenth Aves.....	2,000.00
Pumps, etc.	54,000.00

Total.....

31,352 \$187,093.68

*Middle Sunset District—Part 1.**8-Inch Mains Under Bitumen.*

Irving St., 7th Ave. to 26th Ave.....	6,220	
Judah St., 19th Ave. to 26th Ave.....	2,170	8,390
8,390 ft. at \$2.53 per ft.....	\$21,226.70	
Engineering and Incidentals.....	2,122.67	

Total.....\$23,349.37

23,349.37

Total.....

8,390 \$ 23,349.37

*Middle Sunset District—Part 2.**6-Inch Mains under Bitumen.*

2nd Ave., Lincoln Way to Parnassus Ave.....	1,120
3rd Ave., Hugo St. to Parnassus Ave.....	870
4th Ave., Irving St. to Parnassus Ave.....	600
8th Ave., Irving St. to Judah St.....	680
13th Ave., Lincoln Way to Judah St.....	1,360
14th Ave., Lincoln Way to Judah St.....	1,360
17th Ave., Irving St. to Judah St.....	680
18th Ave., Irving St. to Judah St.....	680
20th Ave., Irving St. to Judah St.....	680
21st Ave., Lincoln Way to Judah St.....	1,360

24th Ave., Lincoln Way to Judah St.....	1,360	10,750	
	Length	Total	
	Feet	Length	Estimated
		Feet	Cost
10,750 ft. at \$1.91 per ft.....			
Engineering and Incidentals			
Total.....			22,585.75

SUNSET DISTRICT.

*Middle Sunset District—Part 2.**8-Inch Main under Macadam.*

Ulloa St., 19th Ave. to 33rd Ave.....		4,340	
4,340 ft. at \$1.58 per ft.....			
Engineering and Incidentals.....			
Total	\$7,542.92		7,542.92

Total		15,090	\$30,128.67
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*Lower Sunset District—Part 2.**20-Inch Main under Macadam.*

Sloat Boulevard, 23rd Ave. to 46th Ave.....		7,600	
7,600 ft. at \$5.30 per ft.....			
Engineering and Incidentals.....			
Total	\$44,308.00		44,308.00

16-Inch Main under Macadam.

46th Ave., Sloat Boulevard to Lincoln Way....	10,580		
Lincoln Way, 46th Ave. to Great Highway.....	1,050		
Great Highway, Lincoln Way to Balboa St.....	4,470	16,100	
16,100 ft. at \$3.54 per ft.....			
Engineering and Incidentals.....			
Total	\$62,693.40		62,693.40

8-Inch Mains under Macadam.

Irving St., 41st Ave. to Great Highway.....	2,600		
Judah St., 41st Ave. to Great Highway.....	2,550		
Kirkham St., 41st Ave. to Great Highway.....	2,550		
Lawton St., 46th Ave. to Great Highway.....	930		
Moraga St., 48th Ave. to Great Highway.....	270	8,900	
8,900 ft. at \$1.58 per ft.....			
Engineering and Incidentals.....			
Total	\$15,468.20		15,468.20

	32,600	\$122,469.60
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SUNSET DISTRICT.

*Lower Sunset District—Part 2.**6-Inch Mains under Macadam.*

47th Ave., Lincoln Way to Lawton St.....	2,770		
48th Ave., Judah St. to Moraga St.....	2,040		
Great Highway, Judah St. to Moraga St.....	2,040	6,850	
6,850 ft. at \$1.11 per ft.....			
Engineering and Incidentals.....			
Total.....	\$ 8,363.85		8,363.85

Total.....		39,450	\$130,833.45
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*University Mound District—Part 1.**12-Inch Main under Macadam.*

Dartmouth St., Reservoir to Dwight St.....	1,200		
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Dwight St., Dartmouth St. to Cambridge St.....	1,800	
Cambridge St., Dwight St. to Felton St.....	2,400	5,400
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5,400 ft. at \$2.66 per ft.....	\$14,364.00	
Engineering and Incidentals.....	1,436.40	
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Total.....	\$15,800.40	15,800.40
<i>8-Inch Mains under Macadam.</i>		
Felton St., Cambridge St. to Madison St.....	1,200	
Madison St., Felton St. to Athens St.....	1,000	
Athens St., Madison St. to Excelsior Ave.....	2,150	
Excelsior Ave., Athens St. to Moscow St.....	300	
Moscow St., Excelsior Ave. to Brazil Ave.....	700	
Brazil Ave., Moscow St. to Prague St.....	600	5,950
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5,950 ft. at \$1.58 per ft.....	\$ 9,401.00	
Engineering and Incidentals.....	940.10	
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Total.....	\$10,341.10	10,341.10
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Total.....	11,350	\$ 26,141.50

UNIVERSITY MOUND DISTRICT—PART 1.

12-Inch Mains under Macadam.

Leland Ave., S. V. W. Co. main to Pumping Station	700	
Leland Ave., Pumping Station to Delta St.....	1,700	
Delta St., Leland Ave to Wilde St.....	1,900	
Wilde St., Delta St. to the Reservoir.....	600	4,900
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4,900 ft. at \$2.66 per ft.....	\$13,034.00	
Engineering and Incidentals.....	1,303.40	
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Total	\$14,337.40	14,337.40
<i>8-Inch Mains under Macadam.</i>		
Andover St., Cortland Ave. to S. end of Andover St.	2,200	
Across flats to north end of University St.....	1,600	
University St., Silver Ave. to Wayland St.....	2,020	
Wayland St., University St. to Dartmouth St....	650	
Dartmouth St., Wayland St. to Dwight St.....	930	
Dwight St., Dartmouth St. to Goettingen St....	1,500	
Goettingen St., Dwight St. to Mansell St.....	940	
Mansell St., Goettingen St. to Girard St.....	650	10,490
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10,490 ft. at \$1.58 per ft.....	\$16,574.20	
Engineering and Incidentals.....	1,657.42	
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Total	\$18,231.62	18,231.62
One 7 x 10 Triplex Pump.....		835.50
One 3-phase 35 H. P. Motor.....		600.00
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Total	26,740	\$60,146.02

UNIVERSITY MOUND DISTRICT—PART 2.

8-Inch Main under Macadam.

Berlin St., Silver Ave. to Woolsey St.....	2,800	
2,800 ft. at \$1.58 per ft.....	\$4,424.00	
Engineering and Incidentals.....	442.40	
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Total	\$4,866.40	4,866.40
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Total	2,800	\$4,866.40

EXCELSIOR DISTRICT—PART 2.

12-Inch Main under Macadam.

Persia Ave., Mission St. to Naples St.....	1,750	
1,750 ft. at \$2.66 per ft.....	\$ 4,655.00	
Engineering and Incidentals.....	465.50	

 Total.....\$ 5,120.50

5,120.50

8-Inch Mains under Macadam.

Italy Ave., Mission St. to Moscow St.....	2,600	
France Ave., Mission St. Munich St.....	2,800	
Russia Ave., Madrid St. to Munich St.....	1,700	
Persia Ave., Naples St. to Munich St.....	1,100	
Brazil Ave., Madrid St. to Athens St.....	1,100	
Excelsior Ave., Mission St. to 100 ft. E. of Naples St.....	1,850	11,150

 11,150 ft. at \$1.58 per ft.....\$17,617.00

Engineering and Incidentals..... 1,761.70

 Total.....\$19,378.70

19,378.70

6-Inch Mains under Macadam.

Avalon Ave., W. of Lisbon St. to E. of Edinburgh St.	900	
Peru Ave., W. of Lisbon St. to E. of Naples St..	1,100	
Amazon Ave., Mission St. to Madrid St.....	1,200	
London St., Amazon Ave. to N. End.....	4,600	
Paris Ave., Amazon Ave. to N. End.....	4,600	
Lisbon St., Amazon Ave. to Silver Ave.....	5,800	
Madrid St., Amazon Ave. to Silver Ave.....	5,800	
Edinburgh St., Amazon Ave. to Silver Ave.....	5,800	
Naples St., Amazon Ave. to Silver Ave.....	5,800	
Vienna St., Italy Ave. to 500 ft. N. from Brazil Ave.	3,400	
Athens St., Italy Ave. to Persia Ave.....	2,200	
Moscow St., Italy Ave. bet. Persia Ave. and Brazil Ave.	2,600	
Munich St., France Ave. to Persia Ave.....	1,400	45,200

 45,200 ft. at \$1.11 per ft.....\$50,172.00

Engineering and Incidentals..... 5,017.20

 Total.....\$55,189.20

55,189.20

 Total.....

98,100 \$ 79,688.40

HOLLY PARK DISTRICT—PART 1.

12-Inch Main under Bitumen.

Elsie St., Appleton Ave. to Cortland Ave.....	900	
Cortland Ave., Elsie St. to Bocana St.....	360	
Bocana St., Cortland Ave. to Powhattan St.....	1,100	2,360

 2,360 ft. at \$4.06 per ft.....\$9,581.60

Engineering and Incidentals..... 958.16

 Total.....\$10,539.76

10,539.76

8-Inch Mains under Bitumen.

Bocana St., Powhattan St. to Coso Ave.....	1,300	
Powhattan St., Bocana St. to Nevada St.....	1,700	3,000

	Length Feet	Total Length Feet	Estimated Cost
3,000 ft. at \$2.53 per ft.....	\$7,590.00		
Engineering and Incidentals.....	759.00		
Total.....	\$8,349.00		8,349.00
Total		5,360	\$18,888.76
POTRERO HEIGHTS DISTRICT—PART 1.			
Extensions-made by S. V. W. Co.....			10,000.00
POTRERO HEIGHTS DISTRICT—PART 2.			
<i>8-Inch Mains under Macadam.</i>			
20th St., Wisconsin St. to Vermont St.....	1,400		
Wisconsin St., 20th St. to 18th St.....	1,400		
Rhode Island St., 20th St. to 17th St.....	1,900	4,700	
4-700 ft. at \$1.58 per ft.....	\$7,426.00		
Engineering and Incidentals..	742.60		
Total	\$8,168.60		8,168.60
Total		4,700	\$8,168.60
SUNNYSIDE DISTRICT—PART 1.			
<i>12-Inch Main under Macadam.</i>			
From 12th Ave. and Q St. across San Miguel Ranch to Army St. and Kenyon Ave., over 29th St. to Twin Peaks Ave. to 32nd St., to Kenyon St., to Joost Ave.....		12,000	\$35,112.00
12 00 ft.....	\$31,920.00		
Engineering and Incidentals.....	3,192.00		
Total	\$35,112.00		
Total		12,000	\$35,112.00

Removal of Cemetaries in Western Addition.

The following resolution was introduced out of order by Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9594 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, There are now located within the City and County of San Francisco and in that portion thereof contained within the following lines and boundaries, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Broderick street with the southerly line of California street; thence running westerly along said southerly line of California street to the easterly line of Arguello boulevard; thence southerly along said easterly line of Arguello boulevard to the southerly line of Fulton street; thence along said southerly line of Fulton street to the westerly line of Broderick street; thence along said westerly line of Broderick street to the southerly line of California street and to the point of commencement.

And surrounded by thickly settled

and inhabited portions of said City and County, certain cemetaries, and within which said certain cemetaries many human bodies are interred and are from time to time and continuously exhumed for reinterment; and

Whereas, By an Ordinance of the City and County of San Francisco, approved March 30th, 1900, the further burial of the dead in said cemetaries and within the City and County of San Francisco is prohibited; and

Whereas, the maintenance of said cemetaries and each and all of them and the keeping interred the said human bodies therein and the continuous exhuming of the human remains therefrom for reinterment is dangerous to life and detrimental to the public health and welfare; and

Whereas, Further it is to the interest of the general public and the health and welfare of the people of the City and County of San Francisco to cause the said cemetaries to be abolished and the human remains therein interred to be exhumed and removed to some cemetery more distant from the center of population; and

Whereas, It is the desire and inten-

tion hereby publicly expressed by the people of the City and County of San Francisco to cause the abolition of the said cemeteries and each and all of them and to cause the exhuming and removal of the human remains therein interred, to some proper place of burial and this so to do with the least necessary delay and burden to all the parties concerned in the exhuming and removal of the human remains therein interred; now therefore be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

(1) That the maintenance of said cemeteries within the boundaries hereinabove described, viz.:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Broderick street with the southerly line of California street; thence running westerly along said southerly line of California street to the easterly line of Arguello Boulevard; thence southerly along said easterly line of Arguello boulevard to the southerly line of Fulton street; thence along said southerly line of Fulton street to the westerly line of Broderick street; thence along said westerly line of Broderick street to the southerly line of California street and to the point of commencement.

And each and all or any of them and the keeping interred said human bodies therein and the continuous exhuming for reinterment of such bodies is dangerous to the life and detrimental to the public health and welfare of the inhabitants of the City and County of San Francisco.

(2) That it is the intention and purpose of the City and County of San Francisco to cause the abolition of the said cemeteries in the said district located, and each and all of them and to cause the prompt exhuming and removal of all human remains in said cemeteries interred.

(3) That public notice is hereby given of said intention and that public notice is hereby given to all parties interested in the said cemeteries and in the human bodies therein interred or in the abolition of the said cemeteries and they are hereby called upon and required within the period of six months to remove or cause to be removed the human remains in said cemeteries and each of them interred, to some proper place of burial and that after the said period of six months the City and County of San Francisco intends to and will proceed to take and enforce such other and further necessary steps and proceedings as may by law, be required and be necessary to compel the abolition of the said cemeteries and each and all of them and

the exhuming and removal of the human remains therein interred to some proper place of burial.

Motion.

Supervisor Mauzy moved that a special meeting for some night during the week be called for hearing on above matters.

Amendments.

Supervisor A. J. Gallagher moved as an amendment that matter be considered Tuesday night the 21st inst. *Supervisor Murdock* moved as an amendment to the amendment that Board meet in special session on Wednesday.

Substitute carried.

Supervisor Murphy moved the hearing to proceed.

Substitute carried.

Privilege of the Floor.

Mrs. Lovell White, representing the California Club, protesting against the removal of the cemeteries, was granted the privilege of the floor and introduced speakers from various organizations who were opposed to the abolition of the cemeteries.

C. Williamson, representing the Civic League and Divisadero Street Improvement Club, favored the removal of the cemeteries. He said it was a practical question and not one of sentiment and that all the improvement clubs of the city were in favor of their removal.

Mrs. Geo. T. Marsh, representing the Outdoor Art League, read resolution adopted by that organization, suggesting that cemeteries or part of them be turned into memorial parks.

Mrs. M. P. Lorbier opposed the abolition of the cemeteries. She believed they should be turned into Memorial Parks and beautified. She stated that there were 90,000 bodies to be removed and that it would cost upwards of a million dollars—where was the money coming from?

Eliza D. Keith, representing the Native Daughters of the Golden West, also opposed the abolition of the cemeteries. She declared that many of the men illustrious in California's early history repose in Laurel Hill Cemetery and should be permitted to remain there undisturbed. She stated that Laurel Hill Cemetery Association had no place to remove them as the Association had not purchased any other cemetery land outside of the city. She warned the Board that the circulation of a report that between 75,000 and 90,000 bodies were to be exhumed would not make this city so attractive to people who expected to visit the Exposition.

Mrs. R. B. Hutchinson, representing posed the removal of the cemeteries,

the Women's Political League, also op- stating that real estate speculation was at the bottom of the movement.

Hugo Asher favored the abolition of the cemeteries. He stated that the land occupied by the cemeteries amounted to about seventy city blocks, and that its taxable value was between \$20,000,000 and \$50,000,000, upon which the city should have an income for public improvements yearly of about \$400,000, whereas no taxes were paid on cemetery lands: He declared that the cemeteries were neglected and gradually being abandoned, and that it was only a matter of time when all persons who had friends or relatives buried would cause their removal. In support of this statement he added that there were 535 removals in three months of last year, and 657 re- movals during same period of this year. In answer to the suggestion that the cemeteries be turned into memorial parks, he maintained that there was no need for any more parks in that section of the city; that there were parks within a few blocks of the cemetery in every direction. In urg- ing the abolition of the cemeteries he declared that no desecration of the dead was intended, and that he yielded to no one in his respect to the memory of the pioneers who were buried at the foot of Lone Mountain.

W. Burke, representing the Roman Catholic Archbishop, stated that the only question to be considered at this time was whether or not the mainten- ance of cemeteries in the city limits and the exhuming of bodies was dan- gerous and a menace to the health of the public. This, he stated, was the basis on which the abolition of the cemeteries was founded as set forth in the resolution of the Board of Super- visors. He claimed that the continued existence of Mission Dolores cemetery surrounded on all sides by homes, proves that such a reason for the abo- lition of the cemeteries is not a good one. He declared that in Europe the government did not consider cemeteries a menace to health, and stated that cemeteries surrounded the churches in all large cities. He declared that the opinion of the City Attorney that the cost of removal of bodies could be made a charge on the owner of the plot was futile, for many of the owners are scattered to all ends of the earth.

George Renner also addressed the Board, stating that the people who bought property in the Richmond Dis- trict did so with their eyes open. They knew of the existence of the cemeteries and could blame no one if they were inconvenienced by them.

J. Sulier, representing the Society of California Pioneers, also opposed the removal of the cemeteries.

N. Gray, representing the Laurel Hill Cemetery Association, stated that it was not true that cemeteries were not taxed. He said he had paid \$600 taxes on his association's property last year. He was opposed to the abolition of the cemeteries.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken the above resolution was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gall- agher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Murdock—1.

Absent—Supervisor Koshland—1.

Explanation of Vote.

(Supervisor Murdock explained his vote by saying that it had not been established to his satisfaction that the maintenance of cemeteries or the ex- huming of dead bodies were a menace to public health.)

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which re- ports were read and ordered filed, to wit:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Gian- nini, Chairman.

Majority report, Fire Committee, on Geo. E. Marshal's garage permit, by Supervisor Giannini, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—G. E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Commit- tee—E. L. Nolan, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—A. T. Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee— Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Kosh- land, Chairman.

Presentation of Proposals.

Proposals for printing the opinions of the City Attorney were received and referred, as follows, to-wit:

1. Schwabacher-Frey Stationery Co.; certified check, \$105.

2. Walter N. Brunt; certified check, \$150.

3. Shannon-Conmy Printing Com- pany; certified check, \$100.

4. Brown & Power Stationery Com- pany; certified check, \$150.

5. Neal Publishing Company; certi- fied check, \$100.

6. The Jas. H. Barry Printing Com- pany; certified check, \$100.

7. Phillips-Van Orden Company; cer- tified check, \$250.

8. The Hicks-Judd Company; certi- fied check, \$106.29.

Ordered referred to Supplies Committee.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up and finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9595 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1912-13.

Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., 13th payment, Mission street viaduct, southerly section (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	\$1,569.38
Standard Portland Cement Co., cement, Board of Public Works (claim dated July 17, 1912)	527.25
Antioch Sand Co., sand, Board of Public Works (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	1,322.77
D. D. Lowney, 2 sprinkling wagons (claim dated July 17, 1912)	944.00
The Rincon Publishing Company, printing public documents (claim dated Aug. 2nd, 1912)	637.21
Spring Valley Water Company, hydrants (claim dated July 31, 1912)	10,965.58
J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Police Department (claim dated July 30, 1912)	805.64
J. W. Schouten & Co., lumber (claim dated July 17, 1912)	2,205.25
J. W. Schouten & Co., lumber (claim dated July 26, 1912)	769.02
J. D. Grant, rehabilitation of Grant Building (claim dated July 27, 1912)	1,260.00
<i>Library Fund.</i>	
The Emporium, books (claim dated July 31, 1912)	\$511.01
<i>Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
C. E. Grunsky, water supply investigations (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912)	\$1,725.00
J. H. Dockweiler, water supply investigations (claim dated July 31, 1912)	1,550.00
J. H. Dockweiler, water supply investigations (claim dated July 31, 1912)	4,477.63
<i>Garbage Incinerator Plants, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
McLean, Haggans & Aden,	

2nd payment, construction, Islais Creek incinerator (claim dated Aug. 7, 1912)	\$4,308.75
The Destructor Co., 5th payment, construction, Islais Creek and North Beach incinerators (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912)	24,137.06
<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
F. Rolandi, 1st payment, car house construction (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912)	\$7,500.00
<i>Sewer Construction, Public Building Fund, Series 1904.</i>	
Karl Ehrhart, 3rd payment, Thirteenth avenue and Cabrillo street sewer (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	\$ 2,941.05
Karl Ehrhart, 1st payment, San Jose avenue sewer (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	1,711.80
State Construction Co., 1st payment, Stanyan and Oak streets sewers (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	2,495.29
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1910.</i>	
J. W. Carr, 4th payment, foundation and excavation, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912)	2,100.00
<i>School Construction, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
Chas. Lauffer, assignee of V. J. Belknap, 3rd payment, plumbing, Lowell High School (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	3,000.00
Elmer Carlson, 11th payment, general construction, Lowell High School (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912)	12,225.00
<i>San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
Butte Engineering Co., 1st payment, electric clock and signal system, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 5, 1912)	1,125.00
John G. Sutton Co., 1st payment, plumbing, Receiving Building, S. F. Hospital (claim dated July 30, 1912)	2,700.00
Smith & Johnson, 9th payment, plastering, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 7, 1912)	8,000.00
<i>Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 2nd payment, Sec. M, North Point main sewer (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	13,547.18
Daniel Contracting Co., 11th payment, Sec. G, North Point main sewer (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)	6,586.10
Daniel Contracting Co., 2nd payment, Sec. C-2, North	

Point main sewer (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912) 9,719.58
 Contra Costa Construction Co., 5th payment, Sec. C, Ingleside Outlet sewer (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912). 9,498.00
 Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., 15th payment, Mission street sewer, Silver avenue to Bosworth (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912) 1,923.38
Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Robt. C. Storrie & Co., 5th payment, hauling and laying cast iron pressure mains, Sec. No. 1 (claim dated Aug. 3, 1912) \$17,066.22
 Michael Murphy, 9th payment, hauling and laying cast iron pressure mains, Sec. No. 4 (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912) 19,528.42
 Enterprise Foundry Co., 24th payment, cast iron specials (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912) 4,676.15
 Caldwell & Co., 5th payment, construction, Pumping Station No. 2 (claim dated July 31, 1912) 3,170.25
 Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9596 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following accounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:

Budget Item No. 549, "Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc."

For City's portion of constructing granite curbs and asphalt pavement, crossing of Sixteenth and Hampshire streets (recommended by Board of Public Works). \$ 361.50
 For street work in front of City property, Twenty-first avenue, between Fulton and Cabrillo streets (recommended by Board of Public Works) 350.00
 For repairs to Junipero Serra and Sloat Boulevards; to be expended by Park Commission; additional appropriation 1,500.00
 For repair of streets, month of August, 1912 45,000.00
 For repair and cleaning of sewers, month of August, 1912 12,000.00

Budget Item No. 553, Maintenance, Cleaning, Sweeping and Sprinkling Streets.

For street cleaning, month of August, 1912 \$27,000.00
Budget Item No. 40, General Fund.

For repairs to Grant Building, formerly occupied by City departments \$ 1,260.00
Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

For connecting Ashbury Heights tank with 12-inch main of the Spring Valley Water Company on Clayton street for purpose of filling Twin Peaks reservoir (recommended by Board of Public Works) \$ 600.00
 Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri; Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Providing \$5000 for Use of Supplies Committee.

Resolution No. 9597 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of Budget Item No. 26, under direction and supervision of the Supplies Committee.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting, was taken up and again *laid over one week*:

Providing \$83,000 for Hauling and Laying High Pressure Pipe in District No. 6 of Auxiliary Water System.

Resolved, That the sum of \$83,000 from the Fire Protection Account of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908, is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works for the purpose of paying the cost of hauling and laying high pressure pipe in the district bounded by Market street, Second street, Division street and Kansas street, known as District No. 6, this appropriation being in addition to that of \$95,000 made by Resolution No. 8319 (New Series).

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up and *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Garage and Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 9598 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:
Garages—

Dow & Green, west side of Taylor street, 62 feet 6 inches north of O'Farrell street.

Storage Tanks—

San Mateo Dairy Company, 1816 Howard street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Thomas F. Bammon, southeast corner of Polk and Turk streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

J. Warren Dutton, north side of California street, 77 feet 6 inches east of Hyde street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Vienna Bakery, 878 McAllister street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Emma G. Butler, northwest corner of Fillmore and Post streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

E. A. Wasserman, east side of Ninth street, 75 feet north of Mission street, capacity 1500 gallons.

*Ayes—*Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$47,500 to George K. Frink for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9599 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of forty-seven thousand five hundred (\$47,500) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account", in payment to George K. Frink as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Polk street, of dimensions 120 by 120 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4, required as land for Civic Center purposes.

*Ayes—*Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$62,500 to William Goeggel for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9600 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of sixty-two thousand five hundred (\$62,500.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account", in payment to William Goeggel as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the intersection of the northerly line of Fulton street with the easterly line

of Van Ness avenue, of dimensions 30 feet x 109 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, required as land for Civic Center purposes.

*Ayes—*Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$16,000 to C. F. Townsend for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9601 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of sixteen thousand (\$16,000.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account", in payment to C. F. Townsend as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the northerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Polk street, of dimensions 30 x 120 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5, required as land for Civic Center purposes.

*Ayes—*Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up and *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9602 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following extensions of time are hereby granted the herein named contractors in the construction of the San Francisco Hospital, as follows, to-wit:

To F. C. Roberts & Co., for turbines, sixty days from May 21, 1912.

To Speck Manufacturing Co., for sterilizers, ninety days from May 21, 1912.

These extensions are recommended by the Board of Public Works for the reason that final tests cannot be made, as no steam is being carried in the boilers of the power plant.

Also:

T. W. P. Fuller & Co., for glazing, ninety days from July 11, 1912.

To Columbia Marble Co., for interior marble, ninety days from July 18, 1912; from October 16, 1912, to May 16, 1913.

To John G. Sutton Co., for disinfectors, ninety days from May 21, 1912.

To John G. Sutton Co., completion of plumbing, ninety days from May 23, 1912; from August 21, 1912, to May 21, 1913.

To Roebling Construction Co., for partitions, ninety days from December 25, 1911; from March 24, 1912, to May 24, 1913.

To Smith & Johnson, for plastering, ninety days from December 28, 1911; from March 27, 1912, to May 27, 1913.

To Wittman, Lyman & Co., for high pressure steam piping in Receiving building, ninety days from August 17, 1911; from November 14, 1911, to May 14, 1913.

To Lowry & Daly, for tiling, from September 7, 1912, to May 7, 1913.

To The Turner Co., for heating four ward buildings and service building, ninety days from July 6, 1912; October 4, 1911, to October 1, 1912.

These extensions are recommended by the Board of Public Works, for the reason that owing to the present condition of the buildings the installation of the work cannot be completed; and be it

Further Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion *laid over two weeks*:

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That J. Carr is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 4, 1912, within which to complete his contract for the excavation and foundation of the Polytechnic shop building, for the reason that the work cannot be completed until the steel frame is erected; and be it

Further Resolved, That the advertising charges for printing this resolution be remitted.

Repealing Section 7 of Ordinance No. 1958 (New Series), Relating to the Bureau of Efficiency.

The following bill heretofore passed for printing, was *taken up*:

Bill No. 2197, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance repealing Section 7 of Ordinance No. 1958 (New Series), approved July 9, 1912, relating to the Bureau of Efficiency."

Privilege of the Floor.

J. C. Saulmann was granted the

Board and declared that the above ordinance and the one following were illegal in form, that the above one had not been published correctly the privilege of the floor, addressed the requisite number of times, and, as to the second, that the Board had no power to create a bureau such as contemplated in the ordinance. He stated that two positions of Directors were created, whereas only one was contemplated.

He was requested by his Honor, the Mayor, to file his objections in writing.

Whereupon the Bill No. 2197 was *finally passed* as Ordinance No. 1970 by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Noes—Supervisors Mauzy, Vogelsang—2.

Absent—Supervisor Koshland.

Thereupon, the following Bill was taken up and finally passed by the following vote:

Authorizing Appointment of Director of Bureau of Efficiency.

Bill No. 2198, Ordinance No. 1971 (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance authorizing the appointment of a Director of the Bureau of Efficiency by the Civil Service Commission and fixing and providing for his compensation."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

No—Supervisor Vogelsang—1.

Absent—Supervisor Koshland—1.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Providing \$3000 for Use of Civil Service Commission.

Resolution No. 9603 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the General Fund for the fiscal year 1912, Budget Item No. 26, by the Civil Service Commission, for the purpose of enabling them to perform the duties imposed upon them by Section 14 of Article XIII of the Charter.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Fixing Width of Sidewalks.

Bill No. 2199, Ordinance No. 1972 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 18, 1903, by amending section thirty-eight thereof," the provisions of which fix width of sidewalks on Corbett avenue between Ord and Danvers streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2200, Ordinance No. 1973 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and sixty-two", the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Ney street between Mission street and its northerly termination at nine feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2201, Ordinance No. 1974 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto new sections to be numbered four hundred and sixty-five to four hundred and seventy-nine inclusive," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on the following streets": Melrose avenue, Mangels avenue, Joost avenue, Hearst avenue, Flood avenue, Staples avenue, Judson avenue, Marston avenue, Genessee street, Foerster street, Edna street, Detroit street, Congo street, Baden street, Arcadia street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2202, Ordinance No. 1975 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Coleridge street between Esmeralda and Virginia avenues; Twenty-fourth avenue between California and Lake streets; Geary street between Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues; Twenty-first avenue between Geary and Anza streets; Chepery street between Mateo and Roanoke streets; crossing of Divisadero and Greenwich streets;

crossing of Chenery and Randall streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2203, Ordinance No. 1976 (New Series), as follows:

"Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Anza street between Twenty-second and Twenty-third avenues; Sixteenth avenue between Geary and Anza streets; Twenty-fifth avenue between California and Clement streets; Clement street between Twenty-second and Twenty-third avenues; crossing of Clement street and Twenty-ninth avenue; crossing of Clement street and Thirtieth avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2204, Ordinance No. 1977 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Eighteenth street between Alabama and Harrison streets; Lyon street between Union and Filbert streets; Fair Oaks street between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets; and crossing of Chenery and Mateo streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Establishing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2205, Ordinance No. 1978 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Faxon avenue between Grafton and Lakeview avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2206, Ordinance No. 1979 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Poplar street between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Changing Grades.

Bill No. 2207, Ordinance No. 1980 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Sacramento street between Van Ness avenue and the westerly line of Franklin street, and on Franklin street at the crossing of Sacramento street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2208, Ordinance No. 1981 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Genoa place between Filbert and Union streets, and on Filbert street at the intersection of Genoa place."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Manzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2209, Ordinance No. 1982 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit: Sixteenth avenue and Judah street, Plymouth avenue and Sadowa street; Eighth street between Stevenson and Mission streets; Kansas street between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets; Lawton street and Seventeenth avenue; Forty-sixth avenue and Kirkham street; Buena Vista avenue and Waller street; Forty-first avenue between Lincoln way and Irving street, and Forty-first avenue between Irving and Judah streets, and Irving street and Forty-second avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Manzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9604 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 16, 1912, within which to complete contract for the construction of the northerly section of the Mission Street Viaduct.

This extension of time is granted

upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor cannot proceed further until the southerly portion of the viaduct is completed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Manzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2210, Ordinance No. 1983 (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to William L. Murphy, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of the Western Pacific Company at Mariposa and Carolina streets, and into the property in Block No. 173, bounded by Mariposa, Seventeenth, De Haro and Carolina streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Manzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2211, Ordinance No. 1984 (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance granting permission to Nathan Dohrmann Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the existing spur track of the Southern Pacific Company in Bluxome street, thence over and across Bluxome street to the south side of Bluxome street, between Fifth and Sixth streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Manzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9605 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That The Barber Asphalt Paving Company is hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after June 5, 1912, within which to complete the contract for paving Fifteenth avenue from Geary to Clement streets, including the intersection of Tacoma street and Fifteenth avenue, under public contract.

This extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was delayed until it had been determined that a sewer was not necessary in the intersection of Tacoma street and Fifteenth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,

Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Resolution No. 9606 (New Series). as follows:

Resolved, That the Contra Costa Construction Company is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after July 29, 1912, within which to complete contract for the construction of Section "C" of the Ingleside Outlet Sewer under contract No. 42.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that during the months of February and March the contractor was unable, on account of rainy weather, to do sufficient work to enable him to complete the work within the time allowed.

Further Resolved, That the fee for advertising this resolution be remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Resolution No. 9607 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That William Grant, President of the Homeland Company, be granted an extension of one hundred and eighty days from and after September 9, 1912, on that certain permit to explode blasts in and at certain streets and adjoining lots in "Sunny-side", in the City and County of San Francisco, which said permit was granted by Resolution No. 9030 (New Series), approved December 13, 1911, said blasting to be done for the sole purpose of grading the property.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2212, Ordinance No. 1985 (New Series), as follows: Granting permission to the Piedmont Winery Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company in Beach street, as follows:

Commencing at a connection with the existing spur track of the Southern Pacific Company on Beach street at a point where said track is intersected by the westerly line of Hyde street; running thence westerly along Beach street, curving to the left and reversing to the right 275 feet, more or less; to a point 10 feet northerly from the southerly line of Beach street and 136 feet easterly from the easterly line of

Larkin street; thence westerly and parallel with the southerly line of Beach street 68 feet 9 inches to a point.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Appointment of Curtis Lindley, Special Counsel in Matter of Acquisition of Water Supply.

Bill No. 2191, Ordinance No. 1986 (New Series), Authorizing the City Attorney to appoint Curtis H. Lindley as special counsel in the matter of the acquisition by the City and County of San Francisco of a municipal water supply.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Koshland—1.

Providing \$3000, Expenses of Curtis Lindley.

Resolution No. 9608 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars be and the same hereby is set aside and appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Water Construction Fund for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses to be incurred by Curtis H. Lindley in connection with work in the matter of the acquisition of a municipal water supply by the City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Koshland—1.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$349,386.49 and numbered consecutively 23,507 to 24,010 inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee.*

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

J. W. Schouten, lumber (claim dated July 31, 1912)\$ 1,098.00

Brown & Power Stationery Co., envelopes and printing (claim dated Aug. 12, 1912) 1,220.50

Spring Valley Water Co., water for sprinkling streets, July (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912) 885.76

Burroughs Adding Machine Co., adding machine, Treasurer (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912) 563.50

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors (claim dated June 30, 1912)\$ 3,954.06

Exposition Bond Fund, 1912, Premium Account.

The Myself Rollins Bank Note Co., printing bonds (claim dated Aug. 14, 1912)\$ 1,475.00

Water Construction Fund, July 1, 1910.

J. H. Dockweiler, investigation water supply (claim dated June 29, 1912)\$ 1,000.00

Park Fund.

Spring Valley Water Co., water for parks and squares (claim dated July 29, 1912)\$ 1,985.48

Fire Protection, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Coast Improvement Co., final payment, hauling and laying pipe, Section 6 (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912)\$ 3,385.78

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 15th payment, Twin Peaks reservoir (claim dated Aug. 14, 1912) 25,000.00

Selby Smelting & Lead Co., in full, purchase bolts, lead, etc. (claim dated Aug. 14, 1912) 19,840.00

Union Iron Works Co., final payment, hydrants (claim dated Aug. 14, 1912) 619.74

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Dyer Bros., final payment,

cell work, City and County jail (claim dated July 26, 1912)\$ 2,442.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Flinn & Treacy, 3rd payment, asphalt paving, Lakeview School (claim dated March 1, 1912)\$ 983.25

Flinn & Treacy, final payment, yard work, Holly Park School (claim dated Aug. 8, 1912) 569.00

Polytechnic High School, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin Co., chairs, Polytechnic High School (claim dated June 13, 1912)\$ 832.50

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

City Hall and Civic Center Bonds, 1912.

For further development of Civic Center plans, by the Consulting Architects, Board of Public Works....\$ 2,500.00

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item 549.

For the preparation of maps for the Assessor's office....\$ 4,000.00

Ordering Sewer Work, North Point Main; Street Work, Lincoln Way and Constructing Underground Conduit, Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section "N," North Point main sewer, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment for the same the sum of \$31,000.00 out of the proceeds of sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1908; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the construction of said sewers that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the improvement of Lincoln way from Twentieth avenue westerly, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and

authorized in payment of same the sum of \$40,000.00 out of Budget Item No. 54; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the improvement of said Lincoln way that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract for the furnishing and installing of underground conduit for the Geary Street Municipal Railway along Geary street from Geary street to Presidio avenue, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment of same the sum of \$34,000.00 out of the proceeds of sale of Geary Street bonds; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the construction of said underground conduit that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Providing \$20,000 to Pay Competitive Prizes of Architects on City Hall.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$20,000 is hereby authorized and appropriated out of the City Hall-Civic Center Building Fund of 1912, for the payment of \$1000 each to twenty architects who were awarded competitive prizes by the Jury of Award and by resolution of the Board of Public Works.

Following are the architects certified to the Board of Supervisors by the Consulting Board of Architects and the Board of Public Works, each of whom is to receive \$1000: George William Kelham, Milton Lichtenstein, Coates & Traver, Chas. Peter Weeks, Shea & Lofquist, Bliss & Faville, William Mooser, William L. Oser, Houghton Sawyer, Ward & Blohme, O'Brien & Werner, Edward T. Foulkes, L. B. Dutton, Ralph Warner Hart, John Baur, Righetti & Headman, W. L. Woollett, Miller & de Colmesnil, William C. Hays, Lewis P. Hobart.

Oil, Boiler and Garage Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

John Finn Metal Works, westerly corner of Second and Harrison streets, capacity 4000 gallons.

Haub Bros., west side of Fillmore street, 100 feet north of O'Farrell street, capacity 1500 gallons.

City and County of San Francisco (Municipal Railway Building), northwest corner of Geary street and Presidio avenue, capacity 1800 gallons.

F. R. Ritchie, south corner of Seventh and Channel streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Boilers.

F. R. Ritchie, south corner of Seventh and Channel streets, ten horsepower, for running oil pump.

Garage.

John Pordon, north side of Jackson street, between Columbus avenue and Montgomery street.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Denying Laundry Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

J. R. No. 336.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Wong Hang to conduct a laundry at the northeast corner of Twentieth avenue and Balboa street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Removal of Persons Afflicted With Infectious, Contagious or Pestilential Diseases.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

Bill No. 2213, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Amending Ordinance No. 1034, entitled 'Regulations to prevent the spread of disease,' approved October 27, 1903, by the addition of a new section to be numbered 15½."

Recommended.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Caglieri and on motion ordered *recommended to Public Health Committee*:

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series) be and is hereby granted to V. Filippis to maintain a stable for one horse in premises situate at 3249-3251 Folsom street.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Cagliari:
J. R. No. 337.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied A. Kourtis & Company to maintain a stable for fifteen horses at 386 Seventh street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Intention to Construct Twin Peaks Tunnel.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:
Resolution No. 9600 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to order the acquisition in fee simple of the lands hereinafter described for, and as being necessary and convenient for, the construction of a tunnel or tunnels in said City and County and for the construction of a portal or portals and an entrance or entrances thereto.

The lands deemed necessary and convenient to be taken and acquired therefor and for said purpose are described as follows: All that real property situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows:

First. Commencing at a point 864.93 feet distant southerly and at right angles from the center line of Taraval street (if extended and produced) and 564.31 feet distant easterly and at right angles from the center line of Twelfth avenue (if extended and produced); thence northeasterly along a line deflected 36 deg. 46 min. 13 sec. to the right from a line parallel with Twelfth avenue to a point 550 feet distant; thence at a right angle southeasterly 150 feet; thence at a right angle southwesterly 550 feet; thence at a right angle northwesterly 150 feet to the point of beginning.

Second. Commencing on the southwesterly boundary line at the second angle point northerly from the extreme southerly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract), said second angle point being 1,370 feet distant, more or less, westerly and at right angles from the most easterly boundary line and 370 feet distant, more or less, northerly and at right angles from the most southerly boundary line (if extended and produced westerly) of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract), thence running along the boundary line of said tract, as per map adopted by the Board of Supervisors by Ordinance No. 807 (New Series), June 14th, 1909,

N. 38 deg. 14 min. 41.6 sec. E. 192.72 feet; thence N. 39 deg. 34 min. 18.4 sec. W. 421.707 feet to a point on said boundary line, thence S. 17 deg. 24 min. 18.4 sec. E. 499.28 feet distant and to the point of beginning.

Third. Commencing at a point N. 17 deg. 24 min. 18.4 sec. W. 51.13 feet distant from the second angle point northerly from the extreme southerly boundary line, and on the southwesterly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract) as per map adopted by the Board of Supervisors by Ordinance No. 807 (New Series), June 14th, 1909, said second angle point being 1,370 feet, more or less, distant westerly and at right angles from the easterly boundary line and 370 feet, more or less, northerly and at right angles from the most southerly boundary line (if extended and produced westerly) of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract), thence running N. 17 deg. 24 min. 18.4 sec. W. 33.63 feet distant; thence S. 45 deg. 42 min. 58 sec. W. 175.21 feet; thence S. 44 deg. 17 min. 02 sec. E. 20 feet; thence N. 45 deg. 42 min. 58 sec. E. 160 feet to the point of beginning.

Fourth. Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Eureka street, distant thereon one hundred and thirty-two feet, five and three-eighths inches (132 ft. 5¾ in.) southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the easterly line of Eureka street; thence southerly and along said easterly line of Eureka street ninety feet, ten and one-eighth inches (90 ft. 10⅛ in.); thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety-seven degrees, forty-eight minutes and fifteen seconds (97 deg. 48 min. 15 sec.) and running easterly along said deflected line two hundred and fifty-two feet four inches (252 ft. 4 in.) to a point on the westerly line of Diamond street, said point being one hundred and eighty-nine feet and three-eighths inches (189 ft. 0¾ in.) southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Diamond street; thence northerly and along said westerly line of Diamond street ninety feet, ten and one-eighth inches (90 ft. 10⅛ in.); thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety-seven degrees, forty-eight minutes and fifteen seconds (97 deg. 48 min. 15 sec.) and running westerly along said deflected line two hundred and fifty-two feet, four inches (252 ft. 4 in.) to the easterly line of Eureka street and point of commencement.

Being part of Horner's Addition Block 206.

Fifth. Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Diamond street, distant thereon eighty-nine feet, five inches

(89 ft. 5 in.) southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the easterly line of Diamond street; thence southerly and along said easterly line of Diamond street ninety feet, ten and one-eighth inches (90 ft. 10 $\frac{1}{8}$ in.); thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety-seven degrees, forty-eight minutes and fifteen seconds (97 deg. 48 min. 15 sec.) and running easterly along said deflected line to a point one hundred and thirty-five feet six inches (135 ft. 6 in.) distant; thence running along a line curved to the left with a twelve hundred-foot (1200 ft.) radius, one hundred and seventeen feet, nine and three-quarters inches (117 ft. 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ in.) to a point on the westerly line of Collingwood street, said point being one hundred and forty feet, one and seven-eighths inches (140 ft. 1 $\frac{7}{8}$ in.) southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Collingwood street; thence northerly and along said westerly line of Collingwood street to a point one hundred and four feet, two and three-quarters inches (104 ft. 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ in.) distant; thence deflecting to the left an angle of one hundred and eight degrees, one minute and thirty-three seconds (108 deg. 01 min. 33 sec.) and running westerly along a line curved to the right (to which curve, line said deflected line is tangent) with a radius of twelve hundred feet (1200 ft.) to a point two hundred and fourteen feet, one inch (214 ft. 1 in.) distant; thence westerly on a straight line tangent to said curved line forty-two feet (42 ft.) to a point on the easterly line of Diamond street and the point of commencement.

Being a part of Horner's Addition, Block 198.

Sixth. Commencing at the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the easterly line of Collingwood street and running thence southerly along said easterly line of Collingwood street to a point one hundred and twenty-four feet (124 ft.) two and one-eighth inches (124 ft. 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ in.) distant; thence deflecting to the left an angle of one hundred and six degrees, twenty-three minutes and forty seconds (106 deg. 23 min. 40 sec.) and running easterly along a line curved to the left (to which curved line said deflected line is tangent) with a radius of twelve hundred feet (1200 ft.) to a point two hundred and thirty-eight feet, six and five-eighths inches (238 ft. 6 $\frac{5}{8}$ in.) distant; thence along a reverse curve to the right, with a radius of twenty feet (20 ft.) forty-one feet (41 ft.) one and three-eighths inches (41 ft. 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ in.) to a point on the westerly line of Castro street, distant thereon fifty-two feet, three and three-quarters

inches (52 ft. 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ in.) southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Castro street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Castro street fifty-two feet, three and three-quarters inches (52 ft. 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ in.) to the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Castro street; thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety degrees (90 deg.) and running westerly along southerly line of Seventeenth street two hundred and fifty feet (250 ft.) to the intersection of said southerly line of Seventeenth street with the easterly line of Collingwood street and the point of commencement.

Being a part of Horner's Addition Block 197.

Seventh. Commencing at the intersection of the northerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Castro street and running thence northerly and along said westerly line of Castro street to a point thereon fifty-three feet, four and one-quarter inches (53 ft. 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ in.) distant; thence deflecting to the left an angle of one hundred and twenty-two degrees, twelve minutes and sixteen seconds (122 deg. 12 min. 16 sec.) and running southwest-erly along said deflected line one hundred feet, one and three-eighths inches (100 ft. 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ in.) to a point on the northerly line of Seventeenth street, distant thereon eighty-four feet, eight and one-half inches (84 ft. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.) westerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Castro street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Seventeenth street eighty-four feet, eight and one-half inches (84 ft. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.) to its intersection with the westerly line of Castro street and the point of commencement.

Being a part of Horner's Addition Block 200.

And that it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to order the acquisition of an easement or right of way for, and as being necessary and convenient for, the construction of a tunnel or tunnels under the lands next hereinafter described.

The lands deemed necessary and convenient to be taken therefor and for said purpose are described as follows:

Being an easement and right of way for a subterranean or sub-surface tunnel or tunnels under, beneath and through that certain real property situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

A strip of land 90 feet wide extending for 24 feet northwesterly and 66 feet southeasterly (both measured at a right angle of a line parallel to the

center line of said strip, which parallel line is described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Eureka street and distant thereon 409.077 feet northerly from the monument line of Eighteenth street (measured along the easterly line of Eureka street); thence southwesterly at an angle of 82 deg. 11 min. 45 sec. with said easterly line of Eureka street 60.814 feet to a point of curve; thence running along a line curved to the left, the radius of which is 1,200 feet, degree 4 deg. 46 min. 34 sec., central angle 28 deg. 51 min. 44 sec., and length 604.489 feet to a point of tangency 174.484 feet northerly and at right angle from the monument line of Eighteenth street, and 613.89 feet westerly and at right angles from the easterly line of Eureka street; thence southwesterly along a line which deflects an angle of 36 deg. 40 min. with the monument line of Eighteenth street 7,095.947 feet to a point of curve 54.588 feet (measured along said line if produced) easterly from a point on the southwesterly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract) if extended and produced S. 39 deg. 34 min. 18.4 sec. E. 8 feet distant from the third angle point northerly from the southerly boundary line of said tract, said third angle point being 1,240 feet, more or less, westerly and at right angles from the easterly boundary line and 500 feet, more or less, northerly and at right angles from the southerly boundary line (if extended and produced) of the said Relief Home Tract, as per map adopted by the Board of Supervisors by Ordinance No. 807 (New Series) June 14th, 1909, thence running along a line curved to the left, the radius of which is 5,729.65 feet; degree 1 deg., central angle 15 deg. 20 min. 30 sec. and length 1,534.186 feet to a point of tangency; and running along a line tangent to preceding curve 1,237.72 feet to a point on the northeasterly boundary line and 81 feet southeasterly (measured along said boundary line) from the most northerly corner of the parcel of land "FIRST" hereinbefore described. Saving, excepting and excluding therefrom all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

The tunnel or tunnels hereinbefore referred to and for the construction of which said lands and easements are deemed to be necessary and convenient is that certain tunnel or tunnels to connect the two districts of land hereinafter described, under the elevation known as the Twin Peaks Ridge in said City and County, and provided for by Resolution of Intention No. 9567 (New Series), passed by the Board of Supervisors July 22, 1912.

The damages, costs and expenses of

said acquisition shall be assessed upon private property.

The following is a description and specification of the exterior boundaries of the two districts of lands to be affected or benefited by said acquisition and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof.

NORTHEASTERLY DISTRICT.

All that certain land situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows:

Commencing at the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Nineteenth street with the easterly line of Douglass street and running thence northerly along said easterly line of Douglass street to the southerly line of Seventeenth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Seventeenth street to the easterly line of Castro street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Castro street to the southerly line of Fifteenth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fifteenth street to the easterly line of Noe street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Noe street to the southerly line of Duboce avenue; thence easterly along said southerly line of Duboce avenue to the westerly line of Sanchez street; thence northerly to the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Duboce avenue with the easterly line of Steiner street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Steiner street to the southerly line of Oak street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Oak street to the easterly line of Gough street; thence northerly and along said easterly line of Gough street to the southerly line of Fell street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fell street to the easterly line of Van Ness avenue; thence northerly along said easterly line of Van Ness avenue to the southerly line of Post street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Post street to the westerly line of Powell street; thence southerly along said westerly line of Powell street and said westerly line extended southerly, to the northwesterly line of Market street; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line of Market street to a point where said northwesterly line of Market street is intersected by the southwesterly line of Fifth street if projected northwesterly; thence southeasterly along said last named line and along the southwesterly line of Fifth street to the northwesterly line of Folsom street; thence southwesterly and southerly along the northwesterly and westerly line of Folsom street (following the curve thereof) to the point formed by the intersection of said westerly line of Folsom street with the north-

erly line of Seventeenth street; thence westerly along the said northerly line of Seventeenth street to the westerly line of Guerrero street; thence southerly along said westerly line of Guerrero street to the northerly line of Nineteenth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Nineteenth street to the easterly line of Douglass street and the point of commencement.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

SOUTHWESTERLY DISTRICT.

All that certain land situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the City and County of San Francisco and the County of San Mateo at the point of intersection of said boundary line with the shore line of the Pacific Ocean, thence easterly and along said boundary line 9,200 feet, more or less, to the point of intersection of said boundary line with the easterly boundary line of the lands of the Spring Valley Water Company; thence northerly along the easterly boundary of the lands of the Spring Valley Water Company 2,500 feet, more or less, to the point of intersection of the northerly line of Randolph street if produced in a westerly direction with said easterly boundary line; thence easterly along the northerly line of Randolph street to the westerly line of Arch street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Arch street to the northerly line of Sargent street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Sargent street to the westerly line of Victoria street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Victoria street to the northerly line of Shields street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Shields street to the westerly line of Orizaba avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Orizaba avenue to the northerly line of Grafton avenue; thence easterly along the northerly line of Grafton avenue to the westerly line of Harold avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Harold avenue to the point of intersection of said westerly line of Harold avenue if produced in a northerly direction with the northerly line of Ocean avenue; thence southeasterly along said northerly line of Ocean avenue to the westerly boundary line of Balboa Park; thence northerly along the westerly line of Balboa Park and Phelan avenue to the southerly line of Flood avenue; thence westerly along the southerly line of Flood avenue S. 89 deg. 20 min. W. 252.15 feet to a corner of the San Miguel Rancho; thence northerly

along the easterly boundary line of the San Miguel Rancho N. 0 deg. 21 min. 30 sec. W. 6,729.73 feet; thence S. 89 deg. 38 min. 30 sec. W. 332.16 feet to the easterly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract, formerly the Alunshouse Tract; thence along the boundary of said tract following the courses and distances: S. 0 deg. 24 min. 30 sec. E. 579.50 feet; S. 89 deg. 31 min. W. 1,181.63 feet; N. 35 deg. 27 min. 30 sec. W. 277.93 feet; N. 17 deg. 24 min. W. 147.84 feet; N. 38 deg. 15 min. E. 192.72 feet; N. 39 deg. 34 min. W. 578.56 feet; S. 89 deg. 11 min. W. 1,573.22 feet to the intersection of said boundary line with the westerly line of the San Miguel Rancho, said point of intersection being at the most westerly corner of aforesaid Relief Home Tract; thence southwesterly along the westerly line of the San Miguel Rancho to the point of intersection of said westerly line of the San Miguel Rancho with the southerly line of Rivera street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Rivera street to the westerly line of Sixteenth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Sixteenth avenue to the southerly line of Ortega street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Ortega street to the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and the westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco; thence southerly along the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco 7,000 feet more or less to the northerly line of the United States Military Reservation; thence easterly N. 86 deg. 48 min. E. 1,317.15 feet along the northerly boundary thereof; thence southerly S. 3 deg. 12 min. E. 420 feet and S. 4 deg. 48½ min. W. 1,033.8 feet along the easterly boundary thereof; thence westerly N. 89 deg. 51 min. W. 1,200 feet along the southerly boundary thereof to the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and the westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco; thence southerly along the shore line of the Pacific Ocean and westerly boundary line of the City and County of San Francisco 7,100 feet, more or less, to the boundary line between the City and County of San Francisco and the County of San Mateo and the point of beginning.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

Any person interested objecting to said acquisition or to the extent of the districts of lands to be affected or benefited thereby, and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof or to the extent of either of said districts may make written objections to the same to the

Board of Supervisors within ten days after the expiration of the time of the publication of the notice published by the Board of Public Works, as provided in Chapter III of Article VI of the Charter of said City and County.

Resolution No. 9568 (New Series), approved July 22, 1912, is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Fixing Date of Hearing Protests, Stockton Street Tunnel.

Resolution No. 9610 (New Series), as follows:

In the matter of the construction and completion of a tunnel, with approaches and appurtenances thereto in Stockton street, between Sutter and Sacramento streets in the City and County of San Francisco, pursuant to the Resolution of Intention of the Board of Supervisors of said City and County in that behalf being Resolution number 8818 (New Series), approved November 9, 1911.

The Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco having filed with the Board of Supervisors of said City and County a report on the above entitled matter pursuant to Section 6 of an ordinance of the City and County of San Francisco, being Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), passed September 5th, 1911, and approved September 6th, 1911, as amended by Ordinance No. 1776 (New Series), of the City and County of San Francisco passed January 29th, 1912, and approved January 31st, 1912, and as amended by Ordinance No. 1929 (New Series), passed June 17, 1912, and approved June 19, 1912, the said report containing and showing all the matters and things required to be therein contained and shown by the provisions of said Section 6.

And the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, having upon the filing of the said report given notice of such filing and of the time within which all objections thereto should be filed by the publication of the notice required and provided for by Section 7 of said Ordinance No. 1651 in the manner therein provided and the time for filing protests to said report of the Board of Public Works having expired and certain protests having been filed—

Resolved, That the 26th day of August, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day in the Chambers or meeting room of said Board of Supervisors in the City Hall, No. 1231 Market street, in said City and County of

San Francisco, be and the same is hereby fixed as the time and place for the hearing of all protests filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to said tunnel construction, or to the plans or specifications therefor, or to the extent of the assessment districts defined in said Resolution of Intention of the Board of Supervisors, or to the amount of damages or benefits determined by the Board of Public Works of said City and County as the result of said tunnel construction as shown by the report of said Board of Public Works heretofore filed with said Board of Supervisors in the above entitled matter, or to any act, determination or proceeding of the Board of Supervisors or of the Board of Public Works in relation to such construction, or to any other matter in connection therewith as to which any person would have a constitutional right of protest, and for the hearing of any and all protests as to any or all of said matters or things.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Boxing Permits.

J. R. No. 338.

Resolved, That the following named domestic incorporated athletic clubs are hereby granted permission to hold class "A" boxing exhibitions during the months set opposite their respective names, said clubs having paid the required license fee for the year ending December 31, 1912; provided such boxing exhibitions shall be held subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 1791 (New Series), to wit:

Shasta Athletic Club, September, 1912.

Humboldt Athletic Club, October, 1912.

Tuxedo Club, November, 1912.

Canal Club, December, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Circus Permit.

J. R. No. 339.

Resolved, That the Barnum & Bailey show is hereby granted permission to give an exhibition at Twelfth and Market streets on the 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th days of September, 1912, upon payment of the license fees required by Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1850 (New Series).

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Prepare Plans for Auditorium at Civic Center.

Resolution No. 9611 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Board of Directors of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company on June 26th, 1912, adopted the following:

Whereas, The Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company has set aside \$1,000,000.00 for the erection of a monumental auditorium in the Civic Center on land to be supplied by the City and County of San Francisco,

Whereas, It is desirable that plans for this auditorium shall be prepared immediately so that the building may be completed at the earliest possible date,

Whereas, A harmonious program and plan of action has been agreed upon by the Buildings and Grounds' Committee of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, and the Building and Exposition Committees of the Board of Supervisors; be it

Resolved, That the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company hereby requests the City of San Francisco to designate its Advisory Board of Architects as the architects to prepare plans for said auditorium, which plans shall be for a building that will harmonize with all other Civic Center buildings and in the preparation of these plans the Advisory Board of Architects or architect in charge shall be advised and instructed by the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company as to the interior arrangement and space allotments in the said auditorium. The draughting expense of said Board of Architects in the preparation of said plans and specifications to be borne by the Panama-Pacific International Exposition out of the \$1,000,000.00 set aside by the Exposition Company for the purpose of erecting the auditorium, it being understood that the expense of such architects shall not exceed \$40,000.00; be it further

Resolved, That when the plans for the auditorium shall have been approved by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco and the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, contracts for the construction of said auditorium shall be let by the Exposition Company and the work of construction conducted by the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company.

Respectfully,

R. J. TAUSSIG,
Secretary.

By JOS. M. CUMMING,
Assistant Secretary.

Now therefore, be it Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, that the Board of Public Works be directed to cause to be prepared plans, detail drawings and specifications for said auditorium building in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company; be it further

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to set aside and designate as the site for said auditorium the block of land situate between Hayes, Grove, Larkin and Polk streets, and known as the "Mechanics Library Lot," when the same shall have been purchased and made available for said purpose.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft and on motion *laid over one week*:

Ordering Construction of Patrick Henry School.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of the Patrick Henry School building on the easterly line of Vermont street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Education; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said school building, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904, for the construction, inspection, detail drawings, etc., of said school, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of Mrs. J. Quale to Sell for \$12,535 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9612 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Mrs. J. Quale to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Mrs. J. Quale to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, for the purchase of said land \$12,500.00
 Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed 35.00

\$12,535.00

Is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 152 feet 3 inches westerly from the westerly line of Polk street; running thence westerly along said southerly line of McAllister street 25 feet; thence at right angles southerly 120 feet; thence at right angles easterly 25 feet; thence at right angles northerly 120 feet to the said southerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the city and county upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$12,535 to Mrs. J. Quale for Certain Civic Center Land.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the expenditure of twelve thousand five hundred and thirty-five (\$12,535.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Mrs. J. Quale as purchase price of a lot of land situate on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 152 feet 3 inches westerly from the westerly line of Polk street, of dimensions 25 feet frontage by a uniform depth of 120 feet; being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

For purchase of said land . . . \$12,500.00
 Rebate on taxes for current

fiscal year allowed 35.00

\$12,535.00

Required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Accepting Offer of Mangels Estate to Sell for \$62,191 Certain Civic Center Lands.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

Resolution No. 9613 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Mangels Estate Company to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 316, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Mangels Estate Company to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances.

For the purchase of said land \$62,000.00
 Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed 191.80

\$62,191.80

Is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of McAllister street with the easterly line or Larkin street; running thence easterly along said northerly line of McAllister street 87 feet 6 inches; thence at right angles northerly 87 feet 6 inches; thence at right angles westerly 87 feet 6 inches to the said easterly line of Larkin street; thence at right angles southerly and along said easterly line of Larkin street 87 feet 6 inches, to the said northerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement. Being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 316.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the city and county upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$62,191 to Mangels Estate Company for Certain Civic Center Lands.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of sixty-two thousand one hundred and ninety-one dollars and eighty cents (\$62,191.80) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to the Mangels Estate Company, as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the intersection of the northerly line of McAllister street with the easterly line of Larkin street, of dimensions 87 feet 6 inches by 87 feet 6 inches, being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 316, as follows:

For purchase of land.....	\$62,000.00
Rebate of taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed	191.80
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	\$62,191.80

Required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Accepting Offer of Annie Green to Sell for \$19,550 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9614 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Annie Green to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Annie Green to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land and improvements, free of all incumbrances,

For the purchase of said land and improvements	\$19,500.00
Rebate on taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed	50.90
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	\$19,550.90

Is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue; running thence easterly along said southerly line of McAllister street 38 feet 4½ inches; thence at right angles south-

erly 120 feet; thence at right angles westerly 38 feet 4½ inches; thence at right angles northerly 120 feet to the said southerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and improvements, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the city and county upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$19,550 to Annie Green for Certain Lands Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nineteen thousand five hundred fifty dollars and ninety cents (\$19,550.90) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account", in payment to Annie Green as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue, of dimensions 38 feet 4½ inches frontage by a uniform depth of 120 feet; being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

For purchase of said land and improvements	\$19,500.00
Rebate of taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed.....	50.90
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	\$19,550.90

required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Plans for Main Monumental Buildings of Civic Center to be Secured Through Competition.

J. R. No. 340.

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors hereby recommends to the Board of Public Works that the plans for all

main monumental buildings to be erected by and under the direction and control of the City and County in the Civic Center area be secured through competition, believing that better results will be obtained than by having said plans or designs prepared by appointed architects.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Referred.

The following Bills were introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and referred to City Attorney:

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the Official Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace."

Accepting Deed From Crocker Estate Company for Lands Required for Drainage Purposes in Glen Park Terrace, Second Addition.

Also, Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed of land from William H. Crocker and C. E. Green, President and Secretary respectively, of the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation), to the City and County of San Francisco (in the Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace), to be used for drainage purposes."

Accepting Deed for Apening and Extension of Bosworth Street in Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace.

Also, Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed from William H. Crocker and C. E. Green, President and Secretary, respectively, of the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation), for the opening and extension of Bosworth street as delineated upon that certain map described as Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace."

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Establishing Grades, Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2214, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Madison, Gambier, Harvard, Oxford, Cambridge, Yale, Amherst, Princeton, University and Colby streets, between Silver avenue and Felton street; on Pioche street, between Madison street and Silver avenue; on Silliman street, between Madison and Dartmouth streets and on Felton street, between Madison and University street."

Fixing Sidewalk Widths, Lucky Street.
Referred.

Also, Bill No. 2215, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and sixty-three," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks in Lucky street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets, at three feet."

Referred.

The following matters were introduced by Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher and referred to City Attorney:

Approving and Accepting Deed From Oscar Heyman & Bro. for Opening of Sears Street.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting a deed to lands from Oscar Heyman & Brother (a corporation), to the City and County of San Francisco, for the opening of Sears street."

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Oscar Heyman & Bro., Blocks 8 and 21, West End Map No. 2.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the Official Map of Oscar Heyman & Brother's Subdivision of a part of Block No. 8 and all of Block No. 21 of West End Map No. 2."

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Steam Pipe Permit.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Thomas B. Jeffrey Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to lay down a small pipe to be used for conveying steam from the Eagle Laundry situate on the westerly corner of Chase Court and Colusa Place, in Mission Block No. 13; thence across Chase Court to the property to be occupied by Thomas B. Jeffrey Company, situate on the southwesterly line of Twelfth street 150 feet northwesterly from Otis street; provided that this privilege is granted on condition that said Thomas B. Jeffrey Company in opening and closing the streets for the laying of conduits and pipes therein shall act in accordance with the provisions of Subdivision 9 of Section 9 of Chapter 2 of Article 6 of the Charter, wherein the Board of Public Works is required to perform the work necessary in laying the aforesaid conduits and pipes

Provided, Further, that said Thomas B. Jeffrey Company, while exercising

such privilege, shall keep in good repair the street pavement over said conduit and pipes.

Adopted.

The following matters were adopted:
Intention to Change Grades, Certain Streets.

Resolution No. 9615 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Elwood street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office on July 12, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, sang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9616 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Eighth avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office on July 16, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated, a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9617 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Banks street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office on July 12, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9618 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change

and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Upper Terrace, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office on July 18, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher, and on motion referred to City Attorney by the following vote:

Providing for Payment of Paving Roadway of Geary Street, from Kearny Street to Van Ness Avenue.

Resolved, That the expense of paving the roadway of Geary street from Kearny street to Van Ness avenue be paid out of the funds provided for construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—11.

Noes—Supervisors Giannini, Jennings, McCarthy, Nolan, Vogelsang—5.

Absent—Supervisors Hayden, Koshland—2.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Investigate Condition of Pavement on Each Side of Tracks of Geary Street Municipal Railway.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 341.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to investigate the condition of the pavement of the roadway on each side of the tracks over which the Geary Street Municipal Railway is to be operated, and report the result of such investigation to this Board.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Proposals for Paving Certain Streets.

Also, J. R. No. 342.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for paving the roadway of the following streets:

Howard street from Fourth to Ninth streets.

1. Paved with basalt blocks on sand and grouted with asphalt.

2. Paved with basalt blocks on concrete foundation.

Sansome street from Bush to Pacific streets, to be repaved with asphalt.

California street from Market to Front streets, to be repaved with asphalt.

Kearny street from Sacramento to Clay streets, and from Washington to Pacific streets, to be paved with asphalt.

Further Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors the opening of the bids and the amount bid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Furnish Plans and Estimates.

Also, J. R. No. 343.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby requested to furnish this Board with plans and specifications and estimate of cost of construction of a convenience station to be erected in Mission Park, said estimate not to exceed six thousand (\$6000) dollars:

Also, an estimate of cost of paving the roadway of Nineteenth street boulevard, between Dolores and Church streets.

Also, an estimate of cost of the construction of roads in Buena Vista Park.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Furnish Estimate of Cost of Certain Work on San Bruno Avenue.

Also, J. R. No. 344.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby requested to furnish to the Board of Supervisors an estimate of the cost of doing the following street work:

1. The grading of the roadway of San Bruno avenue from Twenty-fifth to Gavin streets.

2. The paving and curbing of the roadway of San Bruno avenue from Twenty-fifth to Gavin streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

City Attorney to Report on Matters Submitted to Him.

Also, J. R. No. 345.

Resolved, That the City Attorney is hereby requested to furnish this Board forthwith a report upon all matters heretofore submitted to him for his opinion by the Streets and Water Committees of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Report on Matters Submitted.

Also, J. R. No. 346.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby requested to furnish this Board forthwith a report upon all matters heretofore submitted by resolutions and communications.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Approving Plans and Specifications, Municipal Railway, Market Street, From Kearny to Sansome Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

J. R. No. 347.

Resolved, That the plans and specifications prepared by the City Engineer for the construction of the Municipal Railway from Kearny street to Sansome street on Market street be approved except as to construction of safety stations and installation of special work at Post street, and be it further:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be instructed to proceed with the proper advertisement for proposals for such construction, inclusive of all necessary special work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Leave of Absence, Mayor Rolph and Supervisor Giannini.

Also, J. R. No. 348.

Whereas, In the interest of the City and for the purpose of promoting good will and closer intercourse with the Pacific Coast cities, and also to assist

the Flying Legion in promoting the Panama-Pacific International Exposition of 1915, it is suggested that his Honor the Mayor and Supervisor Giannini join with the Flying Legion on its proposed visit to Victoria, British Columbia; be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor and Supervisor Giannini be and are hereby given a leave of absence for fifteen days from and after August 22, 1912, with permission to leave the state of California.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Award of Contract, Pianola, Relief Home.

Also, Resolution No. 9619 (New Series).

Resolved, That contract for furnishing one piano and pianola attachment for use of the Relief Home, is hereby awarded to Eilers Music Company, for the sum of \$756.00.

All other bids are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Advise as to Lands Necessary for Widening of Circular Avenue.

Also, J. R. No. 349.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby requested to inform this Board what lands are necessary to be acquired for the widening of Circular avenue, between Diamond street and Sunnyside avenue; also to outline the boundaries of the assessment district to be created for the purpose of defraying the expenses of said widening and paying the cost of the land necessary to be taken therefor, in accordance with Chapter 3, Article 6 of the Charter.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and passed to printing:

Providing \$945 in Payment to Department of the Interior in Matter of Purchase of Rights of Sierra Ditch and Power Co.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That \$945.00 be appropriated out of the Water Construction Fund, 1910, for the payment to the Department of the Interior of the

United States Government, as per contract entered into between the Sierra Ditch and Water Company and said Department of the Interior, the City of San Francisco having succeeded to the rights and obligations of the Sierra Ditch and Water Company aforesaid.

Extension of Time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That John Daniel be granted an extension of forty-five days' time from and after July 11, 1912, within which to complete contract for construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section "G" of the North Point Main Sewer in Treat avenue, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works for the reason that delays have been caused by heavy rains and the bursting of a Spring Valley Water Company's main.

Further Resolved That the fee for advertising this resolution be remitted.

Action Deferred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Nolan, and on motion of Supervisor Jennings, laid over one week:

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby directed to install triple-top gas lamps in the following locations:

East side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Twenty-fourth street.

Castro street, northwest corner of Jersey.

Castro street, southeast corner of Jersey.

West side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Jersey.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, southwest corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, east side, 110 feet south of Twenty-fifth street.

Castro street, northwest corner of Clipper.

Castro street, southeast corner of Clipper.

Castro street, west side, 110 feet south of Clipper.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-sixth.

Castro street, southwest corner of Twenty-sixth.

Remove the following are lamps:

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, northeast corner of Clipper.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-sixth.

Remove the following single gas lamps:

Castro street, east side, 110 feet south of Twenty-fourth.

Castro street, northwest corner of Jersey.

Castro street, southeast corner of Jersey.

Install the following arc lamps:

Corner of Mission street and Russia avenue.

Corner of Burnham and Duncan streets.

Mission street, corner of Park street.

Relative to Reduction of Telephone Rates.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher presented the following matter and expressed himself as being strongly opposed to the proposition:

"In consideration of the Telephone Users' Association preparing and initiating an ordinance to be brought to a vote before July 1, 1913, providing for a reduction in the telephone rates charged in San Francisco,

"I hereby agree to pay to the Telephone Users' Association of San Francisco each month for twelve months, from July 1, 1913, to June 30, 1914, inclusive, one-half of whatever reduction may be made in the rate of the telephone which may be listed under

my name, my present number being

"The payments shall be payable to the Telephone Users' Association on the same day as the telephone bills are payable.

"If the difference between the present and the reduced rates shall be held or impounded pending the settlement of any litigation in connection therewith, then this agreement shall be construed as and shall be an assignment by me to the Telephone Users' Association of one-half of all the money so held or impounded, which may be due or payable to me.

"Dated, 1912.

"Signature"

"Address"

Motion.

Supervisor Giannini moved that the Board also go on record as opposed to it.

Motion *carried*.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 7:15 o'clock, adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors August 26, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.

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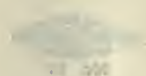
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MONDAY, AUGUST 26, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, August 26, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of August 19, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Leave of Absence, Arthur Barendt, President Board of Health.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, Cal., August 20th, 1912.

Hon. Board of Supervisors, City Hall, San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

I beg to hand you, herewith, a request made of me by Mr. Arthur H. Barendt, President of the Board of Health, for permission to leave the State on August 22nd for a period of ten days. I enclose, herewith, copy of my letter to Mr. Barendt, and respectfully recommend that said leave of absence be approved by your Honorable Body.

Very truly yours,

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,

Mayor.

August 20th, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor City and County of San Francisco.

My Dear Sir:

I respectfully request permission to leave the State on August 22nd for a period of ten days. I would respect-

fully suggest that Dr. A. P. O'Brien be named as acting President of the Board of Health during my absence.

Trusting that you will find it convenient to grant this request and assuring you of my sincere wishes for the continued progress of your administration, believe me to be

Yours very truly,

ARTHUR H. BARENDT,

President Board of Health.

August 20th, 1912.

Hon. Arthur H. Barendt, President Board of Health, 510 Mills Building, San Francisco.

Dear Mr. Barendt:

I am in receipt of your esteemed favor of even date requesting permission to leave the State on August 22nd for a period of ten days. I hereby grant you the permission desired, and shall respectfully recommend to the Honorable Board of Supervisors, at their meeting on Monday next, that same be granted by them.

Appreciating your sincere wishes for the success of the administration, believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,

Mayor.

Whereupon the following Resolution was adopted by the following vote:

J. R. No. 350.

Resolved, That Arthur H. Barendt, President of the Board of Health, be and is hereby given a leave of absence for ten days from and after August 22nd, with permission to leave the State.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Opinion of City Attorney that Geary Street Railway Bond Money Cannot be Used for Paving Geary Street.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From City Attorney, advising that cost of repaving portion of Geary street disrupted by reason of change of grades for municipal railway cannot be legally paid out of

proceeds of bonds for construction of Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Ordered referred to *Finance Committee*.

Fire Menace, Treasurer's Office.

Also, *communication*—From Treasurer, calling attention to danger of fire in his office owing to storage of paints, oils, books, etc., under same by Board of Public Works.

Ordered referred to *Public Buildings Committee*.

Triangular Boulevard Committee Conference.

Communication—From Triangular Boulevard Committee, representing Chambers of Commerce of San Bernardino, Highlands and Redlands, requesting hearing before Board on next Monday.

Referred to *Committee on Publicity and Interurban Relations*.

Celebration of Completion of Mission Viaduct.

Also, *communication*—From the Mission Promotion Association, requesting that Sunday, September 15, 1912, at 2 p. m., be designated as time for celebration of the completion of the Mission viaduct, under the auspices of said association.

Motion.

Supervisor McCarthy moved that the request be complied with.
Motion carried.

Request for Appropriation for Construction of Geary Street Municipal Railway from Thirty-third Avenue and Geary Street Westerly.

Also, *communication*—From Board of Public Works recommending that \$85,500 be made available for track construction for Geary Street Municipal Railway from Geary street along Thirty-third avenue, Balboa street, Forty-fifth avenue and Cabrillo street to the Great Highway.

Referred to *Finance and Public Utilities Committee*.

Relative to Improvement of Moral Conditions at North Beach.

Also, *communication*—From North Beach Promotion Association, inviting Board to attend meeting of said association at Jean Parker School on September 4, 1912, at 8:30 p. m., for the purpose of discussing improvement of morals of North Beach.

Referred to *Public Welfare Committee*.

Reduction of Insurance Rates and Condition of Auxiliary Water System.

Also, *communication*—From Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific, transmitting copy of letter addressed to Mayor Rolph as to requested reduction of fire insurance rates by rea-

son of partial construction of auxiliary water system.

Ordered referred to *Fire Committee*.

Street Railway Time Schedule on Clement Street.

Communication—From United Railroads, advising as to schedule in operation on Clement street car line.

Ordered filed.

Specifications for Installing Electric Power Conductors, Etc., Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Also, *communication*—From Board of Public Works, transmitting specifications and requesting an appropriation of \$64,000 for furnishing and installing electric power conductors, etc., for Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Ordered referred to *Finance Committee*.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were read and ordered filed, to wit:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee—Paul Bancroft, Chairman.

Public Health Committee—G. E. Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee—Oscar Hocks, Chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee—E. L. Nolan, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee—A. T. Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee—Geo. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee—Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows: to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9620 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

J. W. Schouten, lumber (claim dated July 31, 1912)	\$ 1,098.00
Brown & Power Stationery Co., envelopes and printing (claim dated Aug. 12, 1912)	1,220.50
Spring Valley Water Co., water for sprinkling streets, July (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912)	885.76

Burroughs Adding Machine Co., adding machine, Treasurer (claim dated Aug. 6, 1912) 563.50

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors (claim dated June 30, 1912) \$ 3,954.06

Exposition Bond Fund, 1912, Premium Account.

The Mysell Rollins Bank Note Co., printing bonds (claim dated Aug. 14, 1912) \$ 1,475.00

Water Construction Fund, July 1, 1910.

J. H. Dockweiler, investigation water supply (claim dated June 29, 1912) \$ 1,000.00

Park Fund.

Spring Valley Water Co., water for parks and squares (claim dated July 29, 1912) \$ 1,985.48

Fire Protection, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Coast Improvement Co., final payment, hauling and laying pipe, Section 6 (claim dated Aug. 2, 1912) \$ 3,385.78

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 15th payment, Twin Peaks reservoir (claim dated Aug. 14, 1912) 25,000.00

Selby Smelting & Lead Co., in full, purchase bolts, lead, etc. (claim dated Aug. 14, 1912) 19,840.00

Union Iron Works Co., final payment, hydrants (claim dated Aug. 14, 1912) 619.74

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Dyer Bros., final payment, cell work, City and County jail (claim dated July 26, 1912) \$ 2,442.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Flinn & Treacy, 3rd payment, asphalt paving, Lakeview School (claim dated March 1, 1912) \$ 983.25

Flinn & Treacy, final payment, yard work, Holly Park School (claim dated Aug. 8, 1912) 569.00

Polytechnic High School, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin Co., chairs, Polytechnic High School (claim dated June 13, 1912) \$ 832.50

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jen-

nings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9621 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

City Hall and Civic Center Bonds, 1912.

For further development of Civic Center plans, by the Consulting Architects, Board of Public Works....\$ 2,500.00

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item 549.

For the preparation of maps for the Assessor's office....\$ 4,000.00
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting, was taken up and again laid over one week:

Providing \$83,000 for Hauling and Laying High Pressure Pipe in District No. 6 of Auxiliary Water System.

Resolved, That the sum of \$83,000 from the Fire Protection Account of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908, is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works for the purpose of paying the cost of hauling and laying high pressure pipe in the district bounded by Market street, Second street, Division street and Kansas street, known as District No. 6, this appropriation being in addition to that of \$95,000 made by Resolution No. 8319 (New Series).

Ordering Sewer Work, North Point Main; Street Work, Lincoln Way and Constructing Underground Conduit, Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Resolution No. 9622 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section "N." North Point main sewer, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment for the same the sum of \$31,000.00 out of the proceeds of sale of sewer bonds, issue of 1908; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the

construction of said sewers that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the improvement of Lincoln way from Twentieth avenue westerly, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment of same the sum of \$40,000.00 out of Budget Item No. 54; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted, to incorporate a condition in said contract for the improvement of said Lincoln way that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract for the furnishing and installing of underground conduit for the Geary Street Municipal Railway along Geary street from Geary street to Presidio avenue, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment of same the sum of \$34,000.00 out of the proceeds of sale of Geary Street bonds; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the construction of said underground conduit that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Providing \$20,000 to Pay Competitive Prizes of Architects on City Hall.

Resolution No. 9623 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$20,000 is hereby authorized and appropriated out of the City Hall-Civic Center Building Fund of 1912, for the payment of \$1000 each to twenty architects who were awarded competitive prizes by the Jury of Award and by resolution of the Board of Public Works.

Following are the architects certified to the Board of Supervisors by the Consulting Board of Architects and the Board of Public Works, each of whom is to receive \$1000: George William Kelham, Milton Lichtenstein,

Coates & Traver, Chas. Peter Weeks, Shea & Lofquist, Bliss & Faville, William Mooser, William L. Oser, Houghton Sawyer, Ward & Blohme, O'Brien & Werner, Edward T. Foulkes, L. B. Dutton, Ralph Warner Hart, John Baur, Righetti & Headman, W. L. Woollett, Miller & de Colmesnil, William C. Hays, Lewis P. Hobart.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Providing \$945 in Payment to Department of the Interior in Matter of Purchase of Rights of Sierra Ditch and Power Co.

Resolution No. 9624 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That \$945.00 be appropriated out of the Water Construction Fund, 1910, for the payment to the Department of the Interior of the United States Government, as per contract entered into between the Sierra Ditch and Water Company and said Department of the Interior, the City of San Francisco having succeeded to the rights and obligations of the Sierra Ditch and Water Company aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Oil, Boiler and Garage Permits.

Resolution No. 9625 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

John Finn Metal Works, westerly corner of Second and Harrison streets, capacity 4000 gallons.

Haub Bros., west side of Fillmore street, 100 feet north of O'Farrell street, capacity 1500 gallons.

City and County of San Francisco (Municipal Railway Building), northwest corner of Geary street and Presidio avenue, capacity 1800 gallons.

F. R. Ritchie, south corner of Seventh and Channel streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Boilers.

F. R. Ritchie, south corner of Seventh and Channel streets, ten horsepower, for running oil pump.

Garage.

John Pordon, north side of Jackson street, between Columbus avenue and Montgomery street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Removal of Persons Afflicted With Infectious, Contagious or Pestilential Diseases.

Bill No. 2213, Ordinance No. 1987 (New Series), entitled "Amending Ordinance No. 1034, entitled 'Regulations to prevent the spread of disease,' approved October 27, 1903, by the addition of a new section to be numbered 15½."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$12,535 to Mrs. J. Quale for Certain Civic Center Land.

Resolution No. 9626 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the expenditure of twelve thousand five hundred and thirty-five (\$12,535.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Mrs. J. Quale as purchase price of a lot of land situate on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 152 feet 3 inches westerly from the westerly line of Polk street, of dimensions 25 feet frontage by a uniform depth of 120 feet; being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

For purchase of said land...\$12,500.00
Rebate on taxes for current
fiscal year allowed 35.00

\$12,535.00

Required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$62,191 to Mangels Estate Company for Certain Civic Center Lands.

Resolution No. 9627 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of sixty-two thousand one hundred and ninety-one dollars and eighty cents (\$62,191.80) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to the Mangels Estate Company, as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the intersection of the northerly line of McAllister street with the easterly line of Larkin street, of dimensions 87 feet 6 inches by 87 feet 6 inches, being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 316, as follows:

For purchase of land.....\$62,000.00
Rebate of taxes for current
fiscal year allowed 191.80

\$62,191.80

Required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$19,550 to Annie Green for Certain Lands Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9628 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nineteen thousand five hundred fifty dollars and ninety cents (\$19,550.90) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Annie Green as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue, of dimensions 38 feet 4½ inches frontage by a uniform depth of 120 feet; being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

For purchase of said land and
improvements\$19,500.00
Rebate of taxes for current
fiscal year allowed..... 50.90

\$19,550.90

required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Establishing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2214, Ordinance No. 1988 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Madison, Gambier, Harvard, Oxford, Cambridge, Yale, Amherst, Princeton, University and Colby streets, between Silver avenue and Felton street; on Pioche street, between Madison street and Silver avenue; on Silliman street, between Madison and Dartmouth streets and on Felton street, between Madison and University street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths, Lucky Street.
Referred.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No.

1989 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and sixty-three." the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks in Lucky street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets, at three feet."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Steam Pipe Permit.

Resolution No. 9629 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Thomas B. Jeffrey Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to lay down a small pipe to be used for conveying steam from the Eagle Laundry situate on the westerly corner of Chase Court and Colusa Place, in Mission Block No. 13; thence across Chase Court to the property to be occupied by Thomas B. Jeffrey Company, situate on the southwesterly line of Twelfth street 150 feet northwesterly from Otis street; provided that this privilege is granted on condition that said Thomas B. Jeffrey Company in opening and closing the streets for the laying of conduits and pipes therein shall act in accordance with the provisions of Subdivision 9 of Section 9 of Chapter 2 of Article 6 of the Charter, wherein the Board of Public Works is required to perform the work necessary in laying the aforesaid conduits and pipes.

Provided, Further, that said Thomas B. Jeffrey Company, while exercising such privilege, shall keep in good repair the street pavement over said conduit and pipes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9630 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That John Daniel be granted an extension of forty-five days' time from and after July 11, 1912, within which to complete contract for construction of sewers and appurtenances in Section "G" of the North Point Main Sewer in Treat avenue, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works for the reason that delays have been caused by heavy rains

and the bursting of a Spring Valley Water Company's main.

Further Resolved That the fee for advertising this resolution be remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS, 3 P. M.

Hearing Protests, Stockton Street Tunnel.
The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Mauzy and adopted:

Resolution No. 9631 (New Series).

The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco having, by Resolution duly fixed this Twenty-sixth day of August, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the chambers or meeting room of the Board of Supervisors in the City Hall, Number 1231 Market street, in said City and County of San Francisco, as the time and place for hearing all protests and objections filed to the report of the Board of Public Works heretofore filed in the matter of the construction and completion of a tunnel with approaches and appurtenances thereto in Stockton street, between Sutter street and Sacramento street, in the City and County of San Francisco, pursuant to the Resolution of Intention of the Board of Supervisors of said City and County in that behalf, being Resolution Number 8818, New Series, approved November 9th, 1911:

And there having been filed in said matter with the Board of Supervisors before said hearing and pursuant to the provisions of "The Tunnel Procedure Ordinance" certain affidavits showing that the said Resolution of Intention of the Board of Supervisors, the notice of the completion of the posting of the notices provided for in Section Four of said Ordinance the notice of the filing of the said report of the Board of Public Works as required by Section Seven of said Ordinance and the notice of the time and place of the hearing of protests as provided for by Section Eight of said Ordinance have been published as in said Ordinance required, and also an affidavit showing that the notices required by Section Three of said Ordinance to be posted have been posted in accordance with the requirements of said Section Three, now therefore,

It is ordered, found and determined by the Board of Supervisors before proceeding with said hearing that the publications and postings referred to in Section Nine of said Ordinance have been made in said matter as required by said Ordinance.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-

lagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Privilege of the Floor.

Thos. S. Dolliver, owner of property at corner of California and Stockton streets, was granted the privilege of the floor and objected to the proceedings for the construction of a tunnel in Stockton street on the ground that no damages had been awarded to him for damage he alleged will accrue to his lot. He stated that the owner of lot on the opposite corner had been allowed \$8090 and the tenant \$2000. He believed that he was entitled to at least \$6000. He declared that he had entered into lease in July, 1912, and had made complete arrangements for the construction of a six-story building on the property and that there was no chance of his changing his mind in the matter.

Engineer C. E. Grunsky stated that Dolliver's lot was similarly situated to the lot mentioned on the opposite corner and that he would recommend an award of damages in this case of about \$2000.

E. De Los Mages, representing the British Benevolent Society, The Portola Realty Company, Margaret E. Lees and E. A. Herron, appeared and stated that he wished the evidence submitted in previous hearing to be considered in this hearing in the matter of his protests on behalf of the above named clients.

R. B. Treat, representing John Zeeman, stated that his client had lease on property at the northeast corner of California and Stockton streets which expired in 1921; that he was obligated to pay a rental of \$6000 a year for 10 years and lease secured by mortgage to the landlord. He believed that his client would be out of business practically for all the time that the tunnel was under construction. He estimated the profit he would lose thereby at \$6000. He declared that the business would be destroyed during the construction of the tunnel and that it would take some time to recover it afterwards. He claimed damages in the sum of \$18,000, and requested that the other evidence submitted in previous hearing be considered in this matter.

C. M. Kirkbride, representing Mrs. Annie L. Turner, also addressed the Board, protesting against the damages awarded by the Board of Public Works. He stated that his client was allowed only \$2000; that the property was seriously affected in its relation to the retail shopping district and that the proposed tunnel would necessitate a great in-

crease in the cost of building proper foundations on property, amounting to probably \$10,000. He stated that the lot was vacant at the present time, but that plans had been prepared for a \$140,000 building. He stated that the property of the Victoria Hotel nearby is smaller, yet it was awarded damages in the sum of \$22,000. Claims \$35,000 damages.

Engineer C. E. Grunsky stated that all considerations mentioned in the matter of Mrs. Turner's protest had been considered in making the award, and that he thought the amount allowed adequate. In the case of Zeeman, he stated that the claim that business would be impaired during the construction of the tunnel had been taken into consideration and the damage fixed accordingly.

Nathan Frank, representing the Hugg Estate, requested that the evidence that he had submitted in the previous hearing be considered in this, together with the additional protest he had recently filed with the Clerk. He stated that he had failed, as yet, to find out the elements that had been considered by the Board of Public Works in arriving at its estimates of the damages. He believed it only fair that such information should be given out.

Engineer C. E. Grunsky stated that the evidence submitted in the last hearing in the above case had been carefully analyzed, but that there was no change in the recommendation made.

C. G. Appen, representing the Burt Investment Company, owning property situate on Stockton street, between Pine and California streets, stated that in addition to the general reasons advanced by other protestants, that the lot of his client was larger and entitled to larger damages. He declared that no damages had been awarded the company, although damage to adjoining lot was fixed at \$1200. He claimed damage to his client's property in the sum of \$2100.

Engineer C. E. Grunsky stated that the above property was not included in the assessment district for the reason that a protest had not been filed. He recommended that damage to the amount of \$1750 be allowed in this case and \$2340 in the Dolliver case.

T. S. Dolliver protested against the recommendation of \$2340 made by Mr. Grunsky, and stated that he should be allowed at least \$12,000.

R. B. Treat, representing Tillie Lewin, stated that his client was under lease for property on the west side of Stockton street at the mouth of the tunnel which consisted of a six-story apartment house for which she had ob-

ligated herself to pay rent amounting to \$10,000, covering a period of ten years. Also, that she had incurred an expense of \$30,000 for furniture. He believed that the business of his client would be destroyed during the construction of the tunnel and that the process of recovery would be slow. He claimed damage in the sum of \$15,000.

Engineer C. E. Grunsky stated that all the considerations mentioned had been taken into account and the award made as stated in the report of the Board of Public Works.

E. Mandonnet, representing himself, stated that his protest had been filed late, but that he wanted to enter his claim for damages to property known as Emmett place, which he stated was his private property. He declared that the tunnel will cut his property in two when completed and will leave it 20 feet in the air.

Engineer C. E. Grunsky stated that the land in question is in a very complex situation, but that all considerations raised had been taken into account. He declared that in making the assessment district he had considered it as a public street, and that if Mandonnet could show that it was his private property the courts would afford him a satisfactory adjustment.

W. McCarthy was also granted the privilege of the floor, and stated that although he had not filed a protest against the last report of the Board of Public Works in this matter, he failed to do so believing that it was not necessary, having already filed his complaint in a previous hearing. He requested to be advised relative to the property of his sister, Mrs. McCarthy, how the award of \$22,000 on the Victoria Hotel had been arrived at. He declared that the loss to his sister's property will not only be temporary, but permanent also. He believed that the rental value of each room would be from \$1 to \$1.50 less after the tunnel was constructed. He requested to be advised as to the method employed by the Board of Public Works in arriving at its awards in the matter.

Thereupon, the following resolution was adopted on motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

Awarding Additional Damages, Stockton Street Tunnel.

Resolution No. 9632 (New Series), as follows:

In the matter of the construction of the Stockton Street Tunnel, pursuant to Resolution of Intention No. 8818 (New Series).

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors, having this day proceeded with the hearing of all protests and objections filed with this Board to the new report of the Board of Public Works

in the above entitled matter heretofore filed with this Board, and having fully considered all of said protests and all of the evidence was introduced in support thereof and in relation thereto, now determines to allow the following damages other than and in addition to those determined by the Board of Public Works in its said new report herein, to wit:

To Thomas S. Dolliver, for damages to his property described in his protest filed in this matter, the sum of \$2340.

To Burt Investment Company, for damages to its property described in its protest filed in this matter, the sum of \$2100.

And determines not to modify or change the said new report in any other respect or particular; and be it

Further Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby required to make and furnish to the Board of Supervisors the mathematical calculations necessary to make its said new report conform to said modifications above specified, prior to Wednesday, the 4th day of September, 1912, and that the hearing of this matter is hereby adjourned to the date last aforesaid at 3:00 p. m., for the purpose of enabling said Board of Public Works to make and furnish the same to this Board, in accordance with the provisions of Section 9A of the Tunnel Procedure Ordinance.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$162,993.16 and numbered consecutively 24,011 to 24,398 inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution heretofore referred to Electricity Committee and

returned by said Committee with its recommendation that same be adopted was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Hayden made a special order of business for 3 p. m., Wednesday, September 4, 1912, by the following vote:

Department of Electricity to Discontinue Use of Fire Alarm Signal Standards in Market Street, and Remove Same.

J. R. No. —

Whereas, The operation of the Fire Alarm Signal System now installed along Market street on a single circuit, impedes traffic and endangers life and limb of persons who happen to be moving along the roadway when the alarm is sounded for fire; and

Whereas, This system of sounding a general alarm has been generally abandoned in all the cities of the world; be it

Resolved, That the Department of Electricity be requested to discontinue sounding the alarm signals on Market street, and that instruction be given to the chief of the Bureau of Electricity to remove said alarms and standards from the streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Nolan—10.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—7.

Absent—Supervisor Giannini—1.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Clerk to Advertise for Proposals for Furnishing Police Telephone Standards for Department of Electricity.

J. R. No. 351.

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to call for bids for furnishing the Department of Electricity thirty cast-iron police telephone standards in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the office of the Department of Electricity, 55 Fulton street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Otis Elevator Co., final payment, elevators, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912) \$10,383.00

The Turner Co., final payment, heating ward No. 4, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912) 933.84

The Turner Co., final payment, heating Ward No. 3, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912) 907.28

John G. Sutton Co., final payment, disinfectors, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated June 19, 1912) 1,555.00

John G. Sutton Co., final payment, plumbing, ward No. 4, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 8, 1912) 3,850.00

John G. Sutton Co., final payment, plumbing, ward No. 3, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 8, 1912) 3,750.00

John G. Sutton Co., final payment plumbing, ward No. 2, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 8, 1912) 3,750.00

John G. Sutton Co., final payment, plumbing, ward No. 1, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated August 8, 1912) 3,750.00

General Fund, 1912-1913.

The Albertinum Orphanage, maintenance of minors (claim dated July 31, 1912) 583.80

State of California, maintenance of minors (claim dated August 8, 1912) 680.59

Bion J. Arnold, Public Utilities (claim dated August 20, 1912) 3,243.63

Whitcomb Estate by James Otis, Trustees, rent, temporary City Hall, August, 1912 (claim dated Aug. 18, 1912) 5,250.00

Whitcomb Estate by James Otis, Trustee, rent, temporary City Hall, month of July, 1912 (claim dated Aug. 20, 1912) 5,250.00

Sperry Flour Company, groceries, Relief Home (claim dated July 3, 1912) 980.25

Standard Underground Cable Co., cable, Dept. Electricity (claim dated July 9, 1912). 3,558.48

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Standard Underground Cable Co., cable, Dept. Electricity (claim dated June 30, 1912) 1,003.07

Exposition Bond Fund, 1912, Premium Account.

Dillon, Thomson & Clay, professional services (claim dated August 23, 1912) 2,000.00

City Hall-Civic Center Bond Fund, 1912, Premium Account

Dillon Thompson & Clay, professional services (claim dated, August 23, 1912)... \$3,000.00
Water Construction Fund Bond, July 1, 1910.

W. C. Hammatt, surveys and investigations, Hetch Hetchy (claim dated August 8, 1912)..... 996.67

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing the following sums be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to-wit:

For Improvement of Buena Vista Park, Budget Item No. 59.

For the improvement of Buena Vista Park, to be expended by the Board of Park Commissioners\$15,000.00

School Construction Account, Bond Issue 1908.

For equipment of Lowell High School, to be expended by the Board of Education; additional to \$10,000 heretofore appropriated....\$15,000.00

For equipment of Le Conte School, to be expended by the Board of Education; additional to \$2,500 heretofore appropriated 750.00

For equipment of Starr King School, to be expended by the Board of Education; additional to \$2,500 heretofore appropriated 750.00

Ordering Construction of Chemical Engine House No. 12.

Also, Bill No. 2216, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of Chemical Engine House No. 12, to be located on lot in Nineteenth avenue, near Rivera street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works, and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners, authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said fire engine house, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed eight thousand five hundred (\$8,500) dollars, out of the item 'For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes' in the budget of the fiscal year 1912-1913, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Repealing Ordinance Calling for Progress Reports on Public Improvements.

Also, Bill No. 2217, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Repealing

Ordinance No. 513 (New Series), relating to Progress Reports."

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Treasurer Authorized and Directed to Transfer \$381.92 from School Bond Redemption Fund 1904 to School Bond Fund 1904.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:

J. R. No. 352.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer \$381.92 from School Bond Redemption Fund 1904 to School Bond Fund 1904.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Boiler, Oil, Garage and Laundry Permits.

Supervisor Mauzy introduced:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

University of California, Affiliated Colleges, 73-horsepower, for heating purposes.

Oest Fruit Company, west corner of Sixth and Brannan streets, 20-horsepower, for manufacturing purposes.

San Mateo County Dairy, 1816 Howard street, 25-horsepower, for furnishing power.

Sarah Bluxome Wooster and Cornelia Bluxome, north line of Erie street, 185 feet west of Howard street, 100-horsepower, for laundry purposes.

A. Lonnie Clavere, 367 Guerrero street, 10-horsepower, for laundry purposes.

Storage Tanks.

Ray Levin, east side of Franklin street, 137 feet 6 inches north of California street; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Sarah B. Wooster and Cornelia Bluxome, north side of Erie street, 185 feet west of Howard street; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Garages.

St. Francis Automobile Company, 1485 Broadway.

J. H. Cain, southeast corner of Geary street and Fourth avenue.

Laundry.

P. Mon, 3027 Twenty-second street.

Privilege of the Floor.

Harry E. Michael, representing property owners protesting against granting laundry permit to P. Mon, 3027 Twenty-second street, was granted the privilege of the floor, and requested that said matter be laid over one week in order that his clients might have an opportunity to engage another attorney, as he had declined to serve them

further in the matter, owing to his connection with the city government.

Recommitted.

Whereupon the matter of P. Alon, 3027 Twenty-second street, was ordered *recommitted* to the Fire Committee.

Passed for Printing.

Thereupon, the above resolution, as amended, was *passed for printing*:

Action Deferred.

The following bill was presented by Supervisor Mauzy, on motion laid over until next meeting, and Clerk ordered to send copies to members:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for fire drills for persons employed or otherwise in attendance in factories, workshops, public or private schools, asylums or department stores."

Stable Permit.

The following resolution, heretofore recommitted to Public Health Committee and returned by said committee, with the recommendation that same be *passed for printing*, was taken up:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series) be and is hereby granted to V. Filippis to maintain a stable for one horse in premises situate at 3249-3251 Folsom street.

Privilege of the Floor.

L. S. Mann, representing the Roman Catholic Archbishop, was granted the privilege of the floor, and addressed the Board, stating that the stable was to be constructed alongside of the Italian church, and would depreciate the character of the neighborhood. He believed that the establishment of a stable at that location was a piece of spite work on the part of the petitioner. He protested on behalf of the Archbishop.

Arthur Perry, representing the petitioner, Fillipis, stated that his client was in the contracting business, was within his legal rights in his application for a stable at said location, and had purchased his property there before the church was built.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the above resolution was *passed for printing* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Edward L. Nolan—2.

Absent—Supervisor Giannini.

Stable Permits.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

G. Pellinacci, at southwest corner of Twenty-third and Kansas streets (rear), for one horse.

William Fisher Company, on south side of Sadowa street, 200 feet east of Plymouth avenue (rear) for four horses.

Aug. Buchman, at southwest corner of Thirty-fourth avenue and Geary street (rear), for one horse.

G. Bacciocco, in rear of 1030 Oak street, for two horses.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permits.

J. R. No. 353.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

Fred E. Oele, in rear of 2291 Bryant street, for one horse.

George Reid, representing Salvation Army, on south side of Clara street, 137 feet 6 inches east of Fifth street, for ten horses.

Mrs. A. Simonini, in rear of 227 Capital avenue, for one horse.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following matters were introduced by Supervisor Nolan, and on motion *laid over one week*:

Install Street Lights.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Light Company is hereby directed to install arc lights at the following locations:

Geary street and Forty-fourth avenue.

Second avenue, between California and Lake streets.

Second avenue, between Geary and Anza streets.

Twenty-ninth street, between Castro and Diamond streets.

Installation and Removal of Street Lights.

Also, J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby di-

rected to install triple-top gas lamps in the following locations:

East side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Twenty-fourth street.

Castro street, northwest corner of Jersey.

Castro street, southeast corner of Jersey.

West side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Jersey.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, southwest corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, east side, 110 feet south of Twenty-fifth street.

Castro street, northwest corner of Clipper.

Castro street, southeast corner of Clipper.

Castro street, west side, 110 feet south of Clipper.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-sixth.

Castro street, southwest corner of Twenty-sixth.

Remove the following arc lamps:

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, northeast corner of Clipper.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-sixth.

Remove the following single gas lamps:

Castro street, east side, 110 feet south of Twenty-fourth.

Castro street, northwest corner of Jersey.

Castro street, southeast corner of Jersey.

Install the following arc lamps:

Corner of Mission street and Russia avenue.

Corner of Burnham and Duncan streets.

Mission street, corner of Park street.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Ordering Construction of Patrick Henry School.

Bill No. 2218, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of the Patrick Henry School building on the easterly line of Vermont street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Education; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said school building, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904, for the construction, inspection, detail drawings, etc., of said

school, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Assigning Room in Hall of Justice to Police Department to be Used for Detention of Female Prisoners.

J. R. No. 354.

Resolved, That Room No. 18 in Hall of Justice is hereby assigned to the Police Department, to be used for the detention of female prisoners.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Accepting Offer of Charles Strohmaier to Sell for \$18,045.50 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9633 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Charles Strohmaier to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Charles Strohmaier to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all incumbrances,

For the purchase of said land	\$18,000.00
Rebate on taxes for the current fiscal year	45.50

\$18,045.50

Is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 109 feet easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue; running thence easterly along said northerly line of Fulton street 50 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 53 feet 6½ inches; thence northwesterly 13 feet 8¼ inches; thence northerly 60 feet 10¼ inches to the southerly line of Ash street; thence at a right angle westerly along said southerly line of Ash street 37 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line of Fulton street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if

the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$18,045.50 to Charles Strohmaier for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of eighteen thousand forty-five dollars and fifty cents (\$18,045.50) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Charles Strohmaier as purchase price of a lot of land on the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 109 feet easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue, having a frontage of 50 feet on Fulton street, of irregular dimensions to Ash street, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

For purchase of said land...\$18,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current
fiscal year 45.50

\$18,045.50

Required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Authorizing Payment of \$87,079.82 to Sarah L. Coffin for Certain Civic Center Lands.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of eighty-seven thousand seventy-nine dollars and eighty-two cents (\$87,079.82) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Sarah L. Coffin, as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the intersection of the easterly line of Van Ness avenue with the southerly line of McAllister street, of dimensions 70 feet front by a uniform depth of 100 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, as follows:

For purchase of said land and improvements\$86,873.32
Rebate on taxes for current
fiscal year 206.50

\$87,079.82

Required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of Sarah L. Coffin to Sell for \$87,079.82 Certain Land Required for Civic Center.

Resolution No. 9634 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Sarah L. Coffin to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land and improvements is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of Sarah L. Coffin to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, For the purchase of said land

and improvements\$86,873.32
Rebate on taxes for current
fiscal year 206.50

\$87,079.82

Is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point fromed by the intersection of the easterly line of Van Ness avenue with the southerly line of McAllister street; running thence southerly along said easterly line of Van Ness avenue 70 feet; thence at a right angle easterly 100 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 70 feet to the said southerly line of McAllister street; thence at a right angle westerly along said southerly line of McAllister street 100 feet to the said easterly line of Van Ness avenue and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and improvements, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the city and county upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Glanini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following matters were *laid over one week*:

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the Official Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace."

Accepting Deed From Crocker Estate Company for Lands Required for Drainage Purposes in Glen Park Terrace, Second Addition.

Also, Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed of land from William H. Crocker and C. E. Green, President and Secretary respectively, of the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation), to the City and County of San Francisco (in the Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace), to be used for drainage purposes."

Accepting Deed for Opening and Extension of Bosworth Street in Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace.

Also, Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed from William H. Crocker and C. E. Green, President and Secretary, respectively, of the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation), for the opening and extension of Bosworth street as delineated upon that certain map described as Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace."

Approving and Accepting Deed From Oscar Heyman & Bro. for Opening of Sears Street.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting a deed to lands from Oscar Heyman & Brother (a corporation), to the City and County of San Francisco, for the opening of Sears street."

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Oscar Heyman & Bro., Blocks 8 and 21, West End Map No. 2.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the Official Map of Oscar Heyman & Brother's Subdivision of a part of Block No. 8 and all of Block No. 21 of West End Map No. 2."

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Changing Grades.

Also Bill No. 2219, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Newcomb avenue, between

Ingalls and Keith streets on Oakdale avenue, between Hawes and Lane streets; on Ingalls street, between Newcomb and Palou avenues; on Jennings street, between McKinnon and Palou avenues; and on Keith street, between Newcomb and Palou avenues."

Also, Bill No. 2220, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Lisbon street, between France and Italy avenues."

Also, Bill No. 2221, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Douglass street, between the northerly line of Carson street produced, and a line parallel with and 195 feet southerly from the southerly line of Nineteenth street."

Also, Bill No. 2222, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Geary street, between the easterly line of Divisadero street and Broderick street, and on Divisadero street, between Post and O'Farrell streets."

Also, Bill No. 2223, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Onondago avenue, between a line parallel with and 319 feet easterly from the easterly line of Cayuga avenue and the westerly line of said Cayuga avenue."

Also, Bill No. 2224, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Geary street, between the westerly line of Josephine street produced, and Emerson street."

Also, Bill No. 2225, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Leese street, between Park street and Crescent avenue, and on Richland avenue, between a line 100 feet easterly from Mission street and a line 325 feet westerly from Murray street."

Also, Bill No. 2226, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Elsie street, between a line parallel with and 90 feet southerly from the southerly line of Eugenia avenue and the northerly line of Cortland avenue."

Also, Bill No. 2227, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Montcalm street, between Alabama street and Peralta avenue."

Also, Bill No. 2228, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Lizzie street, between Mission and Coleridge streets."

Also, Bill No. 2229, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Arlington street, between a line 450 feet southwesterly from Roanoke

street and the southwesterly line of Natick street produced, and on Natick street, between Arlington street and the first angle northwesterly from said Arlington street."

Also, Bill No. 2230, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Staples avenue, between Detroit street and the westerly line of Foerster street, and on Foerster street, between the northerly line of Staples avenue and the northerly line of Balboa Park."

Also, Bill No. 2231, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Hampshire street between the northerly line of Eighteenth street and the northerly line of Twentieth street, and on Eighteenth street at the crossing of Hampshire street, and on Nineteenth street, between the westerly line of Hampshire street and a line parallel with and 25 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hampshire street."

Also, Bill No. 2232, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Staples avenue, between Foerster street and a point 375 feet westerly from the westerly line of Genesee street, and on Genesee street, between Flood and Staples avenues."

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2233, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Lilac street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets; crossing of Castro and Henry streets; crossing of Church and Twenty-third streets; Twenty-first avenue, between Anza and Balboa streets, paved with asphalt and bituminous rock.

Establishing Grades.

Also, Bill No. 2234, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Spencer Alley for a distance of 114.5 feet northerly from Sixteenth street."

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2235, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Genoa Place, between Union and Filbert streets; Diamond street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets; Ashbury street, between Grove and Fulton streets; Congress street, between Buena Vista avenue and Masonic avenue; crossing of Cabrillo street and Sixteenth avenue," paved with asphalt and bituminous rock, basalt and cobblestones.

Also, Bill No. 2236, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Ellsworth street, between Eugenia and Powhattan avenues; Anza street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth avenues; Anza street, between

Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues," paved with bituminous rock and asphalt.

Spur Track Permit.

Also, Bill No. 2237, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to Roger Johnson, Timothy Hopkins and the Van Arsdale-Harris Lumber Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, from the existing spur track of the Southern Pacific Company in Bluxome street, at or near its intersection with the westerly line of Fourth street, thence over and across Bluxome street to the north side of Bluxome street; thence along Bluxome street to Fifth street."

Fixing Sidewalk Widths, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2238, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and eighty" the provisions of which provide, as follows:

The width of sidewalks on San Jose avenue, for the easterly side, the width shall extend from the easterly property line to a point fifteen (15) feet westerly at right angles from the said easterly line of San Jose avenue at its point of intersection with the southerly line of Brook street and running thence southerly to a point eight (8) feet westerly at right angles from said easterly line of San Jose avenue at its point of intersection with the northerly line of Randall street.

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2239, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of the following street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order that Cabrillo street, from the easterly line of Twenty-first avenue to the westerly line of Twenty-third avenue, be improved by grading to official line and grade.

Referred.

The following matter heretofore referred to City Attorney and returned by him with opinion that same is illegal was taken up and *recommended to Streets Committee*:

Providing for Payment of Paving Roadway of Geary Street, from Kearny Street to Van Ness Avenue.

Resolved, That the expense of paving the roadway of Geary street from Kearny street to Van Ness avenue be paid out of the funds provided for construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railway.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Recommend Paving of Beale Street from Folsom Street to The Embarcadero.

J. R. No. 355.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to recommend the paving of the roadway of Beale street from Folsom street to The Embarcadero, with a basalt block pavement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Intention to Change Grades, Certain Streets.

Also, Resolution No. 9635 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Sixteenth avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office August 19, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9636 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Fifteenth avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office August 15, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9637 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Twenty-ninth avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Supervisors, filed in this office August 19, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted

along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9638 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Santiago street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Supervisors, filed in this office August 19, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9639 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Brewster street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Supervisors, filed in this office August 19, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Award of Contract, Printing City Attorney's Opinions.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:
J. R. No. 356.

Resolved, That the contract for printing, binding and furnishing five hundred copies of the opinions of the City Attorney, 1910-1912, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Neal Publishing Company for the following price: For five hundred copies of opinions per page, one dollar and six cents (\$1.06).

All other bids therefor are hereby rejected.

All bids for printing and furnishing said opinions in loose-leaf binders are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,

McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Award of Contract, Motor Runabouts, Department of Electricity.

Also, J. R. No. 357.

Resolved, That the contract for two motor runabouts for use in the Department of Electricity be awarded to Studebaker Brothers of California for the sum of thirteen hundred and eighty (\$1,380.00) dollars.

All other bids are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Supervisors to Fix Date of Hearing in Matter of Municipal Control of Waterfront.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang: J. R. No. 358.

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors fix a date for some convenient evening, at which the entire Board will be present, to consider the proposal of the municipal control of the waterfront.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Motion.

Supervisor Vogelsang moved that September 5, 1912, at the hour of 8 p. m., be fixed for said hearing.

Motion carried.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Regulating Use of Hatpins.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

Bill No. 2240, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the use and wearing of hatpins."

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Sailors' Home to be Turned Over to San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 359.

Whereas, The Congress of the United States recently passed an act, signed by the President on July 9th, turning the Sailors' Home building over to the City and County of San Francisco, to be used for charitable purposes, subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors respectfully recommend to the Secretary of the Treasury that the San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau be given a lease to the Old Sailors' Home property, in order that

this bureau may carry on its charitable work, and the Clerk of the Board is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Secretary of the Treasury.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Observance of Admission Day.

Also, J. R. No. 360.

Whereas, Admission Day, September 9, has been, by action of the Legislature, and the approval thereof by the Governor of California, declared a legal holiday, and

Whereas, The history of California is the most unique and interesting of any State in the Union, and upon September 9 is commemorated her admission, without territorial childhood into the sisterhood of the nation, and

Whereas, A proper observance of this day is required of all patriotic citizens and should be manifested not alone by the closing of all public offices and buildings, but also by the cessation from toil of the clerk and laborer and the closing of factory, store and workshop; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors urge upon all business men of the City and County of San Francisco, that upon next Admission Day, September 9, 1912, they close their various places of business and thus permit all classes of our citizens to observe in a patriotic manner the most important anniversary in the history of our great State.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF BILLS, MOTIONS OR RESOLUTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Accepted Offer of Gustav C. F. Schwarz to Sell for \$27,590.44 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9640 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Gustav C. F. Schwarz to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accord-

ance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of Gustav C. F. Schwarz to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances,

For the purchase of said land, \$27,500.00
 Rebate on taxes for current
 fiscal year allowed..... 90.44

\$27,590.44

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Polk street with the southerly line of Ash street; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Polk street 60 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 100 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 60 feet to the said southerly line of Ash street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Ash street 100 feet to the said westerly line of Polk street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon the following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Bancroft and passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$27,590.44 to Gustav C. F. Schwarz for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty-seven thousand five hundred and ninety dollars and forty-four cents (\$27,590.44) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Gustav C. F. Schwartz as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the intersection of the westerly line of Polk street with the southerly line of Ash street, of dimen-

sions 60 feet by 100 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, as follows:

For purchase of said land...\$27,500.00
 Rebate of taxes for current
 fiscal year allowed..... 90.44

\$27,590.44

—required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor A. J. Gallagher and ordered referred to the *Civil Service and Efficiency Committee*:

Relative to Payment of Salaries of Illegal Appointees of Boards of Commissions.

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has from time to time exercised its authority over appointment of employees by refusing to authorize warrants for payment of salary when in the opinion of the Civil Service Commission such appointments are illegally made by other boards or commissions

Resolved, That the Committee on Civil Service and Efficiency be requested to consider this matter jointly with the Civil Service Commission to the end that employees whose only offense is to accept appointment shall be paid for service performed and any liability that may exist be levied against such board or commissioners when they do not follow the Charter provisions on appointments.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Fixing Date of Hearing—Street Assessments.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9641 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Joseph J. Webb and Nancy B. Turner, feeling aggrieved at the decision of the Board of Public Works in issuing an assessment to cover the cost of street improvements on Lyon street, between Union and Filbert streets, appeal from said decision of the Board of Public Works; now therefore be it

Resolved, That Tuesday, September 30, 1912, at 2:30 p. m., in the chambers of the Board of Supervisors, No. 7231 Market street, be fixed as the time and place for hearing said appeal.

Also, Resolution No. 9642 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Flinn & Treacy, feeling aggrieved at the decision of the Board of Public Works in issuing an assessment for the construction of artificial

stone sidewalks on Twenty-seventh street, between Sanchez and Noe streets, and upon the crossing of Twenty-seventh and Sanchez streets, appeal from said decision of the Board of Public Works; therefore be it

Resolved, That Tuesday, September 10, 1912, at 3:00 p. m., in the chambers of the Board of Supervisors, No. 1231 Market street, be fixed as the time and place for hearing said appeal.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Hilmer and ordered referred to Finance Committee:

Finance Committee to Employ Expert Accountant and Appraiser to Determine Basis for Fixing Rate for Telephone Company.

J. R. No. —

Whereas, Owing to lack of funds at the disposal of this Board during the first six months of the current year a thorough examination of the physical properties and accounts of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company could not be obtained, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be and is hereby directed to employ a competent expert accountant and appraiser to make such examination, and also to provide for the compensation and expenses of such appraiser in order that sufficient information may be in possession of this Board upon which to base a rate of compensation to be allowed to said Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company for the fiscal year 1913.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and referred to the Streets Committee:

Reducing Width of Sidewalks on Montgomery Street.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series). Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, "Regulating the width of sidewalks," approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered —

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, "Regulating the width of sidewalks," approved December 18, 1903, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and sixty-four, to read as follows:

Section 464. The width of sidewalks on Montgomery street, between Market street and Columbus avenue shall be twelve (12) feet.

Section 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Electric Power Conductors for Geary Street Municipal Railway.

J. R. No. 361.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be authorized and directed to advertise for bids for furnishing and installing electric power conductors and appurtenances for the Geary Street Municipal Railway, in pursuance of its recommendation and specifications August 26, 1912; and that, when the bids shall have been received, it shall report immediately to the Board of Supervisors, and the Finance Committee will recommend the necessary appropriation.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Murdock, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Creation of "Valuation Committee."

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

J. R. No. 362.

Resolved, That a special committee to be known and designated as the "Valuation Committee," composed of the present standing Committees on Lighting and Light Rates, Telephone and Telephone Rates, Water and Water Rates be, and the same is hereby appointed and created; that said committee be, and it is hereby directed to consider and report to this Board, at an early date, an ordinance or plan for ascertaining the true valuation of the properties of those companies or corporations supplying water, heat, light, power and telephonic services to the inhabitants of the City and County of San Francisco, to the end that such valuation, when ascertained, may be hereafter used by this Board as a basis for fixing and determining the rates or compensation to be collected by such companies or corporations.

Said committee is hereby empowered to co-operate with the State Board of Railway Commissioners to any extent it may deem necessary or desirable.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Murdock, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 6:30 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors September 4, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.

Wednesday, September 4, 1912

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Wednesday, September 4, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of August 26, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Circus Parades in Downtown District.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Downtown Committee of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, requesting that circuses and similar organizations be granted permission to parade in the downtown districts.

Ordered referred to *Police Committee*.

Sixteenth Annual Convention League of American Municipalities.

Also, *Communication*—From City of Buffalo, inviting San Francisco to send delegates to attend the sixteenth annual convention of the League of American Municipalities, to be held in that city on September 18, 19 and 20, 1912.

Clerk directed to acknowledge.

Referred to *Publicity and Interurban Relations Committee*.

Admission Day Parade.

Also, *Communication*—From Admission Day, 1912, Committee, N. S. G. W., inviting members of Board to participate in parade, Saturday evening, September 7, at 8 o'clock.

Clerk directed to acknowledge with thanks.

Sutro Estate Offer.

Also, *Communication*—From Mayor, stating that Sutro Estate has offered to sell to the city its property facing the Pacific Ocean and the Golden Gate, including Sutro Heights and Sutro Baths, for the sum of \$667,613, and recommending its purchase.

Ordered referred to *Lands and Tunnels Committee*.

Proposed Charter Amendments.

Also, *Communication*—From E. A. Walcott, secretary Advisory Conference on Charter Amendments, transmitting preliminary report recommending certain amendments to Charter for submission to the electors.

Ordered referred to the *Judiciary Committee*.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Leave of Absence, J. E. Dillon, Fire Commissioner.

J. R. No. 363.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed September 4th, 1912, J. E. Dillon, Fire Commissioner, be and he is hereby granted leave of absence from the state for a period of sixty days from September 12th, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Leave of Absence, Guy T. Manning, Board of Health.

J. R. No. 364.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed September 4th, 1912, Dr. Guy E. Manning, member of the Board of Health be and he is hereby granted leave of absence from the state for a period of fourteen days from August 28th, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Special Order 3 P. M.

The following matter, laid over from last meeting and made a special order of business for 3 p. m. this day, was taken up:

Department of Electricity to Discontinue Use of Fire Alarm Signal Standards in Market Street, and Remove Same.

J. R. No. —

Whereas, The operation of the Fire Alarm Signal System now installed along Market street on a single circuit, impedes traffic and endangers life and limb of persons who happen to be moving along the roadway when the alarm is sounded for fire; and

Whereas, This system of sounding a general alarm has been generally abandoned in all the cities of the world; be it

Resolved, That the Department of Electricity be requested to discontinue sounding the alarm signals on Market street, and that instruction be given to the chief of the Bureau of Electricity to remove said alarms and standards from the streets.

Privilege of the Floor.

Chief Assistant Engineer Maxwell of the Fire Department was granted the privilege of the floor, and stated that the Fire Department considered the fire alarm signal system on Market street very useful, and favored its retention.

Chief Engineer Murphy of the Fire Department also addressed the Board in opposition to the foregoing Resolution. He declared that no complaint to his knowledge had ever been made against the system by business men or anybody else. He said he had inquired at Police Department and was informed by Chief White that there had been no complaint in that Department. He strongly opposed the adoption of the Resolution.

Motion.

Supervisor McLeran moved that Resolution be recommitted to the committee.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, McLeran—2.

Noes—Supervisors Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Absent—Supervisor Nolan—1.

Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved that Clerk communicate with the Board of Fire Commissioners requesting them to recommend that bells be put on two separate circuits.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari,

Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Vogelsang—11.

Noes—Supervisors Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, Murphy, Payot—6.

Absent—Supervisor Nolan—1.

Refused Passage.

Whereupon, the above Resolution was *refused passage* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Giannini, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Payot—6.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Vogelsang—11.

Absent—Supervisor Nolan—1.

Approval of Lease of School Lot to Jas. C. Bach.

The following Bill was introduced out of order by Supervisor Mauzy:

Bill No. 2241, Approving award of lease made by the Board of Education to James C. Bach for rental of the school lot situate in Block No. 123, Western Addition, south side of Washington street, 137 feet 6 inches west of Franklin street:

Whereas, The Board of Education, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 11, section 1, chapter 3 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, determined on the 26th day of July, 1912, to lease to the highest responsible bidder, for the benefit of the common school fund, for a term not to exceed thirty-five years, the school lot situate at the south line of Washington street, 137 feet 6 inches west of Franklin street; and

Whereas, In accordance with said determination a publication of a notice was duly made in the Daily Journal of Commerce, the official newspaper of the City and County of San Francisco, on the 24th day of April, 1912, and also in the Daily News, the same being a daily newspaper of general circulation published in the City and County of San Francisco, on the 24th day of April, 1912, and said publications were each continued for a period of sixty days; and

Whereas, Pursuant to said notice of lease bids were filed with the Board of Education on July 10, 1912; and

Whereas, The highest and best bid was that made by James C. Bach to lease for a term of thirty-five years said School Department lot for the total sum of \$15,030, the monthly rental for the first five years of the lease to be at least six (6) per centum of the total aggregate rental for the entire term of the lease, payable in equal monthly installments during said five years, and the second of which amounts shall be the rental to be paid for the remaining thirty years of the

lease, which rental for said thirty years shall be payable in equal monthly installments; and

Whereas, Said bid was accepted by the Board of Education by the affirmative vote of its members at a meeting held on the 26th day of July, 1912, as appears of record in the minute book of said Board of Education; now therefore,

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. That the award of lease made on July 26, 1912, by the Board of Education to said James C. Bach to rent from the Board of Education for a term of thirty-five years the School Department lot hereinafter described for a total rental of \$15,030, the same to be paid in the amounts and at the times expressed in the bid filed therefor by said James C. Bach with the Board of Education, be and the same is hereby approved, and said Board of Education is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into said lease accordingly.

Description of Lot.

Commencing at the southerly line of Washington street, 137 feet 6 inches westerly from the westerly line of Franklin street; running thence westerly along the southerly line of Washington street 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 127 feet $8\frac{1}{4}$ inches; thence at a right angle easterly 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 127 feet $8\frac{1}{4}$ inches to the southerly line of Washington street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 123.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Privilege of the Floor.

M. Halliday, representing J. C. Bach, was granted the privilege of the floor and said that to his personal knowledge the school lot referred to has been idle for forty-two years, and believed that it would continue to remain unimproved for an indefinite period unless it was leased in the manner provided for by the Board of Education. The steep grade of the lot prevented it being used for school purposes. He declared that the question of the lowness of the bid, or the advisability of entering into such a lease did not come within the purview of the Board of Supervisors, the only reason for the Charter provision requiring the approval of the Board of Supervisors was for the purpose of preventing fraud or collusion.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the foregoing Bill was passed for printing by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—13.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hilmer—4.

Absent—Supervisor Giannini—1.

(Supervisor Vogelsang explained his vote by saying that he would vote Aye on passage to print, but reserved the right to change his vote on final passage.)

Laundry Permit Denied.

The following Resolution was taken up out of order on motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, be and is hereby granted P. Mon to erect and maintain a laundry at No. 3027 Twenty-second street.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. Williams, representing the petitioners, was granted the privilege of the floor, and addressed the Board, opposing the granting of a laundry permit to P. Mon, No. 3027 Twenty-second street. He declared that the people in the immediate vicinity of the proposed laundry were bitterly opposed to it, and that a similar application had been denied Mr. Mon by a previous Board of Supervisors. He also said that the applicant was not a citizen and not entitled to any special privileges.

Wm. Kelly, representing P. Mon, the petitioner, was granted the privilege of the floor, and stated that his client has been operating a laundry in the neighborhood for the past ten years, and merely wanted to remove his business from leased land to his own property, twenty-five feet therefrom. He added that the district was not a strictly residential district, inasmuch as there was a stable on the other side of the street and other places of business in the vicinity. He also stated that his client had received his papers of intention to become a citizen. He believed that the opposition of M. Mercerau, from whom Mon has been leasing his present place of business, comes from a desire on the part of Mercerau to compel Mr. Mon to sign up another lease for the present premises.

P. A. Bergerot, representing M. Mercerau, said that Mr. Mercerau did not want to coerce Mon into signing a lease. He did not care whether he leased the premises or not.

Refused Passage.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the above Resolution was refused passage by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy, Murphy—3.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

(Supervisor Giannini explained his vote by saying that he believed in the principle that the residents of a neighborhood should have the right to determine the nature of the business to be established in their district.)

Mayor's Veto.

The following matters were presented by his Honor, the Mayor, read by the Clerk, referred to the Efficiency Committee, and, ordered *spread at length in the Journal*:

Bill No. 2197, Ordinance No. 1970 (New Series):

Repealing Section 7 of Ordinance No. 1958 (New Series), approved July 9, 1912, relating to the Bureau of Efficiency.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Section 7 of Ordinance No. 1958 (New Series), approved July 9, 1912, is hereby repealed.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Mayor's Office, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., August 30th, 1912.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, City Hall, San Francisco, Cal.

Gentlemen: I am returning herewith without my approval Bill No. 2197, repealing Section 7 of Ordinance No. 1958 (New Series), approved July 9, 1912, relating to the Bureau of Efficiency.

The City Attorney has, at my request, given me his written opinion that Ordinance No. 1958 is inoperative and void, and it follows that it will be unnecessary to repeal a section of a void ordinance.

I recommend that your Board take such further steps as may be necessary to prevent Ordinance No. 1958 being published as a valid ordinance of the City and County.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH JR., Mayor.

Relative to Appointment of Director of Bureau of Efficiency of Civil Service Commission.

The following matters were presented by his Honor, Mayor Rolph, read by the Clerk, and ordered *referred to the Judiciary Committee*:

Mayor's Office, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., September 4, 1912.
Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, San Francisco, California,

Gentlemen: I beg to return to you, herewith, Ordinance No. 1971, officially passed by your honorable body, on August 19th, 1912, which has neither my approval nor my veto. Accompanying same, you will find letters addressed to me by Mr. Julius Caesar Saulman, raising the point that the Ordinance is invalid, and which I referred to the City and County Attorney. I beg to transmit to you, herewith, that official's communication to me concerning the point raised.

I am aware that the Ordinance has become operative by the terms of the Charter, but, fearing that the point may be raised, at a later date, that the Ordinance is invalid, I am prompted, by caution, to respectfully suggest that your Judiciary Committee give consideration thereto.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH JR., Mayor.

Bill No. 2198, Ordinance No. 1971 (New Series).

Authorizing the appointment of a Director of the Bureau of Efficiency by the Civil Service Commission and fixing and providing for his compensation.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Civil Service Commission is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint a Director of the Bureau of Efficiency of the Civil Service Commission in addition to the employees authorized by the Charter.

Section 2. The compensation of the aforesaid Director shall be twenty-four hundred dollars per annum.

Section 3. There is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund for the fiscal year 1912, to-wit, out of Budget Item No. 26, the sum of two thousand dollars to pay the salary of said Director for the ten months ending June 30, 1913.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Aug. 5, 1912—*Referred to Efficiency Committee.*

Recommendations of Mayor for Certain Leaves of Absence.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 4, 1912.
The Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Cal.

Gentlemen:—Permission has been requested of me by Fire Commissioner J. E. Dillon, for leave of absence from the State for a period not to exceed sixty days, beginning September 12th, 1912.

I beg to transmit to you herewith, Mr. Dillon's letter to me of even date, asking for said leave of absence, and I

respectfully recommend that same be granted.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,
Mayor.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 4, 1912.
Honorable James Rolph Jr., Mayor,
and Members of Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:—In conformity with Section 3, Article XVI of the charter of the City and County of San Francisco, request for a leave of absence for a period not to exceed sixty days, is herewith made, to begin September 12, 1912.

The reason for the above request is that I have been delegated to represent the Molders of San Francisco and vicinity at the Convention of the International Molders' Union, which will convene in Milwaukee, Wis., on September 23, 1912.

Trusting your favorable consideration and with kindest regards.

Yours respectfully,

J. E. DILLON,
Fire Commissioner.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 4, 1912.
Honorable Board of Supervisors, City Hall, San Francisco.

Gentlemen:—Dr. Guy E. Manning, member of the Board of Health, has requested me to obtain permission for him to leave the State of California for a period of fourteen days from August 28, 1912. I beg leave to request that such permission be given, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3, Article XVI, of this City and County.

Yours very truly,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,
Mayor.

HEARING OF PROTESTS.

Stockton Street Tunnel.

The hearing fixed by Resolution No. 9632 (New Series), in matter of protests against report of Board of Public Works determining damages and assessments for construction of Stockton street tunnel, was proceeded with.

Motion.

Supervisor Mauzy moved that hearing be deferred until Tuesday, September 10, 1912, at 3 p. m., the Board of Public Works having failed to file its report.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows: to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9643 (New Series),

authorizing the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Otis Elevator Co., final payment, elevators, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912) \$10,383.00

The Turner Co., final payment, heating ward No. 4, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912) 933.84

The Turner Co., final payment, heating Ward No. 3, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912) 907.28

John G. Sutton Co., final payment, disinfectors, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated June 19, 1912) 1,555.00

John G. Sutton Co., final payment, plumbing, ward No. 4, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 8, 1912) 3,850.00

John G. Sutton Co., final payment, plumbing, ward No. 3, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 8, 1912) 3,750.00

John G. Sutton Co., final payment plumbing, ward No. 2, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 8, 1912) 3,750.00

John G. Sutton Co., final payment, plumbing, ward No. 1, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated August 8, 1912) 3,750.00

General Fund, 1912-1913.

The Albertinum Orphanage, maintenance of minors (claim dated July 31, 1912) 583.80

State of California, maintenance of minors (claim dated August 8, 1912) 680.59

Bion J. Arnold, Public Utilities (claim dated August 20, 1912) 3,243.63

Whitcomb Estate by James Otis, Trustees, rent, temporary City Hall, August, 1912 (claim dated Aug. 18, 1912) 5,250.00

Whitcomb Estate by James Otis, Trustee, rent, temporary City Hall, month of July, 1912 (claim dated Aug. 20, 1912) 5,250.00

Sperry Flour Company, groceries, Relief Home (claim dated July 3, 1912) 980.25

Standard Underground Cable Co., cable, Dept. Electricity (claim dated July 9, 1912). 3,558.48

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Standard Underground Cable Co., cable, Dept. Electricity (claim dated June 30, 1912) 1,003.07

Exposition Bond Fund, 1912, Premium Account.

Dillon, Thomson & Clay, professional services (claim dated August 23, 1912).... 2,000.00

City Hall-Civic Center Bond Fund, 1912, Premium Account

Dillon Thompson & Clay, professional services (claim dated, August 23, 1912)... \$3,000.00

Water Construction Fund Bond, July 1, 1910.

W. C. Hammatt, surveys and investigations, Hetch Hetchy (claim dated August 8, 1912)..... 996.67

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9644 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following sums be and they are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to wit:

For Improvement of Buena Vista Park, Budget Item No. 59.

For the improvement of Buena Vista Park, to be expended by the Board of Park Commissioners\$15,000.00

School Construction Account, Bond Issue 1908.

For equipment of Lowell High School, to be expended by the Board of Education; additional to \$10,000 heretofore appropriated....\$15,000.00

For equipment of Le Conte School, to be expended by the Board of Education; additional to \$2,500 heretofore appropriated, 750.00

For equipment of Starr King School, to be expended by the Board of Education; additional to \$2,500 heretofore appropriated 750.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Ordering Construction of Chemical Engine House No. 12.

Bill No. 2216, Ordinance No. 1990 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of Chemical Engine House No. 12, to be located on lot in Nineteenth avenue, near Rivera street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board

of Public Works, and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners, authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said fire engine house, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed eight thousand five hundred (\$8,500) dollars, out of the item 'For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes' in the budget of the fiscal year 1912-1913, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Repealing Ordinance Calling for Progress Reports on Public Improvements.

Bill No. 2217, Ordinance No. 1991 (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 513 (New Series), relating to Progress Reports."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting, was taken up and again laid over one week:

Providing \$83,000 for Hauling and Laying High Pressure Pipe in District No. 6 of Auxiliary Water System.

Resolved, That the sum of \$83,000 from the Fire Protection Account of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908, is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works for the purpose of paying the cost of hauling and laying high pressure pipe in the district bounded by Market street, Second street, Division street and Kansas street, known as District No. 6, this appropriation being in addition to that of \$95,000 made by Resolution No. 8319 (New Series).

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Boiler, Oil, Garage and Laundry Permits.

Resolution No. 9645 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

University of California, Affiliated Colleges, 73-horsepower, for heating purposes.

Oest Fruit Company, west corner of Sixth and Braman streets, 20-horsepower, for manufacturing purposes.

San Mateo County Dairy, 1816 Howard street, 25-horsepower, for furnishing power.

Sarah Bluxome Wooster and Cornelia Bluxome, north line of Erie street, 185 feet west of Howard street, 100-horsepower, for laundry purposes.

A. Lonne Clavere, 367 Guerrero street, 10-horsepower, for laundry purposes.

Storage Tanks.

Ray Levin, east side of Franklin street, 137 feet 6 inches north of California street; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Sarah B. Wooster and Cornelia Bluxome, north side of Erie street, 185 feet west of Howard street; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Garages.

St. Francis Automobile Company, 1485 Broadway.

J. H. Cain, southeast corner of Geary street and Fourth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9646 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series) be and is hereby granted to V. Filippis to maintain a stable for one horse in premises situate at 3249-3251 Folsom street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Resolution No. 9647 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

G. Pellinacci, at southwest corner of Twenty-third and Kansas streets (rear), for one horse.

William Fisher Company, on south side of Sadowa street, 200 feet east of Plymouth avenue (rear) for four horses.

Aug. Buchman, at southwest corner of Thirty-fourth avenue and Geary street (rear), for one horse.

G. Bacciocco, in rear of 1030 Oak street, for two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Ordering Construction of Patrick Henry School.

Bill No. 2218, Ordinance No. 1992 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of the Patrick Henry School building on the easterly line of Vermont street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Education; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said school building, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) out of the School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1904, for the construction, inspection, detail drawings, etc., of said school, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Authorizing Payment of \$18,045.50 to Charles Strohmaier for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9648 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of eighteen thousand forty-five dollars and fifty cents (\$18,045.50) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Charles Strohmaier as purchase price of a lot of land on the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 109 feet easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue, having a frontage of 50 feet on Fulton street, of irregular dimensions to Ash street, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.
For purchase of said land...\$18,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current
fiscal year 45.50

\$18,045.50

Required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Authorizing Payment of \$87,079.82 to Sarah L. Coffin for Certain Civic Center Lands.

Resolution No. 9649 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of eighty-seven thousand seventy-nine dollars and eighty-two cents (\$87,079.82) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Sarah L. Coffin, as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the intersection of the easterly line of Van Ness avenue with the southerly line of McAllister street, of dimensions 70 feet front by a uniform depth of 100 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, as follows:

For purchase of said land and improvements	\$86,873.32
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year	206.50

\$87,079.82

Required as land for Civic Center purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Authorizing Payment of \$27,590.44 to Gustav C. F. Schwarz for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9650 (New Series).

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty-seven thousand five hundred and ninety dollars and forty-four cents (\$27,590.44) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account," in payment to Gustav C. F. Schwartz as purchase price of a lot of land required for Civic Center purposes situate at the intersection of the westerly line of Polk street with the southerly line of Ash street, of dimensions 60 feet by 100 feet, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, as follows:

For purchase of said land	\$27,500.00
Rebate of taxes for current fiscal year allowed	90.44

\$27,590.44

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Extensions of Time.

Resolution No. 9651 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That J. Carr is hereby granted an extension of ninety days

time from and after July 4, 1912, within which to complete his contract for the excavation and foundation of the Polytechnic shop building, for the reason that the work cannot be completed until the steel frame is erected; and be it

Further Resolved, That the advertising charges for printing this resolution be remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Communication from Jno. Reid Jr., Consulting Architect, Explaining Reason for Delay on Polytechnic Academic Buildings.

The following communication, giving reasons for the foregoing resolution, was presented and read by the Clerk:

City and County of San Francisco, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Architecture.

September 4, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph Jr.,

Mayor of San Francisco.

Dear Sir: We are in receipt of your communication of August 22 regarding the extension of time on the excavations and foundations of the Polytechnic academic buildings to J. Carr. It mentions the fact that it had been stated at the meeting of the Board of Supervisors on August 19 that this contract had been entered into by our Board and was the first extension granted under our jurisdiction of the architectural bureau of the city. This contract was let and all drawings and specifications made prior to our taking over control of this office. The notice to proceed with work is dated March 23, 1912, and calls for completion within 100 calendar days. We had no jurisdiction in this until after the first of April. We immediately realized that the time allowed was insufficient for a good job and could not be finished in time if it continued to be conducted in the manner in which it had been commenced. A new method of procedure was immediately ordered and extra shifts were put on, the work being continued day and night. Furthermore, it was found that the walls to a certain height between steel columns were in the contract of J. Carr and that they would have to be pieced out later in the fireproofing contract after the setting of these columns. This would have left the walls in a weakened condition with cold joints. To make the job structurally sound it was necessary to add to Carr's contract the fireproofing at the base of the columns. Therefore with the ad-

dition of this extra work, omitted through the negligence of our predecessors, Mr. Carr will be unable to complete his contract until the steel columns are set. Had the proper division of the contract for excavation and foundation been made, no extension would now be necessary. It is our intention to eliminate as far as possible these continual requests for extensions of time.

The steel contract was signed December 15, 1911. The steel was practically all fabricated before the letting of the excavation and foundation contract. These two contracts are the only ones let. The derricks for the erection of the steel are now in place. The general drawings for this building are now being revised for fireproof in place of wooden floor construction, which would have left the building a constant menace.

Yours truly,
CONSULTING ARCHITECTS, BOARD
OF PUBLIC WORKS.

By JOHN REID JR.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Changing Grades.

Bill No. 2219, Ordinance No. 1993 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Newcomb avenue, between Ingalls and Keith streets; on Oakdale avenue, between Hawes and Lane streets; on Ingalls street, between Newcomb and Palou avenues; on Jennings street, between McKinnon and Palou avenues; and on Keith street, between Newcomb and Palou avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2220, Ordinance No. 1994 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Lisbon street, between France and Italy avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2221, Ordinance No. 1995 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Douglass street, between the northerly line of Carson street produced, and a line parallel with and 195 feet southerly from the southerly line of Nineteenth street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2222, Ordinance No. 1996 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Geary street, between the easterly line of Divisadero street and Broderick street, and on Divisadero street, between Post and O'Farrell streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2223, Ordinance No. 1997 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Onondago avenue, between a line parallel with and 319 feet easterly from the easterly line of Cayuga avenue and the westerly line of said Cayuga avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2224, Ordinance No. 1998 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Geary street, between the westerly line of Josephine street produced, and Emerson street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2225, Ordinance No. 1999 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Leese street, between Park street and Crescent avenue, and on Richland avenue, between a line 100 feet easterly from Mission street and a line 325 feet westerly from Murray street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2226, Ordinance No. 2000 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Elsie street, between a line parallel with and 90 feet southerly from the southerly line of Eugenia avenue and the northerly line of Cortland avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.

Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2227, Ordinance No. 2001 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Montcalm street, between Alabama street and Peralta avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2228, Ordinance No. 2002 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Lizzie street, between Mission and Coleridge streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2229, Ordinance No. 2003 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Arlington street, between a line 450 feet southwesterly from Roanoke street and the southwesterly line of Natick street produced, and on Natick street, between Arlington street and the first angle northwesterly from said Arlington street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2230, Ordinance No. 2004 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Staples avenue, between Detroit street and the westerly line of Foerster street, and on Foerster street, between the northerly line of Staples avenue and the northerly line of Balboa Park."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2231, Ordinance No. 2005 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Hampshire street between the northerly line of Eighteenth street and the northerly line of Twentieth street, and on Eighteenth street at the crossing of Hampshire street, and on Nineteenth street between the westerly line of Hampshire street and a line parallel with and 25 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hampshire street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-

lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2232, Ordinance No. 2006 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Staples avenue, between Foerster street and a point 375 feet westerly from the westerly line of Genesee street, and on Genesee street, between Flood and Staples avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2233, Ordinance No. 2007 (New Series), Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Lilac street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets; crossing of Castro and Henry streets; crossing of Church and Twenty-third streets; Twenty-first avenue, between Anza and Balboa streets, paved with asphalt and bituminous rock.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Establishing Grades.

Bill No. 2234, Ordinance No. 2008 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Spencer Alley for a distance of 114.5 feet northerly from Sixteenth street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2235, Ordinance No. 2009 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Genoa Place, between Union and Filbert streets; Diamond street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets; Ashbury street, between Grove and Fulton streets; Congress street, between Buena Vista avenue and Masonic avenue; crossing of Cabrillo street and Sixteenth avenue." paved with asphalt and bituminous rock, basalt and cobblestones.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2236, Ordinance No. 2010 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the

roadway of Ellsworth street, between Eugenia and Powhattan avenues; Anza street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth avenues; Anza street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues," paved with bituminous rock and asphalt.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2237, Ordinance No. 2011 (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to Roger Johnson, Timothy Hopkins and the Van Arsdale-Harris Lumber Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, from the existing spur track of the Southern Pacific Company in Bluxome street, at or near its intersection with the westerly line of Fourth street, thence over and across Bluxome street to the north side of Bluxome street; thence along Bluxome street to Fifth street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2238, Ordinance No. 2012 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and eighty," the provisions of which provide, as follows:

The width of sidewalks on San Jose avenue, for the easterly side, the width shall extend from the easterly property line to a point fifteen (15) feet westerly at right angles from the said easterly line of San Jose avenue at its point of intersection with the southerly line of Brook street and running thence southerly to a point eight (8) feet westerly at right angles from said easterly line of San Jose avenue at its point of intersection with the northerly line of Randall street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2239, Ordinance No. 2013 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of the following street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to

enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order that Cabrillo street, from the easterly line of Twenty-first avenue to the westerly line of Twenty-third avenue, be improved by grading to official line and grade.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Regulating Use of Hatpins.

Bill No. 2240, Ordinance No. 2014 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the use and wearing of hatpins."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$207,637.05 and numbered consecutively 24,399 to 24,761 inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Ferrolite Company, extra work, general construction, City and County Jail (claim dated Aug. 12, 1912).....	\$847.00
Caldwell & Co., final payment, general construction, Hall of Justice (claim dated Dec. 11, 1912)	4,200.00

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Sun Tent and Awning Co., canvas covers, Dept. of Elections (claim dated Aug. 13, 1912) \$950.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

General Electric Construction Co., final payment, electric work, Lowell High School (claim dated Aug. 5, 1912) \$1,529.55

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

W. P. Fuller & Co., 2nd payment, glass and glazing, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912) \$3,699.00

General Fund, 1912-1913.

City Street Improvement Co., covering Jackson Park playground (claim dated Aug. 29, 1912) 830.90

A. G. Spalding & Bro., playground paraphernalia (claim dated Aug. 29, 1912) 530.00

Miller & Lux Inc., meat, Relief Home (claim dated July 31, 1912) 1,878.85

Sherry-Freitas Company Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912) . 1,333.69

Sherry-Freitas Company Inc., groceries, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912) . 1,277.99

Peter Caubn, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated July 31, 1912) 664.95

Miller & Lux Inc., meats, City and County Hospital (claim dated July 31, 1912) 541.11

Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, Relief Home (claim dated July 31, 1912) 1,033.42

Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., groceries, Tuberculosis Hospital (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912) . 606.34

Water Construction Fund, July 1, 1910.

J. H. Dockweiler, investigation water supply sources (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912) \$638.08

J. F. English, for U. S. Dept. of Interior (Resolution 9624) (claim dated Aug. 29, 1912) 945.00

J. C. Branner, investigation of water supply (claim dated Aug. 23, 1912) 1,767.65

Cyril Williams Jr., investigation water supply (claim dated Aug. 30, 1912) 1,487.97

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Spring Valley Water Co., water for public buildings (claim dated Aug. 28, 1912) \$2,062.36

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:

For Special Emergency Sanitary Measures, Budget Item No. 382a.

To be expended by the Board of Health for the continuance of special sanitation measures, for the months of September, October and November, at the rate of \$1250 per month \$3,750.00

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For repairs to Fire Department buildings during month of September \$1,500.00

For repairs to Police Department buildings during month of September 500.00

For repairs to Isolation Hospital 345.00

For repairs to other buildings during month of September 1,160.00

For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets during month of September 45,000.00

For reconstruction of and repairs to sewers during September 12,000.00

For paying the city's portion of the cost of constructing a sewer in 38th avenue between Fulton and Cabrillo streets, and in the intersection of 38th avenue and Fulton street.... 161.25

For paying the city's portion of paving the crossing of 29th avenue and Clement street, under private contract, by J. J. Dowling & Co. 420.00

For paying the city's portion of paving the crossing of 30th avenue and Clement street, under private contract, by J. J. Dowling & Co. 495.00

Sewer Construction Account, Bond Issue 1908.

For preparation of plans and specifications and inspection of 1908 bond sewers..\$10,000.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

For preparation of plans and specifications and inspection of auxiliary fire protection system\$15,000.00

For Reconstruction, Repairs, Etc., of School Department Buildings, Budget Item No. 551.

For repairs to school buildings during month of September \$2,000.00

*For Expense of Cleaning Streets, Etc.,
Budget Item No. 553.*

For cleaning and sprinkling
streets during month of
September\$27,000.00

Board of Public Works to Contract for
Paving of Geary Street, from Kearny
Street to Van Ness Avenue, and Ap-
propriating \$35,000 Therefor.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the paving of Geary street from Kearny street to Van Ness avenue and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment for the same the sum of \$35,000.00 out of Budget Item No. 549, "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, etc."; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the paving of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Board of Public Works to Contract for
Sewers in Brannan Street, Between
First Street and Central Place, and Ap-
propriating \$46,000 Therefor.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Brannan street between First street and Central place, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment for the same the sum of \$46,000.00 out of the proceeds of sale of Sewer Bonds, issue of 1904; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the construction of said sewers that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were
adopted:

Board of Public Works to Advertise For
Bids For Construction of "Last Chance"
Building at Relief Home.

J. R. No. 365.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids for the construction of the "Last Chance Building," Relief Home Tract, and when bids shall have been received the

Finance Committee will recommend the necessary appropriation.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Advertise For
Bids For Repairs and Roofing For Tu-
bercular Hospital.

J. R. No. 366.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids for repairs and roofing for the Tubercular Hospital, and when bids shall have been received the Finance Committee will recommend the necessary appropriation.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Advertise For
Bids For Track Construction of Portion
of Geary Street Municipal Railway.

J. R. No. 367.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works, be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids for track construction for the Geary Street Municipal Railway from Geary street along Thirty-third avenue, Balboa street, Forty-fifth avenue and Cabrillo street to the Great Highway, and when bids shall have been received the Finance Committee will recommend the necessary appropriation.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Auditor and Recorder to Cancel Erroneous
Assessments and Certificates of Sale.

Also, J. R. No. 368.

Whereas, The Auditor in a written communication dated August 23, 1912, recommends that the assessments and tax sales hereinafter set forth be cancelled for reasons set forth in said communication, and the City Attorney has given his consent to such cancellation; now, therefore

Resolved, That the Auditor is hereby directed to cancel the assessments of the following parcels of land and improvements for the year stated in connection with each such description, and the Recorder is directed to cancel the sales thereof as described by the number of each description, viz.:

Sale No. 1018, June 26, 1911, for 1910 taxes; also assessed for 1911

taxes unpaid—Lot west corner Shafter avenue and Toland street, Block 379, O'Neil & Haley tract, assessed in the name of the San Francisco and Fresno Land Co.

Sale No. 638, June 24, 1912, for 1911 taxes—Lot east line Buena Vista terrace, 173 feet 3¾ inches south from Duboce avenue; thence south 3 by 100 feet, Block "A" Spreckels Subdivision of Blocks "A", "B" and "D" Park Hill Homestead Association, assessed in the name of unknown owners.

Sale No. 1081, June 24, 1912, for 1911 taxes—Lot 7, Block 108, University Mound Tract survey, assessed in name of Josephine Heringhl.

Sale No. 1083, June 24, 1912, for 1911 taxes—Lot 4, Block 109, University Mound Tract survey, assessed in name of Eva E. Fisher.

Such cancellation shall be made as provided by section 3804a of the Political Code and for the reasons set forth in the communications herein referred to and on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Fire Drills in Factories.

The following matter, laid over from last meeting, was taken up:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for fire drills for persons employed or otherwise in attendance in factories, workshops, public or private schools, asylums or department stores."

Privilege of the Floor.

F. S. Gunnison, representing the retail department stores, was granted the privilege of the floor, and protested against the bill if it was its intent to require fire drills during business hours. He said that over 95 per cent of the people in the retail stores during business hours were women and children not in the employ of the establishment, and that a false alarm of fire would cause a panic among such people that would be as serious in its consequences as if there was a real cause for alarm.

Miss Rose Meyers, former factory inspector of the Board of Health, also addressed the Board and stated that the bill was not intended to work any hardship on the retail merchants, but that human life should be valued above all considerations of business expediency or convenience. She declared that she had witnessed the result of the Iroquois fire, the Triangle Factory fire, certain large fires in Eastern states, and hope that San

Francisco would not wait until some catastrophe of similar character compelled the enactment of such legislation as that now proposed.

Recommitted.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Mauzy, the above Bill was *recommitted* to the Fire Committee by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murphy, Payot—11.

Noes—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Hocks, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan, Vogelsang—6.

Absent—Supervisor Giannini—1.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was presented and on motion *laid over one week*:

Reduction in Insurance Rates.

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, A large component part of the Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection has been installed and is now in service; therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to confer with the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific for the purpose of bringing about a reduction of insurance rates in this city, said Board of Underwriters having promised that a material reduction in insurance rates would be made upon the installation of an auxiliary water system for fire protection.

Denial of Extension of Time, Michael Murphy.

The following resolution was presented:

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That an extension of thirty days' time, heretofore recommended by the Board of Public Works, to Michael Murphy, from and after August 30, 1912, within which to complete his contract, No. 50, of the Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection, is hereby denied.

Privilege of the Floor.

Richard Mattingly, representing Michael Murphy, was granted the privilege of the floor and said that the real reason for the extension of time was that the pipe for the job had not as yet arrived in San Francisco and that three and one-half or four blocks of pipe were still to be laid. He believed that the responsibility for the delay rested on Mr. Cheminant of the Board of Public Works.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced as a substitute for the foregoing and *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time, Michael Murphy.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an extension of time to and including September 11th, 1912, be and is hereby granted Michael Murphy within which to complete his contract No. 50 of the auxiliary water system for fire protection; and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution be remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Baucroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Oil, Incinerator and Dyeing and Cleaning Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Oil Storage Tanks.

John Sheehy Co., Inc., south side of Geary street, 112 feet 6 inches east of Polk street.

George X. Wendling east side of Broderick street, 45 feet north of Haight street.

Mrs. H. C. Bayles, south side of Hugo street east of Third avenue.

Incinerator.

Hale Bros. Inc., south corner of Fifth and Market streets.

Dyeing and Cleaning Works.

A. Matsumoto, 1443-45 Pacific avenue.

D. A. Sullivan, 2673 Sacramento street.

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

George A. Haunon, rear of 1608 Treat avenue, for two horses.

Chris Schmidt, in Vesta street, between Williams and Thornton avenues (adjoining 49 Vesta street), for one horse.

Joe Lo Duka, rear of 372-374 Capital avenue, for one horse.

Biaggio Locarbo, rear of 137 Arlington street, for one horse.

Action Deferred.

The following matters were taken up and on motion *laid over one week*:

Denying Stable Permit.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That in the exercise of the

sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Jeremiah Kenny, to maintain a stable for twelve horses at 1613 Turk street.

Install Street Lights.

Also, J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Light Company is hereby directed to install arc lights at the following locations:

Geary street and Forty-fourth avenue.

Second avenue, between California and Lake streets.

Second avenue, between Geary and Anza streets.

Twenty-ninth street, between Castro and Diamond streets.

Installation and Removal of Street Lights.

Also, J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby directed to install triple-top gas lamps in the following locations:

East side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Twenty-fourth street.

Castro street, northwest corner of Jersey.

Castro street, southeast corner of Jersey.

West side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Jersey.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, southwest corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, east side, 110 feet south of Twenty-fifth street.

Castro street, northwest corner of Clipper.

Castro street, southeast corner of Clipper.

Castro street, west side, 110 feet south of Clipper.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-sixth.

Castro street, southwest corner of Twenty-sixth.

Remove the following arc lamps:

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, northeast corner of Clipper.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-sixth.

Remove the following single gas lamps:

Castro street, east side, 110 feet south of Twenty-fourth.

Castro street, northwest corner of Jersey.

Castro street, southeast corner of Jersey.

Install the following arc lamps:

Corner of Mission street and Russia avenue.

Corner of Burnham and Duncan streets.

Mission street, corner of Park street.

Accepting Offer of W. T. Worthington to Sell for \$1175 Certain Land in Glen Park District, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from W. T. Worthington, agent for the Crocker Estate Company, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being lots 2 and 3 in Block H of Glen Park Terrace, the said land being required for Fire Department purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of W. T. Worthington, agent for the Crocker Estate Company, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all incumbrances, for the sum of eleven hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$1175.00) is hereby accepted, the said land being Lots Nos. 2 and 3 in Block H of Glen Park Terrace.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnergy title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Authorizing Payment of \$1175 to W. T. Worthington for Certain Land in Glen Park District, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of eleven hundred and seventy-five (\$1175.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of Budget item 1912-13, "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes", in payment to W. T. Worthington, agent for Crocker Estate Company, as purchase price of lot of land, being Lots Nos. 2 and 3 in Block H of Glen Park Terrace, required as land for Fire Department purposes.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft and adopted:

Tenants on Civic Center Property Notified to Vacate.

Resolution No. 9652 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, It has been determined by resolution of the Board of Supervisors that the new City Hall is to be erected on the blocks of land bounded by Van Ness avenue on the west, McAllister street on the north, Polk street on the east and Grove street on the south, being Western Addition Blocks Nos. 66 and 67; therefore be it

Resolved, That all tenants occupying premises within said area are hereby notified that the City and County of San Francisco desires to clear said property of all buildings by December 31, 1912, and that the City stands ready to release and cancel all leases within said described area as rapidly as the property is taken over by the City; and be it further

Resolved, That all tenants within the above described district be requested to vacate the premises now occupied by them, on or before December 15, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew, J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McEran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor Giannini—1.

Action Deferred.

The following Bill, heretofore referred to the Buildings Committee and returned by said Committee with the recommendation that same be indefinitely postponed, was taken up and on motion of Supervisor McEran made a special order of business for 3 p. m., Tuesday, September 10, 1912.

Imposing Charge for Sub-Sidewalk Space.

Bill No. 2014, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a charge for the use of sub-sidewalk areas in the public streets of the City and County of San Francisco."

Passed For Printing.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Hilmer and passed for printing:

Declaratory Ordinance, Municipal Telephone System.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang: Bill No. 2242, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Determining and declaring that the public interest requires the acquisition, construction and completion by the City and County of San Francisco of a telephone system to be maintained and operated by said City and County, together with necessary lands and buildings to be used in connection therewith and directing the Board of Public Works to procure through the City Engineer plans and estimates of

cost of original construction and completion of such telephone system including the lands and buildings necessary therefor.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby recited that on the 29th day of March, 1912, a special election was held in the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of determining (among other things) the question of said City and County acquiring a telephone system and the issuance of bonds therefor; that at said election more than a majority of the voters of the City and County voting thereat, voted in favor of the acquisition of a telephone system and the issuance of bonds therefor. That such election was held by virtue of a petition requesting such election to be held, duly made and filed as required by Chapter III of Article XI of the Charter of the City and County.

Section 2. It is hereby determined and specifically declared that the public interest requires the acquisition, construction and completion by the City and County of San Francisco of a telephone system, to be maintained and operated by said City and County, to gether with the necessary lands and buildings necessary for the operation thereof.

Section 3. The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to procure through the City Engineer, and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of original construction and completion of a telephone system together with the buildings necessary for the operation thereof and the estimated cost of the necessary lands to be acquired for such buildings.

Section 4. This Ordinance is the first of a series of ordinances to be adopted by the Board of Supervisors under and by virtue of which it is proposed that a bonded indebtedness will be created for the purpose herein stated.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Absent—Supervisors Caglieri, Gian-nini—2.

Action Deferred.

The following matters laid over from last week were taken up and *laid over one week*:

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving

and adopting the Official Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace."

Accepting Deed From Crocker Estate Company for Lands Required for Drainage Purposes in Glen Park Terrace, Second Addition.

Also, Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed of land from William H. Crocker and C. E. Green, President and Secretary respectively, of the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation), to the City and County of San Francisco (in the Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace), to be used for drainage purposes."

Accepting Deed for Opening and Extension of Bosworth Street in Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace.

Also, Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed from William H. Crocker and C. E. Green, President and Secretary, respectively, of the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation), for the opening and extension of Bosworth street as delineated upon that certain map described as Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace."

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Approving and Accepting Deed From Oscar Heyman & Bro. for Opening of Sears Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2243, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting a deed to lands from Oscar Heyman & Brother (a corporation), to the City and County of San Francisco, for the opening of Sears street."

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Oscar Heyman & Bro., Blocks 8 and 21, West End Map No. 2.

Also, Bill No. 2244, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the Official Map of Oscar Heyman & Brother's Subdivision of a part of Block No. 8 and all of Block No. 21 of West End Map No. 2."

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2245, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Masonic avenue, between Fulton and McAllister streets; crossing of Fulton street and Masonic avenue."

Establishing Grades, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2246, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Houston street, between Columbus avenue and Jones street."

Also, Bill No. 2247, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Cabrillo street, be-

tween Forty-ninth avenue and the Great Highway."

Also, Bill No. 2248, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Balboa street, between La Playa street and the Great Highway."

Also, Bill No. 2249, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Twelfth avenue, between Santiago and Taraval streets; on Thirteenth avenue, between Santiago and Ulloa streets; on Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues, between Pacheco and Ulloa streets; on Sixteenth avenue, between Ortega and Ulloa streets; on Pacheco street, between Fifteenth and Seventeenth avenues; on Quintara street, between Thirteenth and Seventeenth avenues; on Rivera street, between Thirteenth and Sixteenth avenues; on Taraval street, between Twelfth and Seventeenth avenues, and on Ulloa street, between Thirteenth and Seventeenth avenues."

Fixing Sidewalk Widths, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2250, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto new sections to be numbered four hundred and eighty-two to four hundred and eighty-four, inclusive," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Canal street, between Mission street and its easterly termination at nine (9) feet; the width of sidewalks on Trumbull street, between Mission street and its easterly termination, at nine (9) feet; the width of sidewalks on Maynard street, between Mission street and its easterly termination, at nine (9) feet.

Also, Bill No. 2251, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and eighty-one," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Cuvier street, between Bosworth street and the Southern Pacific Railroad right of way, at ten (10) feet.

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill 2252, Recommending the ordering of the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit:

The provisions of which order the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit:

That 8 and 12-inch iron stone pipe sewers, with appurtenances, be constructed in Edna street, between

Flood and Staples avenues, and in the crossings of said streets.

That an asphalt pavement be constructed in Diamond street, between Bosworth street and Joost avenue, except that portion required by law to be kept in repair by the railroad company having tracks thereon.

That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Casselli avenue, between Douglass and Clover streets, on Folsom street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, and on Sutter street, between Jones and Leavenworth streets, where not already constructed.

That a 12-inch iron stone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Rhode Island street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets.

That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Lake street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth avenues, and in the crossing of Lake street and Twenty-fifth avenue.

That 8, 15 and 18-inch iron stone pipe sewers, with appurtenances, be constructed in the crossing of Eighteenth avenue and Anza street.

That granite curbs and a bituminous rock pavement, with a central strip of basalt blocks, be constructed in Coleridge street, between Esmeralda and Fair avenue.

That granite curbs and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed in San Bruno avenue, between Wayland and Woolsey streets, and on San Bruno avenue, between Bacon and Wayland streets, and between Fellows and Burrows streets.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolution No. 9653 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Kansas street, in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office on August 24, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Resolution No. 9654 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Casselli avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in

this office on August 24, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Recommend Paving of Francisco and Leavenworth Streets.

J. R. No. 369.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to recommend the paving of the roadway of the following named streets, to wit:

Francisco street, between Leavenworth and Hyde streets.

Leavenworth street, between Francisco and Chestnut streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Recommend That Width of Sidewalks on Northerly Line of Geary Street, Between Powell and Stockton Street, be Established at Nine Feet.

J. R. No. 370.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to recommend to this Board that Ordinance No. 1061, regulating the width of sidewalks, be amended by adding thereto a new section, so that the width of sidewalks on the northerly side of Geary street, between Powell and Stockton streets, be established at nine (9) feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Transfer to Bureau of Streets All Equipment, Machinery, Etc., Now Used in Construction of Geary Street Municipal Railway When Said Railway is Completed.

J. R. No. 371.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to transfer to the use of the Bureau of Streets, all equipment, machinery and material, the property of the City, purchased for the construction of the Geary Street Municipal Railway, when said equipment, machinery and material is no longer in use in the actual construction and operation of said Municipal railway.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-

lagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

City Engineer to Make Surveys Bernal Homestead, Syndicate Addition and West End Homestead.

Also, Resolution No. 9655 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the City Engineer is hereby instructed and directed to make the necessary surveys and to make and transmit to the Board of Supervisors an official map or maps of the Bernal Homestead, Syndicate Addition, and the West End Homestead, being subdivisions of a part of the Bernal Rancho in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, under and pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled, "An Act to amend the Political Code by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 3658a, relating to official maps, the making, adoption and preservation thereof, and the description of property, as delineated thereon for the purpose of assessments and transfers," approved March 25, 1905 (Statutes 1903, page 408), to-wit:

Bernal Homestead, Syndicate Addition, and the West End Homestead subdivisions of a part of the Bernal Rancho, in the City and County of San Francisco.

Situated and lying southerly and southeasterly from Mission street, between Amazon avenue and the county line, and in accordance with the maps recorded in the Hall of Records, and being subdivisions of a part of the Bernal Rancho, City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Giannini—1.

Board of Public Works to Furnish Estimates of Cost of Changing Grade on Hayes Street, Between Steiner and Scott Streets.

J. R. No. 372.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to furnish approximate estimates of the cost of change of grade on Hayes street, between Steiner and Scott streets, as per blue print (red line to govern), filed August 29, 1912, by the Hayes Valley Improvement Association, to wit:

1. The cost of that portion of Hayes street, between Steiner and Scott streets, between the railway tracks and two feet on each side thereof.

2. The cost of City's portion of Hayes street, between Steiner and

Scott streets, by reason of proposed grade change.

4. The cost of that portion of Hayes street, between Steiner and Scott streets, for which the property owners will be liable by reason of proposed change of grades.

4. The estimated damage to abutting property.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Clerk to Advertise For Proposals For Motor Ambulance.

J. R. No. 373.

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for one motor ambulance, for use in the Department of Public Health.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Clerk to Call For Bids For Metal Filing Cases, Justice Clerk's Office.

J. R. No. 374.

Resolved, That the Clerk is hereby directed to advertise a Proposal Notice inviting bids for furnishing and delivering certain metal filing cases for use in the Justice Clerk's office similar to those now in use.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF BILLS, MOTIONS OR RESOLUTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor A. J. Gallagher and referred to the Police Committee:

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, September 10, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

Police to Stamp Out Lewd Dancing in Public Halls.

Resolved, That the Police Committee of the Board of Supervisors investigate the kind of dancing at present permitted in certain public halls and if they find as is common rumor and report that in some places styles of dancing are permitted that are not only immoral, but repulsive, that they take steps to secure the active co-operation of the entire police department to the end that such practices be eliminated and if necessary the committee to recommend the revocation of licenses and such censorship and legislation as will effectively stamp out the tendency towards looseness in conduct in public dance halls. This resolution is directed principally against certain persons who are in the business of giving regular dances for profit.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Koshland and adopted:

City Engineer to Survey and Set Boundary Stakes on School Lot at Thirtieth Avenue and Geary Street.

J. R. No. 375.

Resolved, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby directed to survey and set boundary stakes on the school lot situate at Thirtieth avenue and Geary street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Proposed Charter Amendment, Revision of School Laws.

Supervisor Payot presented:

Communication—From Chas. Wesley Reed, submitting scheme for revision of school laws, in form of charter amendment.

Ordered referred to Judiciary Committee.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 6:30 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

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Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.

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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, September 10, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.
Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of September 4, 1912, was read and approved.
Leave of Absence, A. M. Sharp, Member Board of Health.

The following matter was presented by the Mayor and read by the Clerk:
San Francisco, Cal, September 10, 1912.

Honorable Board of Supervisors, City Hall, San Francisco, Cal.

Gentlemen:

Mr. Arthur M. Sharp, member of the Board of Health, has requested me to obtain permission for him to leave the State of California for a period of fourteen days from September 11, 1912.

I beg leave to request that such permission be given, in accordance with the provisions of section 3, article XVI of the Charter of this City and County.

Yours very truly,

JAMES ROLPH,

Mayor.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

J. R. No. 376.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed September 10th, 1912, Mr. Arthur M. Sharp, member of the Board of Health, be and he is hereby granted leave of absence from the State for a period of fourteen days from September 11th, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini,

Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Invitation to Attend California Apple Show.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From the Third Annual California Apple Show, inviting Mayor and members of the Board of Supervisors to attend said show, to be held in Watsonville October 7th to 12th, 1912.

Clerk directed to acknowledge and referred to the *Publicity and Inter-urban Relations Committee*.

Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association Headquarters in Temporary City Hall.

Also, *communication* from the Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association of California, thanking Mayor and Board of Supervisors for setting aside room for said organization in Temporary City Hall and inviting officials to inspect same.

Read and ordered filed.

Providing for Legal Services for Police Officers.

Also, *communication* from the Secretary of Police Commission, transmitting recommendation of the Chief of Police that legal services be provided for police officers against whom action has been brought for carrying out instructions in course of the performance of their official duties.

Ordered referred to the *Judiciary Committee*.

Estimate of Cost of Repaving Geary Street from Van Ness Avenue to Presidio Avenue.

Also, *communication* from the Board of Public Works, transmitting report of the City Engineer as to condition of pavement of Geary street, from Van Ness avenue to Presidio avenue, together with estimate of the cost in the sum of \$42,161.16 for the repaving of said street between the avenues named.

Ordered referred to the *Streets and Sewers Committee*.

Fixing Width of Sidewalks on Geary Street, Between Stockton and Powell Streets.

Also, *communication* from the Board

of Public Works, recommending that sidewalk widths on the northerly and southerly sides of Geary street, between Stockton and Powell streets, be fixed at 9 and 15 feet respectively.

Ordered referred to the Streets and Sewers Committee.

Report of Mission Fourth of July Committee.

Also, *report of the Mission Fourth of July Committee*, transmitting check for \$25.00, amount earned on the official program and requesting that the amount be added to the Mission Park Fund.

Read and ordered filed.

Celebration of Completion of Mission Viaduct.

Also, *communication from the Mission Promotion Association*, requesting that exercises to commemorate completion of the Mission viaduct be postponed from September 15 to Sunday, September 22, 1912, in order that roadway may be put in proper condition to accommodate crowds on that occasion.

Ordered referred to the Publicity Committee.

PRESENTATION OF E. A. TUTTLE, CITY ENGINEER, LOS ANGELES.

E. A. Tuttle, City Engineer of Los Angeles, was presented by his Honor Mayor Rolph and addressed the Board, calling attention to the vast improvement in Los Angeles really due to construction of tunnels in that city. He said Los Angeles had four tunnels now and was contemplating the construction of two more, one in Second street and one in Fourth street.

SPECIAL ORDER, 3:00 P. M.

Rental of Subsidewalk Areas.

The following matter, heretofore referred to Public Buildings Committee, returned by said Committee with recommendation that same be indefinitely postponed and laid over from last meeting, was *taken up*:

Bill No. 2014, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a charge for the use of subsidewalk areas in the public streets of the City and County of San Francisco."

Privilege of the Floor.

J. S. Drum was granted the privilege of the floor, and opposed the passage of the bill on the ground that its enactment at this time would be most inopportune. He admitted the reasonableness of a rental charge for subsidewalk space as an academic proposition, but did not believe that legislation of the character proposed should be enacted at this time, when owing to the great fire of 1906 financial conditions in San Francisco were still abnormally depressed. The placing of a fixed charge on San Francisco real estate by the enactment of such a bill at this

time would tend to compel outside capital to seek investment elsewhere.

Burrell G. White, representing the Office Builders' Association and the North Central Improvement Association, also addressed the Board opposing the passage of the bill. He stated that the common law of England and the United States recognized the right of the property owner to ingress, egress, light and ventilation, and argued that inasmuch as large sums were invested by property owners in structures under the street level, they had similar rights that should not be infringed by the city.

Theodore Bell, representing the Retail Dry Goods Association, also opposed the passage of the bill. It was his opinion that whoever it was dedicated the streets in the business district did not intend that property so dedicated should be used for any but street purposes. He believed that a subsidewalk rental was in the nature of a special tax, and that its imposition at this time would work a great hardship.

Indefinite Postponement.

Whereupon, the question being taken the above matter was *indefinitely postponed* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hodas, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Vogelsang—5.

Absent—Supervisor George E. Gallagher—1.

(Supervisor Vogelsang explained his vote by saying that he believed that the principle of charging rental for use of subsidewalk space was a correct one, and would vote no on the committee's recommendation.)

(Supervisor Murdock explained his vote by saying that he would vote no on the committee's recommendation for indefinite postponement, but would compromise on a proposition cutting rental charge in half.)

HEARING OF APPEAL OF JOS. J. WEBB AND NANCY B. TURNER, STREET ASSESSMENT.

The hearing of the appeal of Jos. J. Webb and Nancy B. Turner against assessment fixed by the Board of Public Works for street work on Lyon street, between Union and Filbert streets, fixed by Resolution No. 9641 (New Series), for the hour of 3:30 o'clock p. m. this day, was proceeded with.

Privilege of the Floor.

Jos. J. Webb was granted the privilege of the floor, and addressed the Board protesting against the assessment, on the ground that it was illegal, it being in excess of 50 per cent of the assessed value of his property.

Appeal Denied and Assessment Confirmed.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Giannini and *adopted*:

Resolution No. 9657 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the appeal of Joseph J. Webb and Nancy B. Turner from an assessment to cover the cost of street improvements on Lyon street, between Union and Filbert streets, be denied.

Further Resolved, That the assessment No. 437, issued the 28th day of June, 1912, be and is hereby confirmed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

HEARING OF APPEAL OF FLINN & TREACY, STREET ASSESSMENT.

The hearing of the appeal of Flinn & Treacy against assessment for street work on Twenty-seventh street, between Sanchez and Noe streets and the crossing of Twenty-seventh and Sanchez streets, fixed by Resolution No. 9642 (New Series) for the hour of 3 p. m. this day, was proceeded with.

Privilege of the Floor.

A. Donovan, representing the Board of Public Works, was granted the privilege of the floor, and addressed the Board, stating that there was a clerical error in the report of the Board of Public Works, and recommended that the appeal be sustained.

Appeal Sustained.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Giannini and *adopted*:

Resolution No. 9656 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the appeal of Flinn & Treacy from assessment for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Twenty-seventh street, between Sanchez and Noe streets, and upon the crossing of Twenty-seventh and Sanchez streets, be sustained, and that the Board of Public Works be directed to make a new assessment.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

HEARING OF PROTESTS, STOCKTON STREET TUNNEL.

The hearing of protests of property owners in the matter of the construction of a tunnel in Stockton street, from Sutter to Sacramento street, fixed by Resolution No. 9632 (New Series), for 3 p. m., Sept. 4, 1912, and laid over until this date, was proceeded with.

Motion.

Supervisor Mauzy moved that the

hearing be postponed until next meeting of the Board.

Motion *carried*.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered *filed*, to-wit:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, chairman.

Public Health Committee, by Supervisor Caglieri, chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee, by Supervisor Mauzy, chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolf Koshland, chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following matter heretofore passed for printing and laid over from last meeting, was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Jennings, *indefinitely postponed*:

Providing \$83,000 for Hauling and Laying High Pressure Pipe in District No. 6 of Auxiliary Water System.

Resolved, That the sum of \$83,000 from the Fire Protection Account of the Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908, is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works for the purpose of paying the cost of hauling and laying high pressure pipe in the district bounded by Market street, Second street, Division street and Kansas street, known as District No. 6, this appropriation being in addition to that of \$95,000 made by Resolution No. 8319 (New Series).

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$26,347.82 and numbered consecutively 24,762 to 24,908 inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,

Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Pacific Gas & Electric Co., street lights, August, 1912 (claim dated Sept. 3, 1912).....\$34,754.63

Western Fuel Co., coal, Fire Department (claim dated July 31, 1912)..... 1,374.70

Egan Bros., straw, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912)..... 547.50

Producers' Hay Co., oats, Fire Department (claim dated July 25, 1912)..... 1,810.27

J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Fire Department (claim dated July 30, 1912)..... 1,902.37

Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Fire Department (claim dated July 31, 1912)..... 928.35

Library Fund

The Emporium, books, S. F. Public Library (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)..... \$697.00

General Fund, Fire Department Account, 1911-1912.

Seagrave Co., motor driven hook and ladder truck, Fire Department (claim dated June 29, 1912)..... \$9,475.00

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Geo. F. Bartlett, investigation water supply (claim dated Aug. 29, 1912)..... \$743.75

Britton & Rey, photo engraving, etc., investigation water supply (claim dated July 31, 1912)..... 961.43

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Mahoney Bros., 4th payment, track construction (claim dated Sept. 4, 1912).....\$49,763.15

F. Rolandi, 2nd payment, construction car house, etc. (claim dated Sept. 4, 1912)..... 17,523.09

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Spring Valley Water Co., water hydrants (claim dated Aug. 28, 1912).....\$10,967.50

Neal Publishing Co., Department of Elections

(claim dated Aug. 28, 1912)..... 4,801.16

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Townley Mill & Lumber Co., 1st payment, construction or election booths, Department of Elections (claim dated June 30, 1912)..... \$1,274.00

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:

For the Reconstruction, Etc., of School Department Buildings, Budget Item 551.

For repairs to schools during month of September, 1912, to be expended by the Board of Public Works.... \$8,000.00

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For the construction of granite curbing, etc., at intersection of Buena Vista avenue and Waller street.... \$80.00

For paving of roadway in Elizabeth street, near Douglass street, in front of public school..... 2,500.00

For paying City's portion of improving the crossing of Twelfth avenue and Cabrillo street..... 135.00

For paying City's portion of improving the crossing of Forty-third avenue and Cabrillo street..... 80.00

For paying City's portion of improving the crossing of Thirteenth avenue and Cabrillo street..... 135.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

For testing of soil of proposed City Hall site..... \$2,000.00

Urgent Necessities.

For expenses of litigation, water rates, Spring Valley Water Co. \$300.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund 1908.

For hauling and laying pipe under contract No. 49.....\$78,000.00

For Ashbury Heights tank... 1,828.70

For pig lead, bolts, nuts, etc. 15,000.00

For unloading, storing and testing pipe..... 10,000.00

State Tax for Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

Also, Bill No. 2253, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for raising the amount of money required under the provisions of Section 22, Article IV of the Constitution of the State of California, as amended No-

ember 8, 1910," which provides for the raising of State money in aid of Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

Prohibiting Interference With Auxiliary Water System.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Bill No. 2254, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the unauthorized use of or interference with the Auxiliary High Pressure Water System."

Fire Drills in Factories.

The following matter, laid over from last meeting, was taken up:

Bill No. 2255, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for fire drills for persons employed or otherwise in attendance in factories, workshops, public or private schools, asylums or department stores."

Amendment.

Supervisor Giannini moved to amend by adding the following paragraph to Section 1:

Those who are actually engaged in the performance of this drill and those who are required to protect property are exempt from this provision.

Amendment *carried*.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, The above entitled bill, as amended, was *passed for printing*.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Oil, Boiler and Laundry Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

Wm. F. Hyde, Jr., northeast corner of Sixteenth street and Julian avenue; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Sterling Laundry Company, 56 Julian avenue; capacity 2,500 gallons.

Bickel Estate Company, northwest side of Mission street, 415 feet southwest of Seventh street; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Lux School of Industrial Training, northeast corner of Seventeenth and Hampshire streets; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Hale Bros., south corner of Fifth and Market streets; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Saunders Preserve Company, northwest side of Bryant street, northeast of Chesley street; capacity 1,500 gallons.

German Savings and Loan Society, southeast corner of Twenty-first and Mission streets; capacity 1,800 gallons.

Standard Oil Company, northwest corner of Bush and Sansome streets; capacity 2,000 gallons.

Boilers.

Saunders Preserve Co., Inc., northwest side of Bryant street, northeast of Chesley street; 30-horsepower, for manufacturing purposes.

Eugene Smith Company, top floor, 231 First street; 5-horsepower, for waterproofing business.

J. Chavalas & Co., 1235 Folsom street; 5-horsepower, for candy factory.

Laundry.

Antoine Lachine, northerly line of Pacific street, 67 feet 6 inches easterly from Powell street.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Revoking Garage Permit.

J. R. No. 377.

Resolved, That the permit heretofore granted by Resolution No. 9381 (New Series) to C. H. Brewster, to maintain a garage at No. 560 Fulton street, is hereby revoked.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Denying Laundry Permit.

J. R. No. 378.

The following resolution was presented by Supervisor Giannini:

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied A. B. Cazet to erect and maintain a laundry and boiler on the northwest line of Howard street 275 feet northeast of Ninth street.

Privilege of the Floor.

M. Prescott, attorney representing A. B. Cazet, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that his client had made application in a section surrounded on all sides by other places of business, and that location was not in a residence section. He said that there was a Chinese laundry on the opposite side of the street, a stable, a saloon, a brewery and other similar establishments in the neighborhood.

John O'Gara, attorney representing property owners, declared that the district was a residence district and property values there should not be impaired by the establishment of a laundry.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution was on motion of Supervisor Giannini *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini,

Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Denial of Extension of Time, Michael Murphy.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting, was *taken up*:

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That an extension of thirty days' time, heretofore recommended by the Board of Public Works, to Michael Murphy, from and after August 30, 1912, within which to complete his contract, No. 50, of the Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection, is hereby denied.

Communication from City Engineer.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presented:

Communication—From City Engineer, declaring that the delay in delivery of pipe was not due to any fault of Mr. Chamenot of the Board of Public Works as stated by the contractor, and that said contractor should not have torn up the street before he had the pipe on the job.

Privilege of the Floor.

R. Mattingly, representing Michael Murphy, contractor, stated that it could not be expected that he disorganize his working force whenever there was a delay in delivery of pipe. He therefore kept them working on other parts of the job. He said that if he did not keep his organization intact he would suffer severely on the job.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor McLeran the following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Michael Murphy be and he is hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from August 30, 1912, within which to complete contract No. 50, Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection.

Action Deferred.

The following resolutions, laid over from last meeting, were taken up and on motion *laid over one week*:

Reduction in Insurance Rates.

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, A large component part of the Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection has been installed and is now in service; therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to confer with the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific for the purpose of bringing about a reduction of insurance rates in this city, said Board of Underwriters having promised that a material

reduction in insurance rates would be made upon the installation of an auxiliary water system for fire protection.

Denying Stable Permit.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Jeremiah Kenny, to maintain a stable for twelve horses at 1613 Turk street.

Passed for Printing.

The following bill was *passed for printing*:

Amending Tunnel Ordinance.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

Bill No. 2256, Ordinance No. — (New Series), amending Section 18 of Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), known as the Tunnel Procedure Ordinance.

Section 1. Section 18 of Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), known as the Tunnel Procedure Ordinance, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 18. The times when installments of principal shall be made in cases where agreements have been made therefor are hereby fixed as follows:

The first installment shall be paid at the time of the application to the Tax Collector for such agreement.

The second installment shall be paid on or before the last Monday in December in the next fiscal year and subsequent installments shall be paid annually thereafter one each year on or before said last Monday in December.

Interest on all installments unpaid shall be paid at the rate fixed in the proceedings as follows: At the time of the execution and delivery of the agreement interest shall be paid on the unpaid principal until the first day of July next after. At the time each subsequent installment of principal is paid, interest for six months from the first day of July to the first day of January, on the principal then unpaid, and also interest for six months from the first day of January on the principal unpaid on said date.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Mauzy and *adopted*:

Auditor and Tax Collector to Cancel Certificate of Sale.

J. R. No. 379.

Whereas, A communication from the Auditor was filed, enclosing a description of City property situate at the southeast corner of Seventeenth and Ord streets, in Horner's Addition Block No. 204, and also lot commencing at a point distant 100 feet east from Laguna street and 107 feet 6

inches south from Vallejo street, in Western Addition Block No. 192, which lots of land were sold to the State on the Real Estate Rolls 1911 for delinquent taxes; and

Whereas, A communication was filed by the City Attorney consenting to the cancellation and sale of these properties to the State; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Auditor and Tax Collector are hereby requested to cancel said sales Nos. 237 and 277 to the State under the provisions of Section No. 3804A of the Political Code.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Recommended.

The following resolutions, laid over from last meeting, were taken up and on motion *recommended to Committee*:

Install Street Lights.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Light Company is hereby directed to install are lights at the following locations:

Geary street and Forty-fourth avenue.

Second avenue, between California and Lake streets.

Second avenue, between Geary and Anza streets.

Twenty-ninth street, between Castro and Diamond streets.

Installation and Removal of Street Lights.

Also, J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby directed to install triple-top gas lamps in the following locations:

East side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Twenty-fourth street.

Castro street, northwest corner of Jersey.

Castro street, southeast corner of Jersey.

West side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Jersey.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, southwest corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, east side, 110 feet south of Twenty-fifth street.

Castro street, northwest corner of Clipper.

Castro street, southeast corner of Clipper.

Castro street, west side, 110 feet south of Clipper.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-sixth.

Castro street, southwest corner of Twenty-sixth.

Remove the following are lamps:

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-fifth.

Castro street, northeast corner of Clipper.

Castro street, northeast corner of Twenty-sixth.

Remove the following single gas lamps:

Castro street, east side, 110 feet south of Twenty-fourth.

Castro street, northwest corner of Jersey.

Castro street, southeast corner of Jersey.

Install the following are lamps:

Corner of Mission street and Russia avenue.

Corner of Burnham and Duncan streets.

Mission street, corner of Park street.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Masquerade Ball Permits.

J. R. No. 380.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to-wit:

San Francisco Letter Carriers' Mutual Aid Association, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, November 2, 1912.

Court Live Oak No. 67, E. of A., at the South San Francisco Opera House, Railroad and Newcomb avenues, October 12, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Recommended.

The following bill was introduced by Supervisor Hocks, and on motion *recommended to the Police Committee*:

Regulating Pawnbroking Business.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the days and hours of business of pawnbrokers, junk dealers, and dealers in second-hand wares, merchandise and commodities, and fixing the penalty for violation thereof."

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of Thos. G. Swortfiguer to Sell for \$87,009.11 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9658 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Thos. G. Swortfiguer to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain lands, leasehold claims, improvements, etc., being portions of Western Addition Blocks Nos. 5 and

65, the said lands being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcels of land are offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Thos. G. Swortfiguer to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described lands, free from all incumbrance,

For the purchase of said land
in Western Addition Block
No. 5 \$80,777.50
Rebate on taxes for the current fiscal year 211.99

\$80,989.49

For the purchase of said land
in Western Addition Block
No. 65 \$86,823.00
Rebate on taxes for the current fiscal year 186.11

\$87,009.11

A sum total of \$167,998.60, is hereby accepted, the said lands being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Polk street with the northerly line of McAllister street; running thence easterly along said northerly line of McAllister street 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the southerly line of Redwood street; thence at a right angle westerly along said southerly line of Redwood street 137 feet 6 inches to the said easterly line of Polk street; thence southerly along said easterly line of Polk street 120 feet to the said northerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5.

Also, commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Polk street with the northerly line of McAllister street; running thence westerly along said northerly line of McAllister street 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the southerly line of Redwood street; thence at a right angle easterly along said southerly line of Redwood street 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly along said westerly line of Polk street 120 feet to the said northerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 65.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said lands, and if the same are found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to

report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the city and county upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$87,009.11 to Thos. G. Swortfiguer for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of one hundred sixty-seven thousand, nine hundred ninety-eight dollars and sixty cents (\$167,998.60) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bond Account," in payment to Thos. G. Swortfiguer as the purchase price of certain lands, leasehold claims, improvements, etc., situate at the intersection of the northerly line of McAllister street with the easterly line of Polk street, of dimensions 137 feet 6 inches by 120 feet, in Western Addition Block No. 5; and at the intersection of the westerly line of Polk street with the northerly line of McAllister street, of dimensions 137 feet 6 inches by 120 feet, in Western Addition Block No. 65,

For purchase of said lands,
etc., in Western Addition
Block No. 5 \$80,777.50
Rebate on taxes for current
fiscal year allowed 211.99

\$80,989.49

For purchase of said land,
etc., in Western Addition
Block No. 65 \$86,823.00
Rebate on taxes for current
fiscal year allowed 186.11

\$87,009.11

A total sum of \$167,998.60, said lands being required for Civic Center purposes.

Action Deferred.

The following matters, laid over from last meeting, were taken up and on motion again laid over one week:

Accepting Offer of W. T. Worthington to Sell for \$1175 Certain Land in Glen Park District, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from W. T. Worthington, agent for the Crocker Estate Company, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being lots 2 and 3 in Block H of Glen Park Terrace, the said land being required for Fire Department purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of W. T. Worthington, agent for the Crocker Estate Company, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all incumbrances, for the sum of eleven hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$1175.00) is hereby accepted, the said land being Lots Nos. 2 and 3 in Block H of Glen Park Terrace.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McNerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Authorizing Payment of \$1175 to W. T. Worthington for Certain Land in Glen Park District, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of eleven hundred and seventy-five (\$1175.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of Budget item 1912-13, "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes", in payment to W. T. Worthington, agent for Crocker Estate Company, as purchase price of lot of land, being Lots Nos. 2 and 3 in Block H of Glen Park Terrace, required as land for Fire Department purposes.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Establishing Grades.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Also Bill No. 2257, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Utah street."

Also, Bill No. 2258, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Fifteenth avenue."

Establishing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2259, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Girard and Berlin streets, between Woolsey and Wilde streets; on Goettingen street, between Woolsey and Harkness streets; on Dwight, Olmstead, Mansell, Ordway, Ward and Harkness streets, between San Bruno avenue and Goettingen street; and on

Wilde street, between San Bruno avenue and Berlin street."

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2260, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of said company in Fairfax avenue, between Quint and Rankin streets; thence westerly along Fairfax avenue, crossing Rankin street and continuing along Fairfax avenue to a point between Rankin and Selby streets."

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9659 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Norwich, Harrison and Ripley streets, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office on August 23, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Resolution No. 9660 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Gates street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office August 23, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Board of Public Works Directed to Recommend Paving of Steuart Street.

J. R. No. 381.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to recommend the paving of the roadway of Steuart street between Folsom and Harrison streets with a basalt block pavement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-

eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Mayor to Furnish Data Concerning Berry Street.

J. R. No. 382.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to furnish this Board with the latest data concerning the status of Berry street between Second and Third streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Chief of Police to be Advised of Violations of Hand Bill Distributing Ordinance.

J. R. No. 383.

Resolved, That the attention of the Chief of Police is hereby called to the violation of Order No. 2697, approved October 3, 1893, entitled "Prohibiting the distribution or circulation of hand bills, etc., upon any street or sidewalk in the City and County of San Francisco".

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace.

Bill No. 2261, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the Official Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace."

Accepting Deed From Crocker Estate Company for Lands Required for Drainage Purposes in Glen Park Terrace, Second Addition.

Also, Bill No. 2262, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed of land from William H. Crocker and C. E. Green, President and Secretary respectively, of the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation), to the City and County of San Francisco (in the Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace), to be used for drainage purposes."

Accepting Deed for Opening and Extension of Bosworth Street in Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace.

Also, Bill No. 2263, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed from William H. Crocker and C. E. Green, President and Secretary, respectively, of the Crocker Es-

tate Company (a corporation), for the opening and extension of Bosworth street as delineated upon that certain map described as Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace."

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Award of Additional Contracts.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland: Resolution No. 9961 (New Series), Awarding additional contracts for supplies and materials for fiscal year 1912-1913 to the following firms:

Garrett M. Goldberg & Co.; National Paint and Oil Company; Union Oil Company of California; J. B. Stanford; Thos. E. Dunne Company; W. P. Fuller & Co.; Whittier-Coburn Company; Waterhouse & Lester; Holabird-Reynolds Company; Standard Oil Company; Monarch Oil Refining Company; Bennett Bros.; Bass Hueter Paint Company; Yates & Co., Inc.; Western Development Syndicate; N. Clark & Sons; Henry Cowell Lime and Cement Company; Joost Bros.; California Glue Works; Robinson Chemical Works; Moller & Schumann Co.; Anti-Teredo Paint Company; C. G. Clinch & Co.; A. L. Greene; S. Foster & Co.; Brittain & Co.; Goodvear Rubber Company; Western Electric Company; Electric Appliance Company; California Brush and Supply Company; C. I. McColgan Company; Louis De Rome B. B. & B. Foundry.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Award of Contract, Motor Truck, Relief Home.

Also, Resolution No. 9962 (New Series), Awarding contract to Auto Sales Company for furnishing one motor truck (Alco), with oil tank, for use of Relief Home; price \$5,000.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Referred.

The following matter was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft and *referred to the Judiciary Committee*:

Proposed Charter Amendment.

Add a new section to Article II, Chapter II, to be numbered Section 10, to read as follows:

Section 10. The Board of Supervisors may acquire land in the district bounded by Market street, Golden Gate

avenue and Franklin street, for the purpose of establishing a Civic Center, and when it appears to the advantage of the city and county so to do it may acquire land in excess of the actual requirements, and may dispose of any such excess in exchange for other lands within such district, or for the purpose of acquiring additional lands or for the erection of structures thereon. It may convey to the State of California a parcel of land in such district for the purpose of the erection of a State building thereon, and in consideration therefor may receive from the State any parcel of land in such district now owned by the State; it may exchange parcels of land with the Board of Trustees of the Public Library and Reading Rooms, and such Board is hereby authorized to relinquish control of such land as may have been heretofore set apart for its use. It may authorize the erection of an auditorium by the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, or of an opera house, museum, or other structure, provided the ownership of such structures shall always be vested in the municipality.

Announcement.

Supervisor Hilmer announced that the "Valuation Committee" would meet in the chambers of the Board on Tuesday, September 17, 1912, at 2:30 p. m.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted by the following vote:

Mayor to Lease Old Harbor Police Station at Harbor View.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

J. R. No. 334.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to execute for and on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco a lease to the United States of America of that certain building at Meiggs Wharf on sea wall Section B at the north end of Taylor street, known as the old Harbor Police Station and now used by the Government as the U. S. Immigration Boarding Station, for the term of one year commencing on the first day of July, 1912, at a monthly rental of \$10.00.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vog-
elsang—17.

Referred.

The following bill was introduced by Supervisor McCarthy, and referred to the Electricity Committee:

Additional Underground District.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Adding a new section, to be numbered Section 1ab, to

Order No. 214 (Second Series), entitled 'Providing for placing electrical wires and conductors underground in the City and County of San Francisco.'

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

A new section, to be numbered Section 1ab, is hereby added to Order No. 214 (Second Series), the title of which is recited in the title to this ordinance, to read as follows:

Section 1ab. An additional district to those described in Section 1, within which it will be unlawful to maintain poles and overhead wires after December 31, 1913, is hereby designated, to-wit:

Underground District No. 8.

Geary street, from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue to the westerly line of Presidio avenue.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and ordered referred to the Public Welfare Committee:

Providing for Appointment of Tree Planting Commission.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That there be hereby appointed a special commission on Tree Planting, consisting of the Superintendent of Parks and Playgrounds, the City Engineer, the chairman of the Committee on Streets and Highways, and the president or delegated representative of the Civic League of Improvement Clubs, and of the Outdoor Art League.

It shall be the duty of the Commission to consider and report upon the advisability of planting trees in the residence districts of San Francisco with a view of enhancing the beauty of the city through giving it a setting of green that shall relieve the hard outline of its streets.

They shall especially consider the varieties of trees best suited for our climate and requirements, reporting their conclusions. If in their judgment there are trees of form and habits of growth that will add beauty without forming too dense a shade and robbing us of the needed sunshine, they shall specify the trees and make such recommendation as they see fit as to the number, the place and the manner in which they should be planted.

They are asked to make special recommendation as to the treatment of Van Ness avenue, that its possibilities of beauty may be realized, giving it its rightful place among the world's finest boulevards.

It is suggested that a general estimate of the cost of its adornment be submitted, with suggestions of how it may be equitably met.

If, in the judgment of the Commission, tree-planting is desirable, it is requested that recommendation be made in reference to the width of sidewalk relatively to the street width, in districts where they are not already built.

The Commission is asked to serve without other remuneration than self-satisfaction in good public service, and the incidental gratitude of those who love the beautiful.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted by the following vote:

Removal of Arc Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 385.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas & Electric Company be instructed to remove the arc lights at the following locations:

Southeast corner of Cole and Haight streets.

Southwest corner of Belvedere and Haight streets.

Northwest corner of Clayton and Haight streets.

Southwest corner of Ashbury and Haight streets.

Southwest corner of Masonic avenue and Haight street.

Be it Further Resolved, That the cost of lighting the eighteen remaining 500-watt Tungsten lights now being paid for by the merchants on Haight street from Masonic avenue to Cole street, be assumed by the City and County of San Francisco, payable out of the street lighting fund, provided that the said City and County

shall be at no expense nor incur any liability for the upkeep or repair of said lamps.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vog-
elsang—17.

Clerk to Discontinue Publication of
Finally Passed Matters.

J. R. No. 386.

Whereas, Large savings have been made in the City's unnecessary high advertising expense, and a still further saving of approximately \$5000 a year can be made by stopping the advertising of finally passed ordinances and resolutions, and

Whereas, The Charter does not require this single publication, and the City Attorney has so instructed the Board of Supervisors; be it

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Board be directed to cease the one time publication of finally passed matters from and after this date, in accordance with the advice of the City Attorney.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vog-
elsang—17.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:30 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, September 16, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.

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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, September 16, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of September 10, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

The following matters were presented by his Honor the Mayor, read by the Clerk, ordered *spread at length in the Journal*, and on motion of Supervisor Murdock, the Mayor's suggestion that same be referred to the Public Utilities Committee be concurred in:

RELATIVE TO PURCHASE OF PROPERTY OF SPRING VALLEY WATER CO.

San Francisco, Cal., September 16, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco,

Gentlemen:

I beg to hand you herewith a copy of a communication addressed and sent to the Spring Valley Water Company, under date of August 9th, 1912, "regarding the purchase of the works by the City," and I now also beg to hand you herewith a copy of their reply to the said communication, under date of September 14th, 1912.

I respectfully suggest that both documents be referred to the Public Utilities Committee of your Honorable Board, and, after their consideration of the question, that they invite the Board to meet as a committee of the whole, for a discussion of this important problem.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

San Francisco, California, August 9th, 1912.

Offer of Advisory Water Committee to Recommend to the Electors a Proposition to Purchase the Plant and Properties of the Spring Valley Water Company for \$38,500,000.

Spring Valley Water Company, 375 Sutter street, San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen: The undersigned, the Mayor and members of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, the City Attorney and members of the Special Committee on Water Supply, unite in urging your company to co-operate in a friendly settlement of a long-standing controversy without further litigation or delay by selling to the city all of the water works property owned by your company for the price named below, which price is based on your offer of two years ago, and upon Judge Farrington's findings in the Rate Cases, with additions which we have arrived at from reasons stated below and as a matter of business judgment.

Several parts of our city are suffering from a scant supply of water from

your company for fire protection; there is complaint of defective domestic supply in certain elevated sections; the natural development of certain important districts is held back because of your lack of extension of water pipes, and a well-founded belief exists that the combination of all your sources now in use, with the present transbay conduit would fail to yield the necessary quantity should the next two or three years be of small rainfall. Our great Exposition is almost at hand and the most rapid growth that our city has known is quickly coming, and it is of paramount importance that our city should own and be in responsible control of the works that supply its homes, its commerce and its manufactories with water.

By letter of November 29, 1909, your company offered its water works property until January 20, 1910, for.....\$35,000,000

This offer failed of acceptance by the citizens by an extremely narrow margin in the two-thirds vote required under our charter, and for reasons so well understood that they need not be repeated here, and which are matters of the past.

If we add to this the value based on the purchase price of your real estate purchases reported by chartered accountants during 1910 and 1911, the sum of.....\$2,219,477

we have a total of.....\$37,219,477

The offer of \$35,000,000 made in November, 1909, must have included as a factor the value of "going concern".

Since that time you have purchased some additional property and have made some extensions of mains, these capital expenditures amounting, we understand, to about \$146,196.00, and there has been some increase in value of your large holding of Lake Merced lands, if these could be considered as for subdivision and sale as building lots. But on the other hand, the physical part of your plant has been depreciating and we note that in your printed annual report to stockholders, depreciation is allowed for at the rate of \$260,000.00 for the year 1910, also \$260,000.00 for the year 1911.

If we add to the above valuation of \$37,219,477, for the purpose of making due allowance for all factors of valuation and of all net increase in value since November 9, 1909, considered on a basis which we believe most favorable to your company.....\$1,280,523

we have a figure of.....\$38,500,000

It may be noted also that this sum happens to be just ten per cent more than the price at which you offered to sell up to January 20, 1910.

To approach this in another way, eliminating from consideration your offer of \$35,000,000.

The decision of Judge Farrington, reported October, 1911, in the water rate cases for the years 1903, 1904, 1905, after allowing for physical depreciation and after weighing much evidence upon the value of component parts of your water system, found a value for that portion of the plant in use in 1903 for supplying this city, of.....\$25,771,984

This value for rate-fixing purposes did not include the value of certain properties then and now held in reserve for future use, nor did it include "going concern" value. He found values for the property not in use aggregating.....\$5,101,132

This included the Clear Lake property valued at.....243,351

which, as we understand it, you do not now own, leaving a net value for property then unused.....\$4,857,781

Making a total value of property used and unused, as of the year 1903.....\$30,629,765

If we add to this, expenditures for real estate, purchases and

permanent improvements, from January 1, 1904, to January, 1910, as shown by reports of the Spring Valley on file with the City	\$2,546,932
And the amount paid for real estate purchases during 1910 and 1911	\$2,219,477

We have a total of\$35,396,174
 but a large part of the above \$2,546,932 must have been offset by physical depreciation, possibly one-third or one-half. Some parts were damaged by the earthquake, as, for example, the Pilarcitos pipe line, valued at about \$300,000, of which perhaps \$75,000 value was reclaimed, and the ordinary physical depreciation for which each of your two latest annual statements have allowed \$260,000 per year, has been going on for two and a half years.

If we add for growth concern value and for whatever permissible increase in value of real estate that may have been over and above the obsolescence and depreciation in value of physical plant from 1904 to this date, the sum of..... \$3,103,826

the total value today as thus found is.....\$38,500,000

The population and your revenue from rates has increased since January 20, 1910, but the plant has become so loaded that we believe no sufficient reserve capacity in the pipes, pumps and reservoirs remains for emergencies. We believe that for some time past the actual conditions have demanded the construction of the proposed Calveras Reservoir, a new trans-bay conduit and a very large extension of the distribution system.

In considering the value to the city of your works as a whole, a matter of much importance is the fact that new and more complete investigations of the Spring Valley's undeveloped sources have shown, as we believe, that their capacity for a reasonable dependable extension of the supply is much smaller than had previously been supposed by city officials and citizens, as well as your own officers and stockholders, so much so that we believe work on a larger supply from the mountains must be begun very soon.

Although the value of certain of your lands, if viewed as for subdivision and sale as building lots, has probably increased since January 20, 1910, the matter of their value as a part of the water supply involves other considerations, such as that of their not being available for sale because long impressed with a public use, and consideration must be given to the principle that such property must be valued as a whole for water supply purposes and not as an aggregate of the values of parts. While it may be true that where private property is sought to be condemned for a public purpose, the highest use to which the property may be devoted is to be considered, yet, where a property is once devoted to a public use and it is sought simply to continue that use, the rule applied to condemnation of private property ought not to obtain. There are many difficult legal questions, the discussion of which might greatly prolong a technically precise determination of some of the elements to be considered in finding the value of the whole, and meanwhile, the interests of our city would suffer.

While it is a simple matter to agree on values of the pipes, pumps, dams, and structures, and is not difficult to approximately determine the value of real estate to be used as city lots, or for agriculture, there is room for wide and endless difference of opinion on values of water rights, particularly those not yet in use and not tested by use as to capacity; and there is also room for much doubt about the rule to be followed in the enhancement of real estate value, by its adaptation and use for water works purposes.

For the reasons stated above, and because promptness in large extensions of city mains and in providing a large additional supply and the ending of controversy are each elements of great value to the city, we have sought to reach a fair price by starting with the Farrington findings on values as a basis, also independently with your offer of two years ago as a basis, and

adding a sum dictated by business judgment, rather than to incur delays of appraisals, arbitrations and the courts. The sum of \$1,280,523 is, therefore, added to the price at which you offered to sell about two years ago, plus the cost of your acquisitions to December 8, 1911, and the sum of \$3,103,826 is added to the valuation of Judge Farrington of the property used and unused as of 1903, plus cost of acquisition from 1903 to 1911 inclusive, making the round sum of \$38,500,000 for the purchase of all of the Spring Valley Water Company's physical properties, as before, with all additions used or capable of use for water supply purposes. This offer is made with the further understanding that all pending litigation between the city and your company shall be dismissed and the impounded rate funds released by the city; such settlement and release to be made, however, solely as a part of this compromise offer and without prejudice to the right of the city to further litigate the question of the disposition of such impounded funds in the event that this offer is not accepted.

The undersigned pledge themselves, individually and collectively, to recommend earnestly to the citizens to vote for the purchase at this price, which we believe is not only fair but liberal to your company and is reasonable and proper for the city to pay for the property and for the advantages incident to obtaining control in the immediate future in order to stop controversy.

We find from your report to the stockholders of December 31, 1911, as confirming our views of the liberality of this offer, that it covers liberal additions to the careful appraisal of the several parts of the property made a few years ago by our then City Engineer, Mr. Grunsky, and he today expresses the belief that this is a fair offer; we also find that after paying par for each four per cent bond of your company (now quoted at \$93.50), that our offer, if accepted, would make available for distribution to each of your stockholders about \$71.53 for each share of stock, on which the market quotation since the fire (or since the two for one stock issue of September, 1903) has never been greater than \$65.00, and which is now about \$61.00, this giving to each bondholder a substantial increase over the market value of the best 4 per cent public service company bonds and 7 per cent above the present market value of your bonds, and giving to each stockholder an increase of about \$10.53 per share or about 17 per cent above the present market value of his stock.

Should the price of \$38,500,000 prove acceptable to your company and to the voters, a long time must necessarily elapse before the titles could be passed and the new administration provided for. We deem it important that the work of increasing the supply and of extending the mains should progress rapidly meanwhile. This can be accomplished by means of the resources at your command.

Upon your favorable consideration of the above, we propose to further request your company to immediately carry forward the work of constructing the Calaveras dam and reservoir, already begun by you, and to also, with all speed consistent with economy, construct the line of steel pipe 6½ feet net diameter with its connecting tunnels from the valley of the Calaveras Creek to your Crystal Springs reservoir, which forms a part of the Freeman plan for the future bringing in the water of the Tuolumne River, and would in the meantime also bring in the additional supply now required. This new work to be in accord with the city's plans and specifications and its actual cost to you plus 10 per cent, to be added to the price named above.

Upon similar terms we would also ask that the extension of distribution pipes be immediately carried forward in various districts to be specified.

We have proposed above what we believe a liberal basis of adjustment and we appeal to your shareholders and officers that controversies in water matters may cease, and that mutual confidence and co-operation in the upbuilding of our city may prevail.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES ROLPH JR., Mayor.

PERCY V. LONG, City Attorney.

THOMAS JENNINGS,

Chairman Finance Committee.

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG,
Chairman Public Utilities Committee.
CURTIS H. LINDLEY,
Advisory Water Committee.

CHAS. A. MURDOCK,
ADOLF KOSHLAND,
EDWARD L. NOLAN,
J. EMMET HAYDEN,
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OSCAR HOCKS,
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WM. H. MCCARTHY,
GUIDO E. CAGLIERI,

Members of the Board of Supervisors.

Reply of Spring Valley Water Company
to Advisory Committee's Offer.

San Francisco, California,

September 14, 1912.

Honorable James Rolph, Jr., Mayor;
Percy V. Long, City Attorney;
Thomas Jennings, Chairman Finance
Committee; Alexander T. Vogelsang,
Chairman Public Utilities Commit-
tee, and Curtis H. Lindley, Esq.,
comprising the City Advisory Water
Committee, and the Members of the
Board of Supervisors of the City
and County of San Francisco—

Gentlemen:

*Regarding the Purchase of Works by
the City.*

At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Spring Valley Water Company, held on the 15th day of August, 1912, your communication dated August 9th, 1912, was referred to a special committee, theretofore appointed to represent the company in the pending negotiations with the city for the purchase of the company's works. The committee was not able to make its report to the board until the 12th day of the present month, on which date a special meeting was held for the purpose of receiving it, and to act upon the offer contained in your letter of August 9th. The board of directors, at that meeting, unanimously resolved that it could not, in justice to its stockholders, accept the offer made by you, and, by formal resolution, under authority with which it has been invested by the stockholders by resolution passed at the annual meeting in April of this year, authorizes the offer which follows, namely:

To sell to the City and County of San Francisco all of the property of

the Spring Valley Water Company except (1) Blocks 1221-2 and 3, 1285-6 and 7, Outside Lands, all properties bounded by or fronting upon Sloat Boulevard, or Junipero Serra Boulevard, and all the Lake Merced Ranch, other than the two Merced lakes and a strip of land around them, the lakes and such strip containing an area of about five hundred and fifty acres (the strip around the lakes will be ample for park purposes and to prevent pollution of the water); (2) all money and other personal property owned by the company—for the price named in your offer, to wit, thirty-eight and one-half million dollars.

In making this offer, the directors share with you the wish that controversies in water matters may cease, and that mutual confidence and co-operation in the upbuilding of our city may prevail.

When the subject of purchase was first broached by the present city administration, the company informed the Advisory Committee, acting on behalf of the city, that J. G. White & Company had been employed by the company to make a detailed inventory and appraisal of all the company's properties, and that, when their report was completed, the company would be better able to fix a price at which it would be willing to sell. While negotiations have been proceeding between the city and the company, J. G. White & Company have pursued their investigations and have proceeded so far as to make a partial report on the value of the company's holdings; and while their work has not been entirely completed, it has proceeded so far as to enable them to advise us that the value of the prop-

erties exceeds sixty million dollars. This report deals with all of the elements of the company's property, and is the most exhaustive and detailed that has ever been made.

It has always seemed important to us that a careful inventory and appraisal of the properties should be made, in order that the city on the one hand, and the company on the other, might have some substantial basis for negotiations looking to the acquisition of the property by the city. It is not disclosed by your communication that any valuation has been made by anyone in the city's behalf. In the early history of our negotiations, we were informed by the chairman of your Advisory Committee that they were tentatively considering a plan to appoint a board, consisting of three engineers, of whom John R. Freeman should be one, the others to be selected by him, subject to the approval of the Board of Supervisors; and that this board of engineers be entrusted with the duty of determining and reporting to the Board of Supervisors the value of the properties of the company. This suggestion met with our unqualified approval. We thought then, and still think, that the opinion of a board, thus constituted, would command respect, and have very great educational value. At a later date we were informed that those representing the city had determined not to have an appraisal made in the manner theretofore suggested, but that they were considering, tentatively, a new plan by which a joint effort be made to reach an agreement on value, and that, to accomplish this purpose, Mr. Freeman be appointed by the city to act for it, and that an engineer to act with him be appointed by the company to represent it; that these two engineers should agree upon values of all the elements of the company's properties upon which they might be able to agree; that a list of properties as to which they could not reach an agreement be made; and that a third engineer be selected by the two, to act with them, and a majority of the three thus appointed should fix the values of any of the properties upon which the first two might not have been able to agree. This suggestion also met with the hearty approval of the company, and it was considering the selection of an engineer to act with Mr. Freeman when it received word from the chairman of the Advisory Committee that the committee had concluded not to recommend this plan, and, because of that notification, nothing further was done in that direction.

We consider it a matter of very great regret that one of these plans was not pursued. Although a valuation arrived at as a result of either

of them would not have been binding upon either of the parties, it would have commanded respect, and would probably have afforded a substantial basis for arriving at a price which the company could afford to accept and which the city could afford to pay.

Your letter suggests that the price named is based on the offer of this company made in 1909, and upon Judge Farrington's finding in the rate cases, with additions "arrived at for reasons stated below and as a matter of business judgment."

The offer to which you refer was made in November, 1909. It was made for the purpose of bringing to an end a very disagreeable controversy that had existed between the city and the company for many years; to avoid the necessity for additional capital expenditures; and to relieve the company from the defense of important law suits which were then pending. All this litigation has been determined favorably to the company; the capital expenditures which it hoped to avoid have been made, and the conditions now existing are radically different from those prevailing in November, 1909.

So far as the offer is based upon the finding of Judge Farrington as of November 1, 1903, it is only fair to say that he found a value for rate-fixing purposes only, and not for purposes of sale. He expressly said that, in a condemnation proceeding, the examination of value could not be restricted to the water-bearing capabilities of the properties, and further, that the value sought to be ascertained in condemnation proceedings is the market value. It is impossible to tell, from Judge Farrington's opinion, what he considered the value of the property for purposes of sale. In all the rate litigation the city earnestly contended that, for purposes of sale, a different basis of value from that applicable in rate-fixing cases would obtain.

Your offer overlooks very important elements of value which, of necessity, must be considered when a sale is contemplated, and which were not included in Judge Farrington's valuation. He did not allow for reservoir lands, not then actually used for reservoir purposes, anything beyond the value of those lands for watershed purposes, expressly saying that, when they were used for reservoir purposes, their value for those purposes would attach to them. In determining the value of our water rights he allowed us only upon our ability to supply thirty-five million gallons per day, which was the quantity the company was then equipped to deliver; and the only fair and legitimate inference to be drawn from the portion of his opinion in which that subject is discussed, is, that as

the ability of the company to supply water expands, the value of water rights will correspondingly increase.

Your offer, while admitting that our properties have increased in value, argues that we are not entitled to the increase. We cannot agree to this. The contention is fully answered and refuted by the Supreme Court of the United States in the Consolidated Gas case, and by Judge Farrington in the Water Rate cases. The city cannot, legally, morally, nor in common fairness, expect us to sell any of our properties for less than they would be worth if in the hands of other than the Spring Valley Water Company.

We cannot subscribe to the statement contained in your letter, that investigations of our undeveloped sources have shown that their capacity for a dependable extension of the supply is less than had previously been supposed by city officials and citizens, and by our own officers and stockholders. On the contrary, later and most exhaustive examinations, made by disinterested engineers, have demonstrated the capacity of the undeveloped sources to be greater than ever heretofore claimed by the company.

In accepting Judge Farrington's finding as a starting point, you must have in mind that valuable reservoir lands were not valued as such; that only a comparatively small part of our water rights was valued; that no valuation of going concern was included in his total; and that the real properties, herein offered you, have very considerably increased in value since 1903. If you consider these elements in value not included by Judge Farrington and the increase in value since the date to which his valuation relates, we feel that you will have no difficulty in reaching the conclusion that the property we offer you is worth more than the price at which it is offered. We firmly believe that it is less than would have been found had either of the plans, hereinbefore mentioned as having been tentatively proposed by the Advisory Water Committee for the ascertainment of value, been pursued to a conclusion.

What we understand the city desires to acquire is a water supply. The property we offer includes all of the company's holdings which, according to Mr. Freeman's plan, are necessary to provide the city with a complete water works system, and will enable it to proceed at once to meet the demand of consumers and arrange for the largely increased requirements involved in the preparation for, and operation of, the Panama Pacific Exposition. The property of the company not included in this offer, and which forms no part of Mr. Freeman's plan,

has a prospective value that may, in some measure, compensate the stockholders for the sacrifice which, we believe, they would make in selling the property at the price herein proposed.

The offer is made upon the following conditions:

1. The offer is for cash;
2. The offer shall expire on the twentieth day of October, 1912, unless before that date the Supervisors shall have taken the initial proceedings to submit to the voters the proposition to buy the property on the terms herein stated, in which case it shall be in force till January 1, 1913;
3. If this offer is accepted by the necessary two-thirds of the electors, the Board of Supervisors shall, within thirty days thereafter, allow the company to take judgment in all litigation with the city, and the city shall then relieve the company and its sureties from any liability upon the bonds heretofore filed in any litigation between the city and the company; and shall allow the company to withdraw and retain all water rates collected by it since the commencement of the water rate litigation, including the amount of money impounded under order of court;
4. If the offer is accepted through the necessary votes of the people, the purchase must be consummated by March first, 1913. If, at the time of the consummation of the purchase, any installment of taxes levied and assessed for the fiscal year 1912 shall not be delinquent, the sale shall be made subject to the payment of all such taxes by the city and county and the city and county shall pay the same;
5. The issued bonds of the company amount to the sum of \$20,987,000, and bonds not surrendered must be assumed by the city and county, the face value of any non-surrendered bonds to be deducted from the purchase price, interest coupons to be adjusted as of the date of sale;
6. The capital expenditures made by the company after this date are to be added to the purchase price herein fixed, but the company shall discharge all mortgages (other than the lien of its deed of trust) executed by its grantors covering property in Alameda and Santa Clara counties, and included in the terms of this offer;
7. At the time the purchase is closed the city is to pay the company all water rates then accrued for water supplied to the city, and the company is to collect all rates then due from private consumers, and the city will cause itself to be substituted in the place of the company in all litigations then pending, involving the property offered, other than litigation affecting the validity of ordinances establishing water rates, and assume all future re-

sponsibility and expense of such litigation;

8. The company is to convey only such title as it has;

9. If the offer be accepted, water rates to private consumers for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1912, shall be at least 15 per cent in excess of those established by the ordinance which was passed for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1910; and the rate for hydrants shall be \$2.50 per hydrant per month, and these rates shall be maintained until the consummation of the purchase and payment of the purchase price, and the Board of Supervisors shall enact rates accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

SPRING VALLEY WATER COMPANY.

By A. H. PAYSON, 1st Vice-President.

A. H. PAYSON,

FRANK B. ANDERSON,

EDWARD J. McCUTCHEEN,

Committee.

Permission to Raise Danish Flag at Park Band Stand.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From "Helga", Danish Benevolent Society, requesting permission to fly the Danish flag from one of the poles at Park Band Stand during rendition of Danish musical numbers on Sunday, September 22, 1912.

Request granted.

Removal of Bodies of Broderick and Baker From Laurel Hill Cemetery.

Also, *Communication*—From Marshal Hale, relative to removal of bodies of Senator Broderick and Colonel Baker from Laurel Hill Cemetery to some suitable burial place, and the erection of monuments with appropriate ceremonies to honor their memory.

Referred to the Publicity Committee.

Three Eight-Hour Shifts on Street Work.

Also, *Communication*—From Rolla V. Watt, requesting to be advised if street work cannot be done by means of three eight-hour shifts.

Referred to Streets and Sewers Committee.

Twentieth National Irrigation Congress.

Also, *Communication*—From the Twentieth National Irrigation Congress, requesting that appointment of delegates to said congress meeting in Salt Lake City September 30 to October 3, 1912, be given prompt attention.

Referred to Publicity Committee.

Convention of League of California Municipalities.

Also, *Communication*—From City of Berkeley, and League of California Municipalities extending invitation to

attend Fifteenth Annual Convention of said League to be held in Berkeley September 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th and 28th, 1912.

Referred to Publicity Committee.

International Dry Farming Congress.

Also, *Communication*—From The International Dry-Farming Congress, inviting delegates to attend said Congress to be held in Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada, October 21 to October 26, 1912.

Ordered referred to the Publicity Committee.

Extension of Water Mains in Sutro Heights District.

Also, *Communication*—From Sutro Heights Improvement Club, requesting that matter of extension of water mains into the outside districts be prosecuted with as little delay as possible.

Referred to Public Utilities Committee.

Relative to Purchase of Sutro Property.

Also, *Communication*—From Sutro Heights Improvement Club, approving purchase of Sutro property at Cliff House, and suggesting that Sutro Estate permit citizens to inspect baths in order that they may see the improvements that are included in offer.

Ordered referred to Lands and Tunnels Committee.

STATUS OF BERRY STREET.

The following matters were presented by his Honor the Mayor and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, Cal., September 16, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your resolution, adopted September 16th, directing me to furnish you with the latest data concerning the status of Berry street, between Second and Third streets, I beg to transmit to you herewith a copy of my respects to the Honorable Daniel A. Ryan, attorney for the State Board of Harbor Commissioners, under date of September 12th, and also a copy of my respects of same date to the Honorable Percy V. Long, City and County Attorney.

Both Mr. Ryan and Mr. Long have replied to me, as per their original letters attached, which I respectfully submit as my report to the resolution adopted by you at the last meeting of the Board.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

September 12th, 1912.

Hon. Daniel A. Ryan, Attorney for the State Board of Harbor Commissioners, San Francisco, California.

My dear Mr. Ryan:

Your opinion was requested, so I am informed, some weeks ago, on the status of the state's and city's rights in Berry street, between Second and Third streets. On Tuesday last, the 16th instant, the Board of Supervisors passed the following resolution:

"Requesting his Honor the Mayor to furnish this Board with the latest data concerning the status of Berry street, between Second and Third streets."

The question arises by reason of the fact that the Street Committee of the Board of Supervisors have had complaints made to them that Berry street, between the streets named, is blocked by lumber, and is, therefore, impassable for traffic. They want it opened. The roadway of Berry street, between these points, is a wooden wharf supported by piles. It is claimed that the wharf is unsafe for heavy vehicular traffic, owing to the unsoundness of the piles thereunder, through the ravages of the teredo. The lumber in the roadway belongs to the Pope & Talbot Lumber Company, who claim that they are tenants of the state from the bulkhead line of the Channel to the center line on Berry street, and they pay a monthly rental to the state for the discharge, at this point, of vessels with cargoes of lumber.

Hence, the question to be determined is the rights of the state and the city over Berry street. When this point is determined, the next question is, who shall pay for the cost of making Berry street safe, and what is the necessary procedure to bring this about.

If you can favor me with your opinion regarding these points on or before Monday noon, September 16th, so that I can reply intelligently to the Board of Supervisors at their meeting at 2 p. m. of that day, to the resolution directing me to do so, I will feel thankful to you.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor.

San Francisco, September 12th, 1912.
Hon. Percy V. Long, City Attorney,
San Francisco—

Dear Mr. Long:

Re Berry street, between Second and Third streets:

I beg to hand you, herewith, copy of my respects of even date to Honorable Daniel A. Ryan, attorney for the Board of State Harbor Commissioners, which is self-explanatory.

If you can furnish me with any data regarding this case so that I may reply to the Board of Supervisors on Monday next, the 16th instant, I will be very much obliged to you.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor.

San Francisco, September 14, 1912.
Hon. James Rolph Jr., City Hall, San Francisco—

My dear Mayor:

In re Berry street, between Second and Third streets.

You have submitted the following questions to me as attorney for the Board of State Harbor Commissioners, viz:

One: What are the rights of the state and city over Berry street, between Second and Third streets?

Two: Who shall pay the cost of constructing or repairing Berry street, between Second and Third streets?

Three: What is the necessary procedure to bring this about?

Answer to Inquiry One:

(a) It is provided in Section 2524 of the Political Code that said Board of State Harbor Commissioners "shall have authority to use for loading and landing merchandise, with the right to collect dockage, wharfage and tolls thereon, such portion of the streets of the City and County of San Francisco ending or fronting upon the waters of said bay as may be used for such purposes without obstructing the same as thoroughfares."

(b) It is provided in Section 2525 of the Political Code of this state that the Board of State Harbor Commissioners "are authorized to extend any of the streets lying along the water front of said City and County to a width not exceeding one hundred and fifty feet where they have not been already so extended, and until such extensions are made the commissioners may have and use, as a landing place, with full power to collect dockage, wharfage and tolls thereon, so much of the streets now fronting upon the water front as may be used for such purpose without obstructing the same as a thoroughfare."

Answer to Inquiry Two: In my opinion, pursuant to the provisions of Section 2525 of the Political Code, the cost of constructing and repairing Berry street is imposed upon the City and County of San Francisco and upon the owners of lots abutting thereon. This act provides that when streets are extended the outer half must be constructed or built and maintained in good repair by the State Harbor Commissioners or persons holding under them, and that such outer half of such streets may be used as a landing place, etc., on which dockage etc., may be collected.

This act further provides that until such extensions are made, the whole of the street or streets now fronting upon the water front may be used as a landing place and the Commissioners may collect dockage, etc., thereon. It has placed a distinction between the jurisdiction of the Board of State

Harbor Commissioners over a street lying along the water front that has been extended to a width of one hundred and fifty feet, and a street lying along the waterfront that has not been so extended in this, that the Harbor Commissioners have the right to collect duties only on one-half of a street that has been so extended, whereas they have the full power to collect duties on so much of the not extended street as may be used for landing purposes; and in view of the fact of such distinction with regard to jurisdiction, incidentally comes the distinction with regard to costs of maintaining such streets. This act provides that a street not extended may be used as a landing place if this can be done without obstructing the same as a thoroughfare; whereas, incidentally, the outer half of an extended street may be used as a landing place whether such outer half be obstructed as a thoroughfare or not. This is giving the Board of State Harbor Commissioners the wholesome jurisdiction over the outer half of an extended street, and consequently and logically imposing upon said Board the duty of maintaining in good repair such outer half of such street.

It has further made an incidental and obvious distinction with regard to the duty of the Board to repair a portion of an extended street where the Board's jurisdiction is entire, and an absence of any duty imposed upon the Board to maintain an unextended street or any portion thereof, where the jurisdiction of the Board is limited to the use of the street for its purposes without obstructing the same as a thoroughfare.

Answer to Inquiry Three: The necessary procedure to bring about the repair of Berry street is, in my opinion, the same that is followed by the Board of Public Works in the repair of other streets in this city and county.

Not a Street.

As far as I can ascertain, this particular block between Second and Third streets has never become a street of the City and County of San Francisco, either by dedication or through usage (of course usage is a question of fact, and as far as I can find it has never been used as a street), but that is neither here nor there, since it is within the power of the city and county to immediately open the block as a street. The Board of State Harbor Commissioners cannot make streets even on the waterfront. It can only widen them when made, as hereinabove stated. It, therefore, has no power to take the initiative in this matter, but I

am advised by Hon. J. J. Dwyer, president of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners, that the present Board of State Harbor Commissioners has not only been willing, but desirous, that the block in question be opened and traffic in that vicinity of the waterfront thereby greatly accommodated. Why the city has not availed itself of this block many years ago I do not know, nor do I understand why there is any delay at the present time. Respectfully yours,
DANIEL A. RYAN.

September 16, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of your communication in re Berry street, between Second and Third streets, enclosing a copy of a letter sent by you to Mr. Daniel A. Ryan, attorney for the Board of State Harbor Commissioners, requesting me to furnish you with any data which I might have regarding this case in order to enable you to reply to the Board of Supervisors at the meeting of the Board today.

On August 30, 1909, the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution No. 4356 (New Series), instructing the City Attorney to report to the Board of Supervisors the status of the case against Pope & Talbot regarding the title to that portion of Berry street claimed by them lying between Second and Third streets.

In response to said resolution I rendered a comprehensive report under date of January 21, 1910, to said Board, setting forth all of the facts in connection with the litigation between the City and County of San Francisco and Pope & Talbot regarding Berry street. I pointed out to the Board that Berry street, at that time and since, was forty-seven feet six inches in width, and that there was nothing to prevent the proper authorities from proceeding to remove all obstructions therefrom. On March 25, 1912, the Board of Supervisors adopted Journal Resolution No. 136, which reads as follows:

"Whereas, The roadway of Berry street, between Second and Third streets, and the roadway and sidewalk of Second street from Townsend street to the waterfront, are being used for the storage of lumber; and

"Whereas, The said obstructions have existed for years, despite efforts to secure their removal; now, therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to cause the removal of the lumber from said streets and sidewalk forthwith, and also requested to grant no extensions of time; and be it further

"Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is also requested to cause the removal of the curbs that were laid on the westerly side of Second street in front of the entrance to Berry street when said Second street was recently paved."

On May 13, 1912, the Board of Supervisors, on motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher, adopted Journal Resolution No. 222, as follows:

"Resolved, That the president of this Board be requested to ascertain from the Board of Public Works why said Board has not complied with the provisions of Journal Resolution No. 136, adopted March 25, 1912, wherein and whereby the Board of Public Works was requested to cause the removal of the lumber from the roadway of Berry street between Second and Third streets, and to grant no extensions of time."

On September 10, 1912, the Board of Supervisors adopted Journal Resolution No. 382, as follows:

"Resolved, That his Honor, the Mayor, be requested to furnish this Board with the latest data concerning the status of Berry street between Second and Third streets."

On June 20, 1912, I received a communication from John S. Dunnigan, clerk of the Board of Supervisors, transmitting a copy of a letter from you to the Board of Supervisors, under date of June 17, 1912. Upon the receipt of said communication I communicated with Daniel A. Ryan, attorney for the Board of State Harbor Commissioners, calling his attention to the fact that the firm of Pope & Talbot claimed that they were occupying a portion of Berry street, between Second and Third streets, under a lease from the Board of State Harbor Commissioners, paying a monthly rental of about six hundred (\$600) dollars. I pointed out to Mr. Ryan that, in my opinion, the Board of State Harbor Commissioners had no right to lease said portion of Berry street to any one. I suggested to Mr. Ryan that said lease should be terminated by the Board of State Harbor Commissioners, thus eliminating the claim of Pope & Talbot under said lease. Mr. Ryan promised to take the matter up with the Board of State Harbor Commissioners and let me know what action was taken, but up to the present time I have received no word from him.

I would suggest that a resolution be adopted by the Board of Supervisors requesting the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to terminate the lease between said Board and the Pope & Talbot Lumber Co. A resolution of that character would bring the matter officially to the attention of the Board of State Harbor Com-

missioners, and would probably result in some early action and clear the way for the settlement and determination of all questions at issue, including the question as to the respective rights of the city and county and of the State in and to that portion of Berry street, and the question of how much of said street should be kept in order by the city and the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

As to the present condition of the piling under Berry street, between Second and Third streets, and what is necessary to be done in order to place said street in a safe condition for vehicular traffic, these are matters to be determined by the engineering department of the City and County of San Francisco.

Yours truly,
PERCY V. LONG,
City Attorney.

RELATIVE TO REDUCTION OF INSURANCE RATES.

His Honor Mayor Rolph, at this time in the proceedings, requested that the matter of the reduction of insurance rates be taken up out of order. He asked if Mr. E. H. Mohrhardt, secretary of the Board of Fire Underwriters, or any member of the executive committee of the Board of Fire Underwriters was present in the chambers and received no reply. The Mayor then stated that although the above named gentlemen had been invited to attend they had not seen fit to do so. He read, however, a letter from Bernard Faymonville of the Board of Fire Underwriters, stating that the notice given of the meeting was too short for them to ascertain the facts concerning the insurance business in San Francisco.

Thereupon, his Honor the Mayor called attention to advertisements published by the Board of Fire Underwriters in Sunday's papers, in which it was stated that the Mayor had not given the people the true facts in the case and that lower rates were not justified by the condition of the high pressure system.

Mayor Rolph then read the correspondence that had passed between his office and that of the Board of Fire Underwriters and called attention to his efforts as president of the Mission Promotion Association as far back as 1908 to bring about a reduction in fire insurance rates.

He declared that he had asked the Board of Fire Underwriters for a list of insurance companies doing business in San Francisco April 1, 1906, similar data for December, 1911, and a statement showing premiums charged in proportion to losses sustained in San Francisco as against other cities in the

United States. He declared that as a result of his courteous request he was attacked in the newspapers and he declared that it was high time that the Board of Supervisors took up the question seriously and saw that the people of San Francisco got justice.

He challenged the Board of Fire Underwriters to produce the data required and claimed that the facts in the case and the last report of the Board of Underwriters will show that San Francisco risks are desirable, that more insurance is being written here now than in 1906, and that it is being written at rates out of all reason. He stated that in his opinion the insurance companies are gouging the people of San Francisco in continuing to charge high rates of insurance for the purpose of getting back the losses of 1906. The law of insurance business is the law of averages. If your house burns down today you are not charged a higher rate on your new house to enable the insurance company to get back what it paid as losses on the old. Neither should San Francisco be obliged to pay in high rates for the losses of the insurance companies in 1906.

Privilege of the Floor.

Matt. I. Sullivan was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that while the average rate in New York was .68 per cent and in Baltimore 1 per cent, the rate in San Francisco was nearly 2 per cent. He declared that every man, woman and child in San Francisco was paying on an average \$11.94 annually to the insurance companies, while in New York the average was \$4.20. He believed that the Board of Fire Underwriters is in its nature an illegal combination in restraint of trade and should be prosecuted as such. He submitted drafts of the following entitled bills for the approval of the Board which he said would be introduced in the next legislature, making it a criminal offense for insurance companies to combine, as in the Board of Fire Underwriters, for the purpose of increasing or keeping up high insurance rates.

He thereupon presented the following entitled bills which were ordered referred to the Judiciary Committee:

An Act to Prevent Insurance Combinations.

"An act to protect the public against combinations, conspiracies and agreements among insurers, whereby rates of insurance are fixed or charged, and to discourage monopoly and encourage competition among persons, firms, corporations and associations engaged in the business of insurance."

Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

An Act to Promote Free Competition in Insurance Business.

"An act to promote free competition among those engaged in the business of insurance in this State, by prohibiting combinations among two or more persons, firms or corporations, partnerships or associations, or any two or more of them, for the purposes of fixing or regulating rates of insurance, or fixing or regulating the amount of commissions or compensation to be paid to or allowed agents or brokers for securing insurance, or regulating the manner in which the business of insurance shall be transacted in this State, or in any county, city and county, city or other legal subdivision thereof."

Thos. R. Murphy, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, stated that of the Auxiliary Water System there was now installed and in use fifty-four miles of pipe with 645 hydrants, sixteen miles of pipe nearly ready for service and seventy miles of pipe contracted for. He declared further that the Second and Townsend street pumping station could pump into this system 12,000 gallons per minute, and that each of the fire boats could pump 11,000 gallons per minute additional; also that there were eighty-eight cisterns in commission. He declared further that all the large buildings have private water supplies on the roofs which could be connected with the city's fire-fighting apparatus.

Assistant City Engineer Ransome was also granted the privilege of the floor, and stated that the fire protection afforded in San Francisco is as extensive as any in the country, and that when Fort Mason pumping station and others which were installed to guard against earthquake contingencies are considered San Francisco is better protected than any other city in the country.

Approving and Endorsing Mayor's Endeavors to Secure Lower Insurance Rates.

Thereupon, the following resolution was introduced by Supervisors *Gianini* and *A. J. Gallagher* and adopted: J. R. No. 387.

Whereas, There appeared in the morning papers certain statements over the signature of *Mr. E. H. Mohrhardt*, Secretary of the Underwriters, which are incorrect and calculated to mislead the citizens of this city, and

Whereas, The records of the Board of Public Works show that the City and County of San Francisco has, during the past four years, expended approximately five million of dollars in securing protection for the property of its citizens from destruction by fire, and

Whereas, The statement of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department that

the additional fire protection now available makes San Francisco one of the best fire risks in the world;

Be it therefore Resolved by the Board of Supervisors, That in its opinion the publication of the above mentioned statement was unwarranted, and that this Board reiterates that the time is at hand for the fulfillment of the promises made to the people of this city; and the Board of Underwriters and insurance companies doing business in this community are requested to make consistent reductions in the cost of insurance; and be it further

Resolved, That the course of his Honor the Mayor in his endeavors to secure relief from extortionate insurance charges is approved and endorsed, and he is requested by this Board to continue his efforts in such direction as his judgment may dictate—this Board assuring him of its heartiest co-operation and support.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which matters were received, read and ordered filed:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, chairman.

Public Health Committee, by Supervisor Caglieri, chairman.

Judiciary Committee, by Supervisor Murphy, chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee, by Supervisor Mauzy, chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, chairman.

Public Utilities Committee by Supervisor Vogelsang, chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Koshland, chairman.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Police Telephone Standards.

Proposals for furnishing thirty cast iron police box standards to the Department of Electricity were received, opened, read and referred to the Supplies Committee, to wit:

1. Vulcan Iron Works, \$1360, \$40 each additional; certified check, \$136.
2. Rudgear-Merle Co., \$1320, \$40 each additional; certified check, \$180.

Ordered referred to Supplies Committee.

HEARING OF PROTESTS STOCKTON STREET TUNNEL.

The hearing of protests of property owners in the matter of the construction of a tunnel in Stockton street, from Sutter to Sacramento street, fixed by Resolution No. 9632 (New Series), for 3 p. m., September 4, 1912, and laid over until this date, was proceeded with.

Adopted.

Thereupon, the following resolutions were introduced by Supervisor Mauzy and adopted by the following vote:

Correcting Proceedings of Board of Supervisors of August 26, 1912.

Resolution No. 9663 (New Series).

Resolved, That the "Journal of Proceedings of the Board of Supervisors" showing the proceedings had by said Board on Monday, August 26th, 1912, in the matter of the construction of a tunnel in Stockton street between Sutter street and Sacramento street, be and the same is hereby amended and corrected so as to truly and correctly set forth the facts and proceedings had in said matter, in the following particulars, to-wit:

1. Immediately following the text of Resolution No. 9632 (New Series), set forth in said Journal, insert the following:

"Thereupon by direction of the Board, the Clerk read all of the protests filed with the Board of Supervisors to said new report of the Board of Public Works, viz.:

No. 1. Protest of Thomas S. Doliver, filed August 1st, 1912.

No. 2. Protest of British Benevolent Society, a corporation, filed August 9th, 1912.

No. 3. Protest of John Zeeman and Margaret M. Zeeman, filed August 9th, 1912.

No. 4. Protest of Margaret E. Lees, filed August 9th, 1912.

No. 5. Protest of Nathaniel Ellery, filed August 10th, 1912.

No. 6. Protest of Annie L. Turner, filed August 12th, 1912.

No. 7. Protest of Robson & Sattler, filed August 12th, 1912.

No. 8. Protest of Hug Estate Company, a corporation, filed August 12th, 1912.

No. 9. Protest of Berteo Investment Company, a corporation, filed August 12th, 1912.

No. 10. Protest of Portola Realty Company, a corporation, filed August 12th, 1912.

No. 11. Protest of W. C. Greer and C. M. Greer and Winnie Sharp, filed August 12th, 1912.

No. 12. Protest of Tillie Lewin, filed August 12th, 1912.

No. 13. Protest of E. A. Heron, filed August 15th, 1912.

No. 14. Protest of Edouard Mandonnnet, filed August 26th, 1912.

As each protest was read the protestant or protestants therein named were given an opportunity to be heard in support of said protest, and the following protestants availed themselves thereof and were given the privilege of the floor and were heard.

2. After the statement by W. McCarthy, as shown in said statement, insert the following:

"None of the other protestants appeared either in person or by attorney or made any showing in respect to his said protest.

"Thereupon the Chairman invited any person who had any objection to make to any matter contained in the report of the Board of Public Works to state his objection and to be heard in relation thereto, but no person made any other or further objection or asked for a hearing."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Ratifying and Approving Construction Placed on Resolution No. 9664 (New Series) by Board of Public Works and Amending Said Resolution Accordingly.

Also, Resolution No. 9664 (New Series).

Whereas, In accordance with Resolution No. 9632 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors, adopted August 26, 1912, in the matter of the construction of a tunnel in Stockton street, pursuant to Resolution of Intention No. 8818 (New Series), the Board of Public Works has this day filed with the Board of Supervisors the mathematical calculation necessary to make its said new report conform to said modifications specified in said Resolution No. 9632 (New Series); and in order to make the same more conveniently and clearly appear has made a fair copy, and has re-engrossed said new report showing the said modifications aforesaid; and said Board of Public Works in making said mathematical calculation, having construed and understood said Resolution No. 9632 (New Series) to mean that the additional damages provided for by said proposed modifications should be provided for by distributing said increased amount pro rata to each parcel of land within said districts of land described in said Resolution of Intention thereby increasing the total amount of the benefits which each of the respective subdivisions or parcels of land within the

territory of the districts described in said Resolution of Intention will receive from and by the construction of said tunnel so that the total amount of said estimated benefits will equal the total amount of the itemized estimate of the cost of said tunnel including damages to property and incidental expenses; all of which including each increased proposed assessment is shown in and by said report of the Board of Public Works as so modified as aforesaid and re-engrossed; and

Whereas, Certain questions have arisen respecting the "plans, profiles, cross-sections and general specifications of the work required for the completion of such tunnel", as shown in Part I of said new report,

Resolved that the said construction put upon said Resolution No. 9632 (New Series) by said Board of Public Works and the action taken by said Board of Public Works on said Resolution Number 9632 (New Series) are hereby ratified and approved, and that said Resolution No. 9632 (New Series) be and the same is hereby amended accordingly and to conform to said construction and action thereon by said Board of Public Works, as aforesaid; and that the Board of Supervisors intends to and will pass upon and decide and determine the question as to whether the benefits to accrue from such proposed tunnel construction is in each and every case equal to the amount stated by said Board of Public Works in said mathematical calculation and re-engrossed report at the next hearing of this matter as hereinafter provided for; and will at the same time and place consider and pass upon and decide and determine any objections to or suggested changes or modifications in said "plans, profiles, cross-sections and general specifications of the work required for the completion of such tunnel", as shown in Part I in said new report; and that the further hearing of this matter be, and the same is hereby continued until Monday, the 23rd day of September, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m. in the same place.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Action Deferred.

Whereupon, Superior Mauzy announced that although the report of the Board of Public Works had been submitted, he desired to postpone the hearing, and accordingly moved that the hearing be postponed until September 23, 1912, at 3 p. m.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up and finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9665 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

Hall of Justice, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Ferrolite Company, extra work, general construction, City and County Jail (claim dated Aug. 12, 1912)..... \$847.00
Caldwell & Co., final payment, general construction, Hall of Justice (claim dated Dec. 11, 1912) 4,200.00

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Sun Tent and Awning Co., canvas covers, Dept. of Elections (claim dated Aug. 13, 1912) \$950.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

General Electric Construction Co., final payment, electric work, Lowell High School (claim dated Aug. 5, 1912) \$1,529.55

San Francisco Hospital, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

W. P. Fuller & Co., 2nd payment, glass and glazing, S. F. Hospitals (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912) \$3,699.00

General Fund, 1912-1913.

City Street Improvement Co., covering Jackson Park playground (claim dated Aug. 29, 1912) 830.90

A. G. Spalding & Bro., playground paraphernalia (claim dated Aug. 29, 1912)..... 530.00

Miller & Lux Inc., meat, Relief Home (claim dated July 31, 1912) 1,878.85

Sherry-Freitas Company Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912). 1,333.69

Sherry-Freitas Company Inc., groceries, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912). 1,277.99

Peter Cauby, milk, City and County Hospital (claim dated July 31, 1912)..... 664.95

Miller & Lux Inc., meats, City and County Hospital (claim dated July 31, 1912)..... 541.11

Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, Relief Home (claim dated July 31, 1912) 1,033.42

Sherry-Freitas Co. Inc., gro-

ceries, Tuberculosis Hospital (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912). 606.34

Water Construction Fund, July 1, 1910.

J. H. Dockweiler, investigation water supply sources (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)..... \$638.08

J. F. English, for U. S. Dept. of Interior (Resolution 9624) (claim dated Aug. 29, 1912) 945.00

J. C. Branner, investigation of water supply (claim dated Aug. 23, 1912)..... 1,767.65

Cyril Williams Jr., investigation water supply (claim dated Aug. 30, 1912)..... 1,487.97

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Spring Valley Water Co., water for public buildings (claim dated Aug. 28, 1912) \$2,062.36

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. 9666 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:

For Special Emergency Sanitary Measures, Budget Item No. 382a.

To be expended by the Board of Health for the continuance of special sanitation measures, for the months of September, October and November, at the rate of \$1250 per month \$3,750.00

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For repairs to Fire Department buildings during month of September..... \$1,500.00

For repairs to Police Department buildings during month of September..... 500.00

For repairs to Isolation Hospital 345.00

For repairs to other buildings during month of September 1,160.00

For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets during month of September 45,000.00

For reconstruction of and repairs to sewers during September 12,000.00

For paying the city's portion of the cost of constructing a sewer in 38th avenue between Fulton and Cabrillo streets, and in the intersection of 38th ave-

nue and Fulton street....	161.25
For paying the city's portion of paving the crossing of 29th avenue and Clement street, under private contract, by J. J. Dowling & Co.	420.00
For paying the city's portion of paving the crossing of 30th avenue and Clement street, under private contract, by J. J. Dowling & Co.	495.00

Sewer Construction Account, Bond Issue 1908.

For preparation of plans and specifications and inspection of 1908 bond sewers..\$10,000.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

For preparation of plans and specifications and inspection of auxiliary fire protection system\$15,000.00

For Reconstruction, Repairs, Etc., of School Department Buildings, Budget Item No. 551.

For repairs to school buildings during month of September\$2,000.00

For Expense of Cleaning Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 553.

For cleaning and sprinkling streets during month of September\$27,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Paving of Geary Street, from Kearny Street to Van Ness Avenue, and Appropriating \$35,000 Therefor.

Also, Resolution No. 9667 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the paving of Geary street from Kearny street to Van Ness avenue and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment for the same the sum of \$35,000.00 out of Budget Item No. 549, "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, etc."; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the paving of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,

Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Sewers in Brannan Street, Between First Street and Central Place, and Appropriating \$46,000 Therefor.

Also, Resolution No. 9668 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Brannan street between First street and Central place, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment for the same the sum of \$46,000.00 out of the proceeds of sale of Sewer Bonds, issue of 1904; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the construction of said sewers that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9669 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Michael Murphy be and he is hereby granted an extension of time to and including September 11, 1912, within which to complete contract No. 50 of the Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection.

Further Resolved, That the advertising fee for printing this resolution be and the same is hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Noes—Supervisors Giannini, Koshland—2.

Oil, Incinerator and Dyeing and Cleaning Permits.

Resolution No. 9670 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Oil Storage Tanks.

John Sheehy Co., Inc., south side of Geary street, 112 feet 6 inches east of Polk street.

George X. Wendling, east side of Broderick street, 45 feet north of Haight street.

Mrs. H. C. Bayies, south side of Hugo street east of Third avenue.

Incinerator.

Hale Bros. Inc., south corner of Fifth and Market streets.

Dyeing and Cleaning Works.

A. Matsumoto, 1443-45 Pacific avenue.

D. A. Sullivan, 2673 Sacramento street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9671 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

George A. Hannon, rear of 1608 Treat avenue, for two horses.

Chris Schmidt, in Vesta street, between Williams and Thornton avenues (adjoining 49 Vesta street), for one horse.

Joe Lo Duka, rear of 372-374 Capital avenue, for one horse.

Biaggio Locarbo, rear of 137 Arlington street, for one horse.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Approving Award of Lease, School Lot, Washington Street.

The following Bill, heretofore *passed for printing*, was taken up:

Bill No. 2242. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving award of lease made by Board of Education to James C. Bach for rental of school lots situate in Block No. 123, Western Addition, south side of Washington street, 137 feet 6 inches west of Franklin street."

Privilege of the Floor.

W. Kelly, attorney representing one Jesse Hannah, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that his client would appreciably increase the price bid if the Bill was refused final passage and the lease readvertised.

Refused Passage.

Whereupon, the question being taken on the above entitled Bill the same was refused passage by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Jennings, Mauzy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—5.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.

Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Nolan, Vogelsang—13.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Declaratory Ordinance, Municipal Telephone System.

Bill No. 2242. Ordinance No. 2015 (New Series), Determining and declaring that the public interest requires the acquisition, construction and completion by the City and County of San Francisco of a telephone system to be maintained and operated by said City and County, together with necessary lands and buildings to be used in connection therewith and directing the Board of Public Works to procure through the City Engineer plans and estimates of cost of original construction and completion of such telephone system including the lands and buildings necessary therefor.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follow:

Section 1. It is hereby recited that on the 29th day of March, 1912, a special election was held in the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of determining (among other things) the question of said City and County acquiring a telephone system and the issuance of bonds therefor; that at said election more than a majority of the voters of the City and County voting thereat, voted in favor of the acquisition of a telephone system and the issuance of bonds therefor. That such election was held by virtue of a petition requesting such election to be held, duly made and filed as required by Chapter III of Article XI of the Charter of the City and County.

Section 2. It is hereby determined and specifically declared that the public interest requires the acquisition, construction and completion by the City and County of San Francisco of a telephone system, to be maintained and operated by said City and County, together with the necessary lands and buildings necessary for the operation thereof.

Section 3. The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to procure through the City Engineer, and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of original construction and completion of a telephone system together with the buildings necessary for the operation thereof and the estimated cost of the necessary lands to be acquired for such buildings.

Section 4. This Ordinance is the first of a series of ordinances to be adopted

by the Board of Supervisors under and by virtue of which it is proposed that a bonded indebtedness will be created for the purpose herein stated.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Approving and Accepting Deed From Oscar Heyman & Bro. for Opening of Sears Street.

Bill No. 2243, Ordinance No. 2016 (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting a deed to lands from Oscar Heyman & Brother (a corporation), to the City and County of San Francisco, for the opening of Sears street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Oscar Heyman & Bro., Blocks 8 and 21, West End Map No. 2.

Bill No. 2244, Ordinance No. 2017 (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the Official Map of Oscar Heyman & Brother's Subdivision of a part of Block No. 8 and all of Block No. 21 of West End Map No. 2."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2245, Ordinance No. 2018 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Masonic avenue, between Fulton and McAllister streets; crossing of Fulton street and Masonic avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Establishing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2246, Ordinance No. 2019 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Houston street, between Columbus avenue and Jones street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2247, Ordinance No. 2020 (New Series), entitled, "Estab-

lishing grades on Cabrillo street, between Forty-ninth avenue and the Great Highway."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2248, Ordinance No. 2021 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Balboa street, between La Playa street and the Great Highway."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2249, Ordinance No. 2022 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Twelfth avenue, between Santiago and Taraval streets; on Thirteenth avenue, between Santiago and Ulloa streets; on Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues, between Pacheco and Ulloa streets; on Sixteenth avenue, between Ortega and Ulloa streets; on Pacheco street, between Fifteenth and Seventeenth avenues; on Quintara street, between Thirteenth and Seventeenth avenues; on Rivera street, between Thirteenth and Sixteenth avenues; on Taraval street, between Twelfth and Seventeenth avenues, and on Ulloa street, between Thirteenth and Seventeenth avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2250, Ordinance No. 2023 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto new sections to be numbered four hundred and eighty-two to four hundred and eighty-four, inclusive," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Canal street, between Mission street and its easterly termination at nine (9) feet; the width of sidewalks on Trumbull street, between Mission street and its easterly termination, at nine (9) feet; the width of sidewalks on Maynard street, between Mission street and its easterly termination, at nine (9) feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2251, Ordinance No. 2024 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and eighty-one," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Cuvier street, between Bosworth street and the Southern Pacific Railroad right of way, at ten (10) feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2252, Ordinance No. 2025 (New Series), Ordering the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit:

The provisions of which order the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to-wit:

That 8 and 12-inch iron stone pipe sewers, with appurtenances, be constructed in Edna street, between Flood and Staples avenues, and in the crossings of said streets.

That an asphalt pavement be constructed in Diamond street, between Bosworth street and Joost avenue, except that portion required by law to be kept in repair by the railroad company having tracks thereon.

That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Casselli avenue, between Douglass and Clover streets, on Folsom street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, and on Sutter street, between Jones and Leavenworth streets, where not already constructed.

That a 12-inch iron stone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Rhode Island street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets.

That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Lake street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth avenues, and in the crossing of Lake street and Twenty-fifth avenue.

That 8, 15 and 18-inch iron stone pipe sewers, with appurtenances, be constructed in the crossing of Eighteenth avenue and Anza street.

That granite curbs and a bituminous rock pavement, with a central strip of basalt blocks, be constructed in Coleridge street, between Esmeralda and Fair avenue.

That granite curbs and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed in San Bruno avenue, between Wayland and Woolsey streets, and on San Bruno avenue, between Bacon and Wayland

streets, and between Fellows and Burrows streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$73,539.86 and numbered consecutively 24,909 to 25,522, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Elmer Carlson, final payment, general construction, Lowell High School (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)..... \$35,526.63

Elmer Carlson, extra work, Lowell High School (claim dated Aug. 28, 1912)..... 968.05

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Payne Bolt Works, bolts, tie rods, etc. (claim dated Aug. 26, 1912)..... \$564.97

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland, repaving over sidewalk trenches (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912)..... \$1,333.10

Duplicate Tax Fund.

Charles G. Lyman (claim dated Sept. 7, 1912)..... \$1,202.12

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1908.

C. E. Grunsky, water supply investigation (claim dated

Sept. 1, 1912).....	\$787.29
<i>General Fund, 1911-1912.</i>	
Sun Tent & Awning Co. canvas covers, Department of Elections (claim dated June 30, 1912).....	\$950.00
<i>Repairs to Streets Fund.</i>	
E. B. & A. L. Stone, paving gravel (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)	928.50
Antioch Sand Co., sand, Department of Public Works (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	737.30
Pacific Portland Cement Co., lime dust, Department of Public Works (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912).....	2,406.92
Antioch Sand Co., sand, Department of Public Works (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912)	744.05
<i>General Fund 1912-1913.</i>	
The S. F. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, impounding, feeding, etc., of animals (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912).....	\$850.00
The S. F. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, impounding, feeding, etc., of animals (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912).....	850.00
D. A. White, as Chief of Police, contingent allowance (claim dated September 1, 1912)	666.66
J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Police Patrol (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)	638.69
Ellers Music Co., piano, Relief Home (claim dated Aug. 26, 1912).....	756.00
Jas. Otis, Trustee of Whitcomb Estate, rent, temporary City Hall (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912).....	5,250.00
Frank O'Shea, teaming, Playground Commission (claim dated Sept. 12, 1912).....	595.75
Rincon Publishing Company, public documents (claim dated Sept. 12, 1912).....	811.83
The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912)	3,775.85
The Boys and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912)	726.72
Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin county, Cal., maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912).....	1,938.97
The Catholic Humane Bureau, maintenance of minors (claim dated July 31, 1912)	4,245.30

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912)	1,218.86
Sister Mary Caine, Supt. Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated July 31, 1912).....	1,026.96
Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated July 31, 1912)	749.60

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Accepting Statements of United Railroads.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9672 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the statements heretofore filed by the United Railroads of San Francisco showing the following percentages of gross receipts from passenger fares to be due City under the terms of the franchises of said United Railroads, be and the same are hereby accepted, to wit:

Parnassus avenue extension of the Hayes street line, for period, June 15th, 1912, to August 31st, 1912.....	\$409.93
Gough Street Railroad Company, April 1st, 1912, to August 31st, 1912.....	147.63
Parkside Transit Company, April 1st, 1912, to August 31st, 1912	597.38

Further Resolved, That the United Railroads of San Francisco is hereby directed to deposit with the Treasurer of the City and County the hereinabove mentioned sums, the same to be placed to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Baneroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, ?Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Appropriations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Geary Street Railway Fund, bond issue July 1, 1910, for the following purposes, to wit:

For purchase of nine thousand first-class redwood cross ties, as per bid of Julius Heyman Company..	\$7,000.00
For purchase of eighteen thousand tie plates, as per bid of Eccles and Smith Company	2,350.00

For furnishing and installing electric conductors and appurtenances, as per bid of John G. Sutton Company, and cost of inspection and possible bonus	66,000.00
For purchase of copper wire, as per bid of John G. Sutton Company, and cost of inspection	3,300.00
For purchase of copper wire bonds, as per bid of The United States Steel Products Company, and cost of inspection	1,650.00
For purchase of tie rods and nuts, as per bid of the Payne Bolt Works, and cost of inspection	700.00

Oil, Garage and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

George D. Stone, 119 Sacramento street, capacity 1500 gallons.

City and County of San Francisco, northeast corner of O'Farrell and Scott streets, capacity 2000 gallons.

Garages.

Bert Perry, north side of Geary street 32 feet 6 inches west of Twelfth avenue.

Albert A. Rhine, south side of Geary street 187 feet 6 inches west of Jones street.

Boilers.

City and County of San Francisco, northeast corner of O'Farrell and Scott streets, for two boilers of 100 horsepower each.

Frye & Company, 119 Sacramento street, ten horsepower.

John Larraburu, 365 Third avenue, one and one-half horsepower.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Denying Laundry and Boiler Permit.

J. R. No. 388.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied J. P. Mirassou to maintain a laundry and boiler in premises situate at No. 3031 Twenty-second street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Reduction in Insurance Rates.

Also J. R. No. 389.

Whereas, A large component part of the Auxiliary Water System for

Fire Protection has been installed and is now in service; therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to confer with the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific for the purpose of bringing about a reduction of insurance rates in this city, said Board of Underwriters having promised that a material reduction in insurance rates would be made upon the installation of an auxiliary water system for fire protection.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Giannini and passed for printing by the following vote:

Laundry Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted Wong Hang to maintain a laundry in premises at the northeast corner of Twentieth avenue and Balboa street, in strict accordance with the fire and sanitary laws and regulations of the Fire Department and Board of Health; and be it

Further Resolved, That Journal Resolution No. 336 is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hayden—2.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Denying Stable Permits.

J. R. No. 390.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the following persons to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

Vittorio Noce, for one horse, in the rear of 371 Paris street.

William Freitas, for two horses, in the rear of 520 Brazil avenue.

James Folev, for six horses, at 1504 Folsom street.

Otto A. Roos, for 10 horses, at 39-41 Tehama street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Denying Stable Permit.

J. R. No. 391.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Jeremiah Kenny, to maintain a stable for twelve horses at 1613 Turk street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Providing for Special Election for Charter Amendments.

J. R. No. 392.

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors will call a special election to be held on the 26th day of November, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of the City and County of San Francisco proposal amendments to the Charter of said City and County.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Intention of Board of Supervisors to Submit Charter Amendment Providing That Present Employees of County Offices Shall Hold Positions Under Civil Service Without Examination.

Supervisor Murphy presented:

J. R. No. 393.

Resolved, That it the intention of the Board of Supervisors to submit to the voters of the City and County of San Francisco, at a special election to be held on the 26th day of November, 1912, an amendment to the Charter of said City and County, providing among other matters that the present employees of the County offices shall hold their present positions under the Civil Service provisions of the Charter.

Privilege of the Floor.

E. Walcott, Civil Service Commissioner, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, opposing the adoption of the resolution, stating that he looked upon such proceedings as special legislation. He did not believe it was fair to other citizens to permit present employees to obtain a life-long position under Civil Service without passing an examination to prove their fitness. He declared that the Civil Service Commission had agreed that if present employees took examination and obtained 75 per cent therein they would retain their positions and be certified to under Civil Service.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken the above resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

No—Supervisor Murdock—1.

Action Deferred.

The following matter was taken up and on motion *laid over one week*:

Approving Assignment of Lease of G. F. Bernard to School Property at Taylor and Vallejo Streets to the Russian Hill Improvement Company.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, That the Board of Education has given its consent in writing to the assignment by G. F. Bernard to The Russian Hill Improvement Co. (a corporation), of that certain lease made and entered into between the Board of Education and said G. F. Bernard, wherein the said Board of Education leased to the said G. F. Bernard for a period of thirty-five (35) years from February 1, 1912, that certain lot of land situate in the City and County of San Francisco, being the northeast corner of Taylor and Vallejo streets; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said consent of the Board of Education to said assignment is hereby approved; and be it

Further Resolved, That the action of said Board of Education in extending the time to construct a building under the terms of lease granted said G. F. Bernard to February 24, 1914, is hereby approved.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Clerk to Advertise for Bids for Lease of Fire Department Land on Brenham Place.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

J. R. No. 394.

Whereas, a communication was filed by F. B. Worley in behalf of clients expressing a desire to lease from the City for a term of years the certain property of the City situate at Brenham Place between Clay and Washington streets, and vested in the control of the Fire Department; and

Whereas, a communication has been filed by the Board of Fire Commissioners advising that the said property is not required by the Fire Department at the present time, and recommending that the same be offered for lease; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to advertise a proposal notice inviting bids for the leasing of the said above described property in accordance with the provisions of the Charter.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-

lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 395.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas & Electric Company be instructed to install arc lamps at the following locations:

Thirteenth avenue between California and Lake streets.

Southwest corner of Hermann street and Laguna street.

Also install gas lamps at—

South side of Market street between Thirteenth and Dolores streets.

Northwest corner of Reservoir and Market streets.

Also, to remove the gas lamp at the northeast corner of Laguna and Hermann streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Accepting Offer of Lena Wahmuth to Sell For \$35,067.46 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9673 (New Series); as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Lena Wahmuth to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Lena Wahmuth to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances.

For the purchase of said land	\$35,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed	67.46

\$35,067.46

Is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Polk street with the northerly line of Grove street; running thence easterly along said northerly line of Grove street 82 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 68 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle westerly 82 feet 6 inches, to the easterly

line of Polk street; thence at a right angle southerly and along said easterly line of Polk street 68 feet 6 inches to said northerly line of Grove street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the city and county upon payment of the agreed purchase price aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$35,067.46 to Lena Wahmuth for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of thirty-five thousand and sixty-seven dollars and forty-six cents (\$35,067.46) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account, in payment to Lena Wahmuth as purchase price of a lot of land required for Civic Center purposes, situate at the intersection of the easterly line of Polk street with the northerly line of Grove street; of dimensions 82 feet 6 inches by 68 feet 6 inches. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3, as follows:

For purchase of said land,	\$35,000.00
Rebate of taxes for current fiscal year allowed	67.46

\$35,067.46

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of Catherine Cooney to Sell for \$11,273.62 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9674 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Catherine Cooney to

convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Catherine Cooney to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances,

For the purchase of said land	\$11,250.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed	23.62

\$11,273.62

Is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northerly line of Grove street, distant thereon 184 feet easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue; running thence easterly along said northerly line of Grove street 30 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 30 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line of Grove street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the city and county upon payment of the agreed purchase price aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$11,273.62 to Catherine Cooney for Certain Property Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of eleven thousand two hundred and sixty-three dollars and sixty-two

cents (\$11,263.62) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Bonds Account," in payment to Catherine Cooney, as purchase price of a lot of land required for Civic Center purposes, situate on the northerly line of Grove street, distant thereon 184 feet easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue, of dimensions 30 feet frontage by a uniform depth of 120 feet. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67.

For purchase of said land, \$11,250.00	
Rebate of taxes for current fiscal year allowed	23.62

\$11,273.62

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of Geo. A. Webster to Sell Certain Land Required for Oriental School Purposes for \$24,000.

Resolution No. 9675 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from George A. Webster to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 136, the said land being required for the Oriental School site; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of George A. Webster to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all incumbrances, for the sum of twenty-four thousand (\$24,000.00) dollars, is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Washington street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches westerly from the westerly line of Stockton street; running thence westerly along the southerly line of Washington street 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle easterly 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 137 feet 6 inches to the southerly line of Washington street and the point of commencement. Being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 136.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of

his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the city and county upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$24,000 to George A. Webster for Certain Land Required as Site for Oriental School.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty-four thousand (\$24,000.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the School Construction Account, Bond Issue 1908, in payment to George A. Webster, as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the southerly line of Washington street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches westerly from Stockton street, of dimensions 137 feet 6 inches by 137 feet 6 inches. Being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 136, required as a site for the Oriental School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of W. T. Worthington to Sell for \$1175 Certain Land in Glen Park District, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9676 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from W. T. Worthington, agent for the Crocker Estate Company, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being lots 2 and 3 in Block H of Glen Park Terrace, the said land being required for Fire Department purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of W. T. Worthington, agent for the Crocker Estate Company, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free from all incumbrances, for the sum of eleven hun-

dred and seventy-five dollars (\$1175.00) is hereby accepted, the said land being Lots Nos. 2 and 3 in Block H of Glen Park Terrace.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$1175 to W. T. Worthington for Certain Land in Glen Park District, Required for Fire Department Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of eleven hundred and seventy-five (\$1175.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of Budget item 1912-13, "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes", in payment to W. T. Worthington, agent for Crocker Estate Company, as purchase price of lot of land, being Lots Nos. 2 and 3 in Block H of Glen Park Terrace, required as land for Fire Department purposes.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Refunding of Pro-rata of Taxes Paid by C. F. Townsend on Land Recently Acquired for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9677 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$55.86 is hereby authorized to be expended out of the Civic Center and City Hall Bond Issue 1912, in payment to C. F. Townsend as a refund of taxes pro-rated on the first installment of taxes 1912-13, paid the Tax Collector as taxes on the certain property situate at the north line of McAllister street, between Polk and Larkin streets, recently acquired by the City for Civic Center and City Hall purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Willet and Burr, assignees of Foster & Vogt, are hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after August 24, 1912, within which to complete the contract for street and other improvements in Beale street from Folsom to Bryant streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, because of unexpected delays in the delivery of steel, caused by the congested condition of the steel market; also because of discussion between the unions and the contractors in reference to their per diem.

Spur Track Permit, Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

Also, Bill No. 2264, Ordinance No. — (New Series). Granting permission to the Pacific Gas & Electric Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the spur track heretofore constructed on said street, and connecting with the tracks of the Western Pacific Railway Company thereon, by Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Company, and to extend from the point of connection with said existing spur track, which is about seventy-five (75) feet northerly from the northerly line of Alameda street to a point one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet farther north on said Vermont street; thus extending such spur track to, and in front of the Pacific Gas & Electric Company's property which is situate on the easterly side of Vermont street and one hundred and fifty (150) feet northerly from the northerly line of said Alameda street.

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Market Street Homestead.

Also, Bill No. 2265, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the official map of the sub-division of the City and County of San Francisco, known as F. L. A. Pioche and L. L. Robinson, sub-division of a part of San Miguel Rancho", known as Market Street Homestead.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths.

Also, Bill No. 2266, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 19, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and sixty-four" the terms of which provide that the width of sidewalks on Geary street, the northerly side of, between Stockton street and Powell street shall be nine (9) feet and that the width of sidewalks on Geary street, the southerly side of, between Stockton street and Powell street shall be fifteen (15) feet.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2267, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of crossing of Geary street and Seventh avenue; crossing of Geary street and Eighth avenue."

Also, Bill No. 2268, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of crossing of Congress street and Masonic avenue; crossing of Anza street and Seventeenth avenue."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9678 (New Series). Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Arkansas street in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Supervisors, filed in this office September 5, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

City Attorney to Advise as to Rights of Ocean Shore Railway Company.

Also, J. R. No. 396.

Resolved, That the City Attorney is hereby requested to furnish to this Board his opinion upon the following matters, to-wit:

1. Whether or not the Ocean Shore Railway Company has a legal right under the terms of its franchise (Ordinance No. 40, New Series, entitled "An ordinance amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1808"), to haul freight over its road.

2. Whether or not the Ocean Shore

Railway Company has a legal right to haul the cars of the Southern Pacific Company, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company and the Western Pacific Company over its road.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Recommend Certain Street Work.

Also, J. R. No. 397.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to recommend to the Board of Supervisors the ordering of the following street work, to-wit:

1. The grading, curbing and macadamizing of Forty-second avenue between Abza and Balboa streets.

2. The paving of the roadway of Bryant street between Main and Spear streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Remove Spur Track on Twelfth Street, Near Mission Street, Connecting With Tracks of Ocean Shore Railway Company.

Also, J. R. No. 398.

Whereas, the City Attorney, in a written opinion filed July 29, 1912, advised this Board that Ordinance No. 40 (New Series), entitled "An Ordinance amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1808", approved July 31, 1906, granted to the Ocean Shore Railway Company no legal right to construct in the first instance, and consequently no right to maintain, a spur track from the tracks of said Ocean Shore Railway Company to the property of E. B. & A. L. Stone Company, situate in Mission Block No. 13, at Twelfth street and Otis street (formerly West Mission street): therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to remove forthwith the spur track constructed from the tracks of the Ocean Shore Railway Company in Twelfth street near Mission street, thence crossing Mission street and Otis street (formerly West Mission street) and into the bunkers of E. B. & A. L. Stone Company in Mission Block No. 13, situate on the west side of Otis street about one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet south of Twelfth street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Cause Removal of Dirt and Debris From Streets.

Also, J. R. No. 399.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to enforce Section 14 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), entitled "The Building Law", approved December 22, 1905, providing for the removal of dirt, debris or materials from the public street by the permittee within five days after being notified so to do by said Board, by a notice posted on the premises; the money so deposited as a guarantee, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be used by said Board for the removal of such dirt, debris or materials, upon the failure or neglect of the permittee to remove or cause to be removed such dirt, debris or materials, etc.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Action Deferred.

The following Resolution was taken up and on motion laid over one week and referred to the Streets and Fire Committee:

Board of Public Works to Cause Removal of Gasoline Pumps on Sidewalks.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to remove a gasoline pump from the sidewalk in front of the Valencia Garage situate at the northeast corner of Seventeenth and Valencia streets, and also remove all gasoline pumps erected on the sidewalks, as the erection of said gasoline pumps are a permanent encroachment upon the sidewalks.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Recommend Ordinance Fixing Sidewalk Widths on Ocean Avenue, From Mission Street to Corbett Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 400.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to recommend to this Board an ordinance fixing the widths of sidewalks on Ocean avenue from Mission street to Corbett avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Award of Contract, Motor Patrol Wagons.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:

J. R. No. 401.

Resolved, That the contract for two

motor patrol wagons for use in the Police Department is hereby awarded to the H. O. Harrison Company for the sum of nine thousand (9000.00) dollars, as per proposal submitted August 26, 1912; and all other bids therefor are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Award of Contract, Furniture and Filing Cabinets, Superintendent of Schools.

Also, Resolution No. 9679 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contracts for the following items be and are hereby awarded to the firms below stated at the respective prices for furniture and filing cabinets for use of Superintendent of Schools, pursuant to bids submitted August 26, 1912, to wit:

Article No. 1—1 standing desk, H. S. Crocker Co., \$22.60.

Article No. 2—1 revolving stool, Rucker-Fuller Desk Co., \$4.25.

Article No. 3—4-6 ft. tables, Rucker-Fuller Desk Co., \$91.00.

Article No. 4—1 upright, Rucker-Fuller Desk Co., \$28.90.

Article No. 5—1 upright, Rucker-Fuller Desk Co., \$28.90.

Article No. 6—1 W. D. base unit, 1 B. D. unit, 1 D. F. unit, 25 x 8 C. I. units 8 dr. ea., 1 G. D. unit, 1 X top, Rucker-Fuller Desk Co., \$119.00.

Article No. 7—17 D. X. bases, 34 D 12½ book units, 34 D 10¼ book units, 34 D 8¾ book units, 17 D. X. tops, Wentworth & Boyce, \$425.13.

Article No. 8—1-4 ft. table, Rucker-Fuller Desk Co., \$14.90.

Article No. 9—1 L 10 leg base, 1 S. P. door unit, 1 X top, Rucker-Fuller Desk Co., \$26.00.

Article No. 10—1 L 10 leg base, 2 double S. G. door units, 1 X top, Rucker-Fuller Desk Co., \$49.00.

Article No. 11—3 uprights, contiguous, Rucker-Fuller Desk Co., \$76.00.

Article No. 12—24 V chairs, Milton Heynemann & Co., \$36.00.

Article No. 13—2 48-inch tables, Rucker-Fuller Desk Co., \$29.80.

Article No. 14—1 F. Phoenix Desk & Chair Company, \$42.00.

Article No. 15—1 typewriter chair, H. S. Crocker Co., \$5.60.

Article No. 16—2 flat top desks, H. S. Crocker Co., \$75.00.

All other bids thereon are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bancroft under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Accepting Offer of Mary Lydon to Sell for \$8145.48 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9680 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Mary Lydon to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of Mary Lydon to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described lands, free from all incumbrances:

For the purchase of said land, \$8,125.00
Rebate on taxes for the current fiscal year allowed.... 20.48

Total \$8,145.48
—is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Polk street, distant thereon 72 feet southerly from the southerly line of Fulton street; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Polk street 25 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 82 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 25 feet; thence at a right angle easterly 82 feet 6 inches to the said westerly line of Polk street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and, if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

Thereupon, the following Resolution was introduced and *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$8145.48 to Mary Lydon for Certain Lands Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That an expenditure of eight thousand one hundred and forty-five dollars and forty-eight cents (\$8,145.48) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bonds Account", in payment to Mary Lydon as purchase price of a lot of land on the westerly line of Polk street, distant thereon 72 feet southerly from the southerly line of Fulton street of dimensions 25 feet frontage by a uniform depth of 82 feet 6 inches, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67.

For the purchase of said land, \$8,125.00
Rebate on taxes for current
fiscal year allowed 20.48

\$8,145.48

Referred.

The following proposed Charter amendment was introduced by Supervisor Hayden and *referred to the Judiciary Committee*:

Proposed Charter Amendment Relative to Appropriations for Holiday Celebrations.

Amend Subdivision 18, of Section 1 of Chapter II of Article II to read as follows:

18. To allow not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars in any year for the celebration of the anniversary of our National Independence, not to exceed one thousand dollars in any year for the celebration of the anniversary of the admission of the State of California into the Union, and not to exceed five hundred dollars in any year for the observance of Memorial Day.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 402.

Resolved, That Presidio Parlor No. 194, N. S. G. W., is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, Saturday, September 28th, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said ball are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes.

Ayes — Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.

Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and ordered *referred to the Public Welfare Committee*:

Supervisors to Co-operate With San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau in Matter of Care of Old, Sick and Disabled Men.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of San Francisco co-operate with the San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau in the care of the old, the sick and the disabled men who cannot secure admission to the City and County Hospital and the Relief Home and that the Committee on Public Welfare investigate this subject and suggest a suitable plan of relief.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Superintendent McCarthy and on motion *referred to Fire Committee*:

Board of Fire Commissioners to Convert Touring Cars Into Chemical Engines.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The efficiency of motor driven fire-fighting apparatus has been clearly demonstrated, and has received the unqualified recommendation of the Chief of the Fire Department, the Board of Fire Commissioners and this Board of Supervisors, and

Whereas, There are at present three touring cars in the service of the Fire Department which cannot possibly be necessary, but which can be made of material assistance in fire-fighting by removing the tonneaus and substituting portable chemical tanks, which can be used either by chiefs or their operators in the speedy extinction of fires of smaller magnitude, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Fire Commissioners be and they are hereby requested to make these changes in at least two of the machines with all possible speed out of Budget Item No. 430.

Amendment to Building Law, Limiting Floor Areas for Brick Buildings in Outlying Districts.

Supervisor McLeran presented:

Communication—From Bothin Real Estate Co., recommending amendment to Building Laws placing limits of floor areas for brick buildings in outlying districts up to 12,000 or 15,000 square feet.

Referred to Public Buildings Committee.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Payot and on motion ordered referred to the *Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee*:

Prohibiting Use of City's Motor Vehicles Outside City Limits.

Bill No. — Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Prohibiting the use of motor vehicles owned by the City and County of San Francisco outside of the limits of such City and County."

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 6:50 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, September 23, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, September 23, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of September 16, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Street Railway Schedules, Fillmore and Valencia Streets, Sixth and Sansome Streets.

Supervisor A. J. Gallagher presented:

Communication—From United Railroads, submitting schedule showing headway on Fillmore and Valencia street lines and Sixth and Sansome street line.

Ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee.

Home Manufactured Street Car Ventilators.

Supervisor Hayden presented:

Communication—From W. W. Montague & Co., calling attention to their home manufactured street car ventilators and requesting that same be used in Geary Street Municipal Railway cars rather than those of Eastern manufacture.

Ordered referred to Public Utilities Committee.

Protest Against Public Sunday Dancing.

Communication — From the Woman's Missionary Society of San Francisco Presbytery, requesting that Board of Supervisors withdraw their

authorization of public Sunday dancing.

Motion.

Supervisor Caglieri moved that Clerk acknowledge communication and advise petitioner that at no time has Board of Supervisors authorized Sunday public dances.

Motion carried.

Relative to Reduction of Insurance Rates.

The following matters were presented by his Honor the Mayor and referred to Fire Committee:

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 23, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, City Hall, San Francisco—Gentlemen: I beg to hand you herewith copy of my respects of September 20th, to Mr. Bernard Faymonville, President of the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific, in reply to their letter to me of August 19th, 1912, which appeared as an advertisement in the daily press of last Monday, the 16th instant.

I also beg to hand you herewith a copy of a further letter from that Board to me, under date of the 18th instant, with copy of my reply thereto of even date. Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH, JR., Mayor.

September 20, 1912.

Mr. Bernard Faymonville, President Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific, 914 Merchants Exchange Building, San Francisco—My Dear Mr. Faymonville: I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 16th instant, in reply to my respects of same date, which were delivered at 11:30 a. m., that date, to a representative of your Board, who immediately delivered same to the Fire and Water Committee of the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific then in session.

I had assumed that the data asked for by me was readily accessible by application to the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific. I trust that I may be favored with same at an early date.

I was surprised that no member of the executive committee of the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific attended the meeting of the Board of Supervisors of San Francisco on Mon-

day afternoon, to which meeting I invited them in my respects which you have acknowledged.

In the letter to me of August 19th, 1912, from the executive committee, Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific, E. F. Mohrhardt, secretary, which was published as an advertisement in the newspapers, neglecting, however, to mention the fact that it had been acknowledged, they endeavor to place the high pressure fire protection system and not the insurance rates, on trial.

I, therefore, address my reply to you, as president of the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific.

The insurance rates charged to the people of San Francisco since the fire of 1906 would be exorbitant if no high pressure system had been built or contemplated.

Your argument assumes that the only valid reason for demanding a reduction of insurance rates is the installation of the high pressure system. You then contend, in effect, that, as the high pressure system is not completed, rates should not be reduced.

You assume, further, in your argument that, without the high pressure system, insurance on property in San Francisco is greatly more hazardous than, it was before the fire of 1906. This assumption is not sound.

In the year 1911, when the high pressure system was not in operation, the insurance companies, I am informed, collected in San Francisco, premiums amounting to \$4,688,040. In 1905 the premiums collected in San Francisco were \$2,987,260. Consequently, in 1911 the companies collected from San Francisco \$1,700,780 more than they collected in 1905.

During the six years, beginning July 1, 1906, and ending June 30, 1912, according to the verified reports of 108 fire insurance companies, the premiums collected by them in San Francisco amounted to \$30,000,000; the losses incurred by the same companies during the same period in San Francisco amounted to \$4,750,000; the excess of premiums over losses \$25,250,000. The average ratio of losses to premiums was, therefore, 16 per cent. While the premiums averaged \$5,000,000 per annum, the losses averaged less than \$800,000.

These figures demonstrate that the companies, before the high pressure system went into operation, were willing to carry a much larger amount of insurance in San Francisco than they carried prior to the fire of 1906.

I am informed that the average rate charged in San Francisco is nearly three times the average rate charged in some of the Eastern cities.

San Francisco is the highest rated city in insurance rates in the United

States or Canada, among cities whose population exceeds one hundred thousand.

In 1910 the amount of premiums collected in San Francisco amounted to \$11.94 per capita, for every man, woman and child constituting the population. In New York City, in the same year, the per capita tax amounted to only \$4.21.

Since the fire, San Francisco has been rebuilt largely in brick, stone, steel and concrete. The hazard, therefore, without taking into consideration the high pressure system, cannot be as great as it was prior to the fire.

If, as you indicate, the hazard in San Francisco is now greater than it was before the fire, it is strange that there are many more insurance companies in the San Francisco field than there were prior to the fire of 1906.

I insist, therefore, that the rates should be reduced, if not one mile of the high pressure system had been built, and if there had been no additions made to the fire fighting facilities of San Francisco, than there were in operation prior to April 18, 1906.

In your criticism of the high pressure fire protection system, you have asked me, in your letter of August 19, the following questions:

"Can you furnish us with reliable information as to when this work, or any portion of it, will be begun or completed?"

And again:

"Has the City of San Francisco furnished fire protection to justify any such reduction?"

Yes, I can answer both questions intelligently.

The City of San Francisco has had to the credit of the "Fire Protection Bonds, 1908," the total sum of\$5,746,532.97
There has been expended to date 4,911,190.00

Leaving a cash balance on hand of \$835,342.97
Liabilities incurred against this last mentioned amount 708,094.00

Leaving a credit balance still available of..... \$127,249.97
Proceeds of the bond issue have been expended as follows:

54 miles of the high pressure pipe have already been laid, and are now in service, ready to be used at any fire where needed.

660 high pressure hydrants are in service. We now have not less than 200 pounds pressure on each hydrant in the high value and congested district. All we need is about 150 pounds pressure.

In addition to the old 59 cisterns which have been cleaned, repaired and are in service, there 85 new, reinforced concrete cisterns constructed and are now in use, with a capacity of 75,000 gallons each; also, the North Beach swimming tank with a capacity equal to two cisterns.

A large and modern pumping station, at Second and Townsend streets, has been completed and equipped. This station, now in service, has a maximum capacity for pumping 12,000 gallons of water per minute, and can keep the high pressure system filled with water, against a pressure of 300 pounds per square inch, and can furnish greater quantities of water at lower pressure.

The Twin Peaks reservoir has a capacity of 10,500,000 gallons, and when in use within approximately 90 days' time, will maintain a static pressure of 325 pounds per square inch in the mains of high value and congested district, but the pumping station, under present conditions, can do the work of the Twin Peaks reservoir, so that the non-completion of the repairs to the Twin Peaks reservoir is no excuse for delay in the reduction of insurance rates.

For the construction of the Jones street reservoir no contract has thus far been let. Plans for this reservoir will be ready in 60 days' time and the reservoir will be completed and in service within a year. All territory tributary to the Jones street reservoir, where pipes are laid, tested and accepted, is covered from other sources, namely, the Ashbury Heights tank, the pumping station and the Twin Peaks reservoir when completed.

The advantage of the Jones street reservoir is mainly in its economy, lessening the necessity for repair to pipes, by keeping the downtown district (nearly all of high value district) under lower pressure, therefore lessening the strain on pipes, and decreasing the leakage, and therefore lessening the amount of water to be pumped.

The fresh water pumping stations, at Seventh and Harrison streets, and at Sixteenth and Shotwell streets, I am informed, were put in the preliminary high pressure water system report, as a possible method of filling pipes, unless a better method could be produced. It is proposed to procure water from the Clarendon Heights reservoir of the Spring Valley Water Company, by gravity to Ashbury Heights reservoir, and thence, by pumping, to Twin Peaks reservoir. (See page 74 of Reports on Auxiliary Water Supply System.)

The supply of the Spring Valley Water Company has been reinforced

to such an extent that it is now desirable to make this change, and the efficiency of the system is in no way lessened thereby.

The ground has been graded and all contracts let for the construction of the pumping station in the vicinity of Van Ness avenue and Polk street. The contracts provide for its completion by December 27, 1912, but owing to delays of the contractor, it will probably not be finished and in operation until 90 days later.

Two fire boats for the protection of shipping and property along the waterfront have been built and are now in service. Each of these fire boats has a capacity for pumping 10,000 gallons per minute, and, if necessary, can be used to pump water into the Twin Peaks reservoir. The fire boat manifolds at Washington street and Embarcadero, and at Powell street and Embarcadero are finished and available for service.

The pipe from Pumping Station No. 1 to the distribution system is laid entirely on solid ground; that is, the ground which was not affected, to a marked extent, by the earthquake of 1906. The map included in the report of the engineers on the auxiliary water supply system for fire protection shows this, as do the maps prepared by the California Earthquake Commission.

Private concerns have installed auxiliary water supplies which total 2,832,400 gallons, and to which the fire department can connect at any time, for fire department use. This is exclusive of their private pumping systems for replenishing the auxiliary tanks, should the fire department require the use of this water.

Regarding the telephone control and operation criticised by you I beg to state that the chief of the fire department has a telegraph system which he uses for the same purpose; doing better service than the telephone system. The telegraph system has been proven to be decidedly superior to the telephone system, by tests which have been made in other large cities. The new code for the high pressure system is in operation, and approved by the Department of Electricity.

You have no right to assume that there has been an abandonment of a large portion of the pipe line system promised. It is true that the funds originally set apart by the people of the City for the building of 92 miles are about exhausted, and will not be sufficient to complete the total mileage contemplated, but will be sufficient to complete approximately 75 miles, of which 71 miles are either built or contracts have been let for the installation thereof. The question of rais-

ing the funds for the construction of the remaining 17 miles, if needed, will have to be decided later on.

As I have shown you hereinabove, we have an unexpended credit of \$127,248.92, out of which sum will come the cost of the Jones street reservoir, approximating \$60,000.

I have now answered, I trust intelligently, the six questions raised by you, and I think convincingly proved that the insurance rates now charged are unwarrantedly high, and need an immediate material readjustment to lower rates, by your Board.

You may not be aware of the fact, but the people generally understand that the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific constitute the strongest Board of underwriters organized for the purpose of fixing and maintaining rates, of any section of the United States, and covering the largest territory, which I understand extends from Alaska to New Mexico.

As an auxiliary to your Board, the Insurance Brokers' Exchange, having a membership of 490 insurance brokers in this city, are compelled to write insurance solely in your board companies, except under the following conditions: They must apply to your board companies first, when having any risk to place, and if your board companies decline the risk, the broker then has the privilege of writing the insurance in a non-board company; but he is compelled, through the conditions imposed upon him by your board not to place the risk in any non-board company at a rate lower than the schedule rate of the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific; and, furthermore, he is compelled to file a statement of the risk placed with the non-board company, the name of the company, the premium, and all details, either with your board or with the Insurance Brokers' Exchange, over which you have a supervisory control.

Since dictating the above, I have received a letter, under date of September 18, from Mr. E. F. Mohrhardt, secretary of the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific, which I shall reply to tomorrow; but having gathered together the facts hereinabove presented to you, I feel that it is incumbent upon me to make a proper acknowledgement of your favor of August 19, 1912.

In view of the facts, which I have herein fully stated, I must now respectfully impress upon the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific the necessity of an immediate and substantial reduction of the fire insurance rates in San Francisco. Yours very truly,

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific, 914 Merchants Exchange Building, San Francisco, Cal.

September 18, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor of San Francisco—Dear Sir: Your favor of September 16 was considered at a joint meeting of the executive and fire and water committees of the Board of Fire Underwriters held yesterday afternoon, and replying to same would state that the information desired by you is not in our possession, or in our ability to secure, for the reason that the total liability outstanding in San Francisco on April 1, 1906, and the premiums thereon were never collated. We enclose fire patrol list of companies doing business in San Francisco as at December 31, 1911, which shows premiums written; but we have no data as to the liability represented thereby, nor the premiums on policies in force. We would call your attention to the further fact that thirty of the companies which are contributors to the fire patrol are not members of the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific.

We do not know of any such report of the National Board of Underwriters as that to which you refer. No such document is in the possession of any of our members.

In view of the controversy which has arisen, we respectfully suggest that a personal conference will be preferable to correspondence; and, if we may be permitted, would suggest that you appoint a committee which would include such city officials as you may designate (and we would hope the City Engineer and the Chief of the Fire Department would be included), and representatives of commercial bodies and improvement associations, as, for instance, the Chamber of Commerce, Real Estate Board, Civic League, Mission Promotion Association, North Central Improvement Association, etc., said committee to meet and confer with a committee to be designated by us. While the committee should be representative, it is obvious that it should not be unwieldy as to numbers. We earnestly hope that you will find it possible to attend personally, and we believe that such a conference would remove misunderstandings on both sides and expedite a conclusion as to what reduction in rates is justified in the present status of the city's fire protection. Yours very respectfully.

(Signed) E. F. MOHRHARDT,
Secretary.

P. S.—Since preparing the foregoing letter, our attention has been called to an article published in the

San Francisco Journal of Commerce of September 17, in which it is stated that you have proposed a conference with the underwriters. While we have not received such proposal, the foregoing demonstrates that we are in entire accord with your idea.

September 23, 1912.

Mr. E. F. Mohrhardt, Secretary Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific, No. 914 Merchants Exchange Building, San Francisco—Dear Sir: Your favor of the 18th instant, in reply to my respects of the 16th instant, was duly received, contents noted. The information I should like to receive from you is contained in annual reports on fire insurance, issued by the National Board of Fire Underwriters (headquarters in New York), on the large protected cities of the United States; showing premiums paid, average rate of premiums paid, amount underwritten, and losses, each year, in such cities, particularly the years 1905, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910 and 1911. I am informed that every insurance company represented in the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific is also a member of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, and has in its custody such yearly reports.

With regard to your suggestion that I appoint a committee to meet and confer with a committee designated by your board for a discussion of a reduction in fire insurance rates, I beg to say that the Fire Committee of the Board of Supervisors, consisting of Messrs. A. H. Giannini, Byron Mauzy and Ralph McLeran, and myself, will be very glad to meet with your committee at any time convenient to you, after you have favored me with a copy of the reports herein mentioned, when we can have a preliminary discussion of the suggestion emanating from you. Yours very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Leave of Absence, Michael Casey, President Board of Public Works.

The following matter was presented by his Honor the Mayor and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 23, 1912.

Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, City Hall, San Francisco—Gentlemen: Hon. Michael Casey, President of the Board of Public Works, has written me, informing me that he has been elected a delegate to the convention of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, at Indianapolis, beginning October 7, 1912, and requests leave of absence from the State of California for a period of four weeks, beginning October 1, 1912, to October 29, 1912.

I would respectfully recommend to

your honorable body that said leave of absence be granted to him. Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced and adopted:

J. R. No. 403.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed September 23, 1912, Michael Casey, member of the Board of Public Works, be and he is hereby granted leave of absence from the State for a period of four weeks from October 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Proposed Charter Amendments.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Advisory Conference on Charter Amendments, submitting with the recommendation that same be presented to electors, two proposed charter amendments drawn for the following purposes:

To extend the power of the Supervisors to impose license taxes.

To make police judges appointive.

Ordered referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Also, *Communication*, from Advisory Conference on Charter Amendments, submitting without recommendation amendments to Article XII of the Charter, relative to acquisition of public utilities.

Ordered referred to Judiciary Committee.

Communication from United Railroads Suggesting Basis for Settlement of Lower Market Street Litigation.

The following matter was presented, read by the Clerk, and referred to the Public Utilities Committee:

San Francisco, Sept. 21, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: We note from the public press that your Honorable Board is about to let certain contracts for material to be used in the construction of the Municipal Railroad on Market street. In this connection we desire to say that on April 10, 1912, this company filed with the Public Utilities Committee a proposal in writing looking to an adjustment of all litigation between this company and the city over this matter. Thereafter, from time to time, various conferences were had with your Public Utilities Committee, and this company

on or about June 8, 1912, consented to certain modifications of these proposals.

Briefly, it was suggested:

That the City was to construct its municipal railway on Market street from Kearny street to Sutter street, there connecting with the outer tracks constructed by the Sutter Street Railway Company.

The use of the outer tracks from Sutter street along Market street to the Ferry was to be limited exclusively to the cars of the municipal railway and the Sutter street cars.

The city was to pay its share of the fair present value of the tracks and overhead equipment of the Sutter Street Railway, excepting the poles, such share to be proportioned by the use of the respective parties; the amount to be thus paid was to be agreed upon between the parties or by arbitration.

The use of the outer tracks on Market street, from Sutter street to the Ferry, was to terminate with the expiration of the Sutter street franchise, at which date the reasonable salvage value of the property was to be paid to the company.

The city was to be given the right to use the poles of the United Railroads on Market street, from Kearny street to the Ferry, without charge.

The electric current used in the operation of the lines on Market street, from Sutter street to the Ferry, was to be paid for in proportion to the use by the respective parties.

All litigation then pending was to be dismissed and transfers were to be exchanged under proper restrictions at the intersections of Geary street with the Divisadero and Fillmore street lines of this company.

While upon our part we have expressed to your Public Utilities Committee a willingness to accede to the proposition thus briefly outlined, we have never received an answer from your Honorable Board, nor from your Public Utilities Committee, either rejecting or accepting the proposition.

The United Railroads of San Francisco owns and is operating a railroad on Market street, from Kearny street to the Ferry, under a franchise granted in 1879, which provides that one other corporation and no more shall have the right to use any of the streets therein set forth, and then for a distance of five blocks, and no more. By the express terms of the franchise the acceptance *creates a contract* between the company and the city. The distance on Market street from Geary street to the Ferry, along which it is proposed to run and operate a municipal railway, is considerably more than five blocks, and we feel, therefore, that in proceeding to construct the munic-

ipal railway as contemplated, the city is violating the express condition of this company's franchise. The merits of the company's contention have never been determined by the courts, the judgment of the Federal Court in the company's favor having been reversed on the technical question of jurisdiction; that is to say, the company was remanded to the state courts, in the first instance, for whatever redress it may have for the violation of its franchise rights.

Under the proposal heretofore assented to on our part, the great body of our people living in the section of the city served by the Geary and Sutter streets lines, would secure a through route to the Ferry. The company on the other hand, while receiving no increase in fares, is giving transfer privileges of great value, foregoing its rights under its franchises, and permitting a through route to the Ferry for the Municipal Railway, all in the interests of better service to the people. We had hoped to have received before this a favorable consideration of these proposals, or some other equally efficient legal plan, to the end that all litigation should cease, and the time and energy of the company and of the people be directed to the working out of the transportation problems which confront the city, not only because of its rapid growth, but because of the near approach of the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Your Honorable Board is, under the Charter, vested with the power to accept or reject the suggestions here made, and we submit them for your consideration. If you can not co-operate with the company in the matter herein suggested we think it but fair to say that we shall be compelled to take such steps to protect our legal rights as we may be advised, and prosecute the same as expeditiously as possible.

We have no desire to put the city to the additional expense, nor the citizens to the inconvenience caused by the erection of other and additional poles to those now on Market street for the purpose of stringing wires for the operation of the city's municipal railway. We, therefore, say to you, that if it shall be finally determined that this company has not the franchises rights on lower Market street as we have stated them, the city is privileged to string its wires for the operation of its cars on Market street from Geary street to the Ferry, from the poles of this company, without any charge or compensation therefor.

Yours truly,
UNITED RAILROADS OF SAN FRANCISCO, by Thornwell Mullally, Assistant to the President.

Public Utilities Committee Directed to Prepare Counter Proposals Embodying Therein Certain Specified Conditions.

Thereupon, Supervisor Koshland presented the following resolution:

Whereas, there have been a number of conferences between the Public Utilities Committee and the representatives of the United Railroads of San Francisco with reference to the disputed rights on lower Market street, and to the construction and operation of the Municipal Railroad, and

Whereas, the City and County of San Francisco has obtained a judgment in the Superior Court to the effect that the franchise of the Sutter Street Railway Company on lower Market street is forfeited, and the United Railroads have no right to use the so-called outer tracks in Market street from Sansome street to the Ferry, and,

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors, in order to facilitate transportation and in order to remove all causes of dissension is, nevertheless, willing to permit said United Railroads to use the aforesaid outer tracks for through traffic from Sutter street to the Ferry, under certain conditions, as follows, be it

Resolved, That the Public Utilities Committee be directed to frame a counter proposal to the proposals of the United Railroads heretofore filed with said Committee, embodying therein the following conditions:

1. The United Railroads to dismiss appeal from the decision of the Superior Court forfeiting the Sutter street railway's franchise and to stipulate forfeiture of said franchise.

2. The outer tracks from Sutter street to the Ferry to revert to the possession of the city, in which case the Sutter street cars may run thereon without cost of rental, or the City will buy the outer tracks and then charge either a monthly rental to the United Railroads for use of said outer tracks or one-half of cost of maintenance, repair and replacement.

3. The City will give permit to the United Railroads for running Sutter street cars through to the Ferry on the outer tracks, said permit to hold good till the date of expiration of original, now forfeited, franchise.

4. The City will use poles and wires jointly with the United Railroads wherever cars run over the same streets, and will pay proportion of maintenance, repairs, etc.

5. Electric current used from United Railroads to be paid for in proportion to use by respective parties.

6. Transfers to be exchanged under proper restrictions at the intersection of the Geary street line with the Divisadero, Fillmore, Larkin and

possibly other street lines of the United Railroads.

7. The Municipal Railway's cars to run through to the Ferry.

And be it further Resolved, If satisfactory arrangements can be made for mutual co-operation in connection with the westerly end of the Geary street line, the Committee to submit a proposal thereof.

Motion.

Supervisor Mauzy moved reference of above resolution to the Public Utilities Committee.

Supervisor Koshland seconded the above motion on condition that Public Utilities Committee report in one week.

Motion.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher moved that Supervisor Koshland's resolution be adopted as the sense of the Board of Supervisors and that this be the final offer on the part of this Board.

Amendment.

Supervisor A. J. Gallagher moved as an amendment that no negotiations be entered into unless the United Railroads agrees to dismiss appeal and consents to entry of judgment in favor of City to lower Market street and also promises to remove all other legal obstructions to the Municipal Railway.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, A. J. Gallagher—2.

Noes—Supervisors Cagliari, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Referred.

Whereupon, the question being taken on Supervisor Mauzy's motion to refer to Public Utilities Committee with instructions to report in one week, the roll was called with the following result:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Request of Daniel O'Connell for Hearing Before Board of Supervisors on Petitions for Mandamus Proceedings and Condemnation Proceedings Against Spring Valley Water Company.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication — From Daniel O'Connell, requesting public hearing before entire Board of Supervisors on petitions for mandamus proceedings and condemnation proceedings against Spring Valley Water Company.

Motion.

Supervisor McLeran moved that the communication be filed and that Daniel O'Connell be excluded from Com-

mittee and Board meetings by the Sergeant-at-Arms until such time as he presents in writing the name of his informant in the matter of the charges made against Supervisor Vogelsang, the name of the signer of the check mentioned and until he (Daniel O'Connell) proves the statements made at last meeting of Public Utilities Committee.

Report of Public Utilities Committee.

Thereupon, the Clerk proceeded and read the report of the Public Utilities Committee in which is recited an incident that transpired in the last meeting of the Public Utilities Committee in which Daniel O'Connell, attorney, representing residents of Bernal Heights in matter of inadequate water supply, charged that the chairman of said committee represented the Spring Valley Water Company and that the Spring Valley Water Company had contributed \$15,000 toward the campaign expenses of the Board of Supervisors, and stating that the committee had unanimously adopted a resolution denying Daniel O'Connell the privilege of addressing the committee on any question or on any subject hereafter.

Report Adopted.

Whereupon the report of the Public Utilities Committee was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher—1.

Report of Light and Water Inspector on Water Supply on Bernal Heights.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Light and Water Inspector of the Board of Public Works, reporting on condition of water supply at Bernal Heights.

Ordered referred to Public Utilities Committee.

Water Supply for Outlying Districts and Suggestion for Temporary Relief.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Theodore Pinther, chairman Committee on Water Supply, South of Army Street District, requesting that city construct a water supply system for outlying districts now inadequately supplied, and that water wagons be provided as a means of temporary relief.

Ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee.

Suggesting International Theater House for San Francisco.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Temple Theater and Realty Co., recommending that San Francisco construct for its people an "International Theater House."

Ordered referred to the Public Welfare Committee.

Gasoline Pumps on Sidewalk, Violation of Ordinance.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From City Attorney, advising that installation of gasoline pumps on sidewalks are in violation of Ordinance 916, relating to obstructions on sidewalks.

Communication from City Attorney Advising in Regard to Supreme Court's Decision in Ex Parte Russell, Relative to City's Right to Prescribe Conditions Under Which Streets May Be Opened by Public Service Corporations.

The following matter was presented by Clerk and ordered *spread at length in the Journal*:

September 19, 1912.

Gentlemen: In several opinions heretofore rendered your Board, discussing your right to prescribe the conditions under which the streets of the City might be opened by public service corporations for the purpose of laying pipes and conduits and making extensions to their systems, reference has been made to the case of *Ex parte Russell* then pending in the Supreme Court of this State. Permit me to advise you that a decision was rendered by the Supreme Court in the case above referred to on September 13, 1912. This decision fully confirms the correctness of the positions taken in an opinion rendered your Board by me on January 15, 1912. The two principal points decided are these:

(1) Under Section 19 of Article XI of the Constitution, as amended on October 10, 1911, public service corporations have no right to use the streets of California municipalities without the consent of the City. The amended section of the Constitution provides that "persons or corporations may establish and operate works for supplying the inhabitants with such service upon such conditions and under such regulations as the municipality may prescribe under its organic law."

The Court has construed the use of the word "regulations" as implying a broader meaning than mere conditions of the manner of the use of a right, saying: "The conditions prescribed may, therefore, include every kind, condition precedent, as well as conditions subsequent, if they may be made under the city charter." In this connection the Court further says:

"To give the City power to prescribe the conditions upon which persons

and corporations may establish and operate such works, is to place the entire subject matter within the control of the City, and, in effect, to provide that no such person or corporation may do so without obtaining the privilege from the City by a grant specifying the conditions it chooses to prescribe. With respect to the mode of imposing and enforcing the conditions, the City is, of course, bound by the provisions of its charter. If conditions are found in the charter itself, the legislative authority of the city will be bound thereby and could not impose inconsistent conditions, nor abrogate those of the charter. In such a case the city would be imposing the conditions by its organic law and all grants by the City legislative body would be required to conform thereto."

(2) The second point of the decision is to the effect that public service corporations which used a portion of the streets of the City prior to the amendment of the constitutional provision, acquired no right by reason of such use in the remaining streets of the city. The vested rights acquired by such corporation, prior to the amendment of the Constitution, are held to be limited strictly to the particular streets which had been used.

This decision establishes the law in this State to the effect that the use of the streets of the City, either for extensions or existing public service systems, or for the establishment of new ones, and also the control of the manner of the opening of streets for service connections or any other purpose, are under the absolute control of the municipal authorities. It therefore becomes your duty to prescribe by ordinance some uniform rule of procedure for opening streets for the purposes named.

Ordinance No. 658, approved January 20, 1909 (p. 320, General Ordinances), prescribes rules and regulations under which persons, firms and corporations, having the right under the Constitution as it then existed, to lay down pipes or conduits in the public streets or thoroughfares of the City, should exercise that right. The right recognized by this ordinance no longer exists, and it is now within the power of your Board to add any additional conditions, which, in your judgment, may seem wise, or to absolutely refuse permission for the further opening of the streets. In other words, the manner of the use of the streets by public service corporations is now entirely within your discretion. If, in your judgment, conditions additional to those prescribed in Ordinance No. 658 above referred to should be prescribed, you are now at liberty to

enact a further ordinance for that purpose.

In this connection I call your attention to the necessity of the establishment of a uniform rule as to the digging up of streets for the purpose of making so-called service connections by existing systems. A great deal of uncertainty has existed during the past year as to just what connections should be allowed as service connections. A uniform rule should be established in this matter.

With regard to the privilege of establishing extensions to existing public service systems, the only limitation at present prescribed by the charter is found in Article II, Chapter II, Section 7, which provides:

"The Supervisors shall have no power to grant franchises or privileges to erect poles or wires for transmitting electric power or for lighting purposes along or upon any public street or highway of the City and County, except upon all the conditions and in the manner, including competitive bidding and payment of a percentage of gross receipts, hereinbefore set out, and upon the further condition that the Board shall at all times have the right to regulate the charges of any person, company or corporation using, enjoying or possessing such franchise or privilege."

It will be noted that the above provision is limited to franchises or privileges to *erect poles or wires* and does not cover pipes or conduits. The reason for this discrimination was that at the time the charter section was adopted the right to lay pipes and conduits was guaranteed by the Constitution and could not be interfered with. Therefore, the charter framers limited the above provision to poles and wires.

It is now legally possible for an amendment to be adopted to the charter, including in this section all pipes and conduits which were formerly omitted therefrom. Until the charter is so amended there is no limitation upon the control by your Board of the manner of laying pipes and conduits in the public streets.

Under Article II, Chapter II, Section 1, Subdivisions 2 and 13, your Board is given power to regulate and control for any and every purpose the use of the streets, highways, public thoroughfares, etc., and also to regulate and control the location and quality of all appliances necessary to the furnishing of water, heat, light, power, telephonic and telegraphic service to the City and County. Under these sections of the charter your Board now has power to prescribe all the conditions under which further use shall be made of the streets and, if

thought advisable, to require a franchise for that purpose.

I am handing you herewith a copy of the decision of the Supreme Court referred to in this letter and also a printed copy of the application for writ of habeas corpus in this matter. In this latter document, commencing at page 24, are found copies of the two ordinances of the City of Los Angeles, the validity of which is sustained by the decision above referred to. These may be of considerable service in the preparation of ordinances for this City.

Respectfully,

PERCY V. LONG,

City Attorney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

Crim. No. 1733. In Bank. (Filed September 13, 1912.)

IN RE ROBERT RUSSELL, Petitioner
for a Writ of Habeas Corpus.

The petitioner alleges that he is in custody upon a charge of having violated an ordinance of the City of Los Angeles.

The ordinance referred to was approved by the Mayor on February 21, 1912. It declares that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to make any excavation in a street for any purpose without first obtaining permission in writing from the Board of Public Works, and that before issuing the permit the board must require the applicant therefor to state the purpose for which the excavation is to be made and show legal authority to occupy and use the street for that purpose. A violation of any provision of the ordinance is declared to be a misdemeanor, punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both.

Another ordinance, approved October 26, 1911, provides that no person, firm or corporation shall exercise any franchise, or privilege to lay or maintain pipes or conduits in or under any street of the city for the transmission of gas, water, heat, steam, or other substance, without first having obtained a grant therefor from the City in accordance with the City charter and said ordinance, unless such person, firm or corporation is entitled to do so "by direct and unlimited authority of the Constitution of the State of California, or of the Constitution and laws of the United States."

On the 10th of October, 1911, section 19 of Article XI of the State Constitution was amended. The City Council passed these ordinances in the belief that by this amendment the City was given authority to forbid the use of public streets by public service corporations, unless the city should have first granted a franchise permitting such use. The petitioner was engaged in laying a gas pipe in the street as

a part of the distributing system of a corporation engaged in supplying gas to the inhabitants of the City, known as the Economic Gas Company. He claims, first, that the gas company is directly authorized by said amendment to lay gas mains in the street as part of its works for supplying gas, and, hence, that the City cannot forbid it from so doing; and, second, that because of the fact that it had established its works, laid some mains and began supplying gas before the adoption of the amendment, it had a vested right to extend its mains and lay them in streets not before used by it for that purpose, a right which the City could not restrict by ordinance, nor the people take away by constitutional amendment. These claims present the questions herein to be considered. We will take them up in the order stated.

1. Section 19, Article XI, as amended, is as follows:

"Any municipal corporation may establish and operate public works for supplying its inhabitants with light, power, heat, transportation, telephone service or other means of communication. Such works may be acquired by original construction or by the purchase of existing works, including their franchises, or both. Persons or corporations may establish and operate works for supplying the inhabitants with such services upon such conditions and under such regulations as the municipality may prescribe under its organic law, on condition that the municipal government shall have the right to regulate the charges therefor. A municipal corporation may furnish such service to inhabitants outside its boundaries; provided that it shall not furnish service to the inhabitants of any other municipality owning or operating works supplying the same service to such inhabitants, without the consent of such other municipality, expressed by ordinance."

The first step in the application and interpretation of an amendment to a constitution or statute is to consider the condition existing prior to its adoption, so as to ascertain its objects and purposes. At the time this amendment was adopted municipal corporations, unless especially authorized by charter, were without power to make or operate the several public utilities mentioned, in the amended section. (*Von Schmidt v. Widber*, 105 Cal. 157; *Hyatt v. Williams*, 148 Cal. 585; *Platt v. San Francisco*, 158 Cal. 82.) Natural persons had full liberty to do so and private corporations could secure the power by filing the proper articles of incorporation. There had apparently arisen a general opinion among the people that municipal ownership and operation of such public utilities was desirable. Considering the language

of the amendment in the light of these circumstances, its effect is plain. It is one of the evidences of a prevailing sentiment in favor of such municipal activities. It first makes to all municipal corporations a direct grant of power to make and operate public works of the kinds enumerated. As to works of like kind to be operated privately, the design was to place them all in control of the municipality. Following out this design, the succeeding provision expressly limits the pre-existing powers and rights available to private corporations and natural persons. They are permitted to engage in such enterprises within the city only "upon such conditions and under such regulations as the municipality may prescribe."

The use of the word "regulations" as something distinct from "conditions" implies a broader meaning in the latter word than mere regulation of the manner of use. In ordinary use, in this connection, the word "condition" means something established "as a requisite to the doing or taking effect of something else." (Webster's Dict.) In law it means "a qualification, restriction or limitation modifying or destroying the original act with which it is connected", or defeating, terminating or enlarging an estate granted. (1 Bouv. Dic. 382.) The conditions and regulations are to be such as the City "may prescribe under its organic law." There is no other qualification of the words. The conditions prescribed may therefore include every kind, condition precedent, as well as conditions subsequent, if they may be made under the City charter. The charter of Los Angeles gives the City power to prescribe the character and quality of any public utility service, to fix the rate of compensation therefor, to regulate conduits and works or plants for the production, transmission and distribution of gas, and to grant franchises or privileges in, on, across, under or over the streets, and prescribe the terms thereof. If the taking effect of this constitutional provision in any city depends on the existence of provisions in its organic law giving the city power to make conditions, then these provisions of the Los Angeles charter give that city power to prescribe the conditions expressed in the ordinances above mentioned. But we think the provision itself, by necessary implication, gives each city power to prescribe conditions.

To give the city power to prescribe the conditions upon which persons and corporations may establish and operate such works, is to place the entire subject-matter within the control of the city and, in effect, to provide that no such person or corpora-

tion may do so without obtaining the privilege from the city by a grant specifying the conditions it chooses to prescribe. With respect to the mode of imposing and enforcing the conditions, the city is, of course, bound by the provisions of its charter. If conditions are found in the charter itself, the legislative authority of the city will be bound thereby and could not impose inconsistent conditions, nor abrogate those of the charter. In such a case the city would be imposing the conditions by its organic law and all grants by the city legislative body would be required to conform thereto. We need not here determine whether, in the absence of anything in the charter or city ordinances forbidding it, such persons or corporations, under their general powers, could go on to establish and operate such works without asking the consent of the city, or whether such action would be unlawful without affirmative permission from the city. It is sufficient for the disposition of this case to say that where the city has prescribed conditions they must be observed, or the construction and operation of such works will be unlawful.

It is argued that this gives the city power to refuse to grant such franchises and that this would allow the city to create monopolies by limiting such grants to a single person or corporation, that this would be against public policy, and hence that this construction is not permissible. Opinions are variant upon the question whether, in the case of public utilities in cities, monopolies are, or are not, detrimental to the general good. In 1885, when section 19, as it stood prior to October 10, 1911, was adopted, the general opinion doubtless was against such monopolies. Subsequent experience of the effects of competition seems to have changed that opinion. This is clearly indicated in the statement in favor of this amendment printed on the ballots by which it was adopted. It declares that such utilities are by nature monopolistic. Its adoption upon such a statement of reasons is strong evidence of a change of public sentiment on the question. The general opinion now seems to be that where municipal ownership is not feasible or attainable, a properly regulated monopoly is advisable. The amendment shows an intention to allow this policy to be determined by each city in its own behalf. It may establish works of its own, excluding all others; it may permit but one system of works by refusing more than one franchise; or it may encourage competition by allowing rival companies to enter the field, either in competition with its

own system or with those of others. We refer here to new systems, not to systems in operation prior to the amendment.

A consideration of the entire section in connection with all classes of public utilities mentioned herein shows that no other interpretation would be reasonable. It applies throughout to works for supplying the city with light, water, power, heat, with transportation of freight or passengers, and with telephone service or other means of communication. The claim of petitioner is, in effect, that the third clause gives directly to every person or corporation desiring to establish and operate works of any of the kinds above mentioned the right to enter upon the streets of the city to establish and operate its system of works regardless of the wish or will of the city authorities, and that the power of the city to prescribe conditions is confined to such conditions as relate merely to the manner of establishing and operating the systems. If this is the effect of the clause, then the amendment greatly enlarges, instead of restricting, the privileges given directly to private persons and corporations in the streets. Formerly the right to use them extended only to water and lighting systems; now, if this claim is correct, the right vests in all persons and all corporations for all the purposes mentioned. The right could be exercised after the city had established its own works as well as before. It would be unlimited with respect to the number of rival establishments. New street car lines could parallel existing lines, not only upon different streets, but upon the same streets, if there was space for another track. The city could only make conditions as to the manner of laying the track and operating the cars, and it would be a necessary qualification that the conditions must be reasonable and not of a character which would prevent the use or unreasonably restrict it. To give the amendment this meaning would make it almost the direct opposite of what it has been generally supposed to be. It is apparent, of course, that the language is not as clear to the contrary as it could be made in view of the claim here presented. But it is reasonably susceptible of the interpretation we have given it and we are satisfied that this construction is consistent with and in furtherance of its general intent and policy.

We have high authority to the same effect. In *Pomona vs. Sunset etc. Co.*, decided April 8, 1912, this provision was construed by the Supreme Court of the United States. The claim was substantially as that here made. It was urged that this provision consti-

tuted a grant to the telephone company of the right to use the streets of Pomona as a place upon which to erect its poles and string its wires. That court dismissed the claim with this statement: "If the municipal corporation does not see fit to establish the public works itself, it may let others do it, but its power to impose conditions excludes the notion that the constitution alone is a grant to others of a right to occupy the streets without its consent."

The ordinances are therefore valid and enforceable against the gas company and the petition as its employee, unless the claim that it has a vested right to extend its pipes is well taken. This brings us to the second question.

2. As a foundation for the second proposition, the petitioner shows that the works of said company were established and operated with the intent to supply gas in every section of the city and to lay pipes in every street, if necessary for that purpose, that to this end it constructed works of a size sufficient to supply gas to a much larger territory than it was supplying prior to October 10, 1911, and had expended in so doing a \$100,000 more than would have been required for works to supply only the territory reached by its pipes at that date, and it had laid and maintained its pipes in many streets of the city and had supplied gas thereby to the inhabitants in such streets for more than two years before said date, that prior to said date said company had made contracts with many of the inhabitants of the city to supply gas to them, that said contracts extend its mains into streets not before used by it. All its works before that date were constructed in accordance with the provisions of the constitution existing prior to said amendment and in compliance with the existing regulations and directions of the city authorities. The petitioner was excavating a trench to lay gas pipes for said company in a street not before occupied or used by it for that purpose.

Prior to October 10, 1911, section 19 of article XI was as follows:

"In any city where there are no public works owned and controlled by the municipality for supplying the same with water or artificial light, any individual, or any company duly incorporated for such purpose, under and by authority of the laws of this state, shall, under the direction of the superintendent of streets, or other officer in control thereof, and under such general regulations as the municipality may prescribe, for damages and indemnity for damages, have the privilege of using the public streets and thoroughfares thereof, and of lay-

ing down pipes and conduits therein, and connections therewith, so far as may be necessary for introducing into and supplying such city and its inhabitants either with gaslight, or other illuminating light, or with fresh water for domestic and all other purposes, upon the condition that the municipal government shall have the right to regulate the charges thereof."

The grant or offer set forth in this section is in the most general terms. It is not specific with respect to either places or persons. It is not made to a particular corporation, nor is it confined to any particular city. It is a general offer to any person and all corporations that may be organized for that purpose and it embraces all cities in the state. It is specific only with regard to the kind of privilege offered, to-wit: that of "using the public streets" and "laying down pipes and conduits therein * * * so far as may be necessary for introducing into and supplying said city and its inhabitants" with gas or water. No provision is made for any formal or written acceptance of the offer whereby a conveyance of a right to specified streets or within specified limits, or to all the streets of the particular city, might be manifested, which would be in the nature of a conveyance vesting the right in advance of, and regardless of, its use. No officer is empowered to take, receive, record or preserve such acceptance. The only means whereby an effectual manifestation of acceptance can be made is the act of taking possession and occupying the street for the purpose allowed. Then and not before, is the acceptance complete. Thus far the public grant extends, thus far the public property in the street is burdened and diverted to another use, thus far the grant is accomplished. There is nothing in the language of the section which can be fairly said to express in any street before it is actually used, or should vest as to all of them the moment that the use should be begun in good faith in one.

It is an established principle of construction, applicable to constitutions as well as to statutes, that grants thereby made to private persons or public service corporations of rights belonging to the state or to the public "are to be construed most strongly in favor of the public." (*Clark vs. Los Angeles*, 160 Cal. 39; *Sunset etc. Co. vs. Pasadena*, 161 Cal. —, 118 Pac. Rep. 799.) "Only that which is granted in clear and explicit terms passes" by such grant. "Nothing passes by implication." (*Knoxville vs. Knoxville*, 200 U. S. 33.) The grant to be made effective by actual use after acceptance of the constitu-

tional offer, is not, under the rule of construction just stated, to be carried further by implication. It is a necessary conclusion, therefore, that the vested right of the Economic Gas Company in the streets of Los Angeles at the time the construction was changed, extended so far only as its actual occupancy and use of the streets then extended. The people had the right, at any time before acceptance, to repeal the provision and withdraw the offer. The investment of money in gas works designed to supply additional territory was not an acceptance and could not operate as an estoppel against the state or the people to divest them of their sovereign authority to change the constitution. The company must be deemed to have had knowledge of this sovereign power and to have assumed the risk that the power might be exercised before it had further availed itself of the existing offer.

The section has heretofore been considered, in some of its aspects, by this court. In *People vs. Stephens*, 62 Cal. 209, its effect as an executed and completed grant of the right to lay pipes in the public streets was the question involved. It was held that no legislative action was necessary to give it force; that it constituted a direct grant from the people, through the constitution, to the corporation in charge of the public use of supplying gas or water, of the privilege of laying in the streets such pipe as were required to distribute the supply. The main question considered was that of the necessity of legislative action to put the constitutional provision in force. In *In re Johnston*, 137 Cal. 115, it was decided that this constitutional grant gave to the corporation desiring to accept the privilege granted, free from any interference or supervision by the municipality, other than that authorized by the terms of the section, and hence, that the city could not require such corporation to procure a permit as a condition precedent to such use of the streets. (See also *South Pasadena vs. Pasadena*, 152 Cal. 586.) In *Stockton etc. Co. vs. San Joaquin County*, 148 Cal. 313, the decision was that this franchise or privilege, when accepted and used, is an incorporated hereditament, an easement in the particular street and partaking of the realty, local in situation and taxable in the county in which the street is situated, the same as other real property, and that it is not one of, or a part of, the general corporate franchises to do business upon which corporations are taxable only in the county in which the principal place of business is situated. In none of these cases was it necessary to con-

sider the extent of the franchise acquired by acceptance of the constitutional offer, that is to say, whether it was acquired and became vested only as far as it was used at the particular time to which the inquiry related, or whether it was a general present grant of a right or estate in all the streets to which the proposed system was designed to extend, and which vested as to all of them the moment it was accepted and used in one. There are expressions, however, in several of the decisions which show that the understanding of the court has been that the acceptance did not become complete otherwise than by actual use, nor extend further than such use, and that the right vested at the time of such use and not before. In *Stockton vs. San Joaquin Co.*, *supra*, (518), speaking of such a franchise we said: "It is only acquired when the constitutional grant is accepted; when the pipes and conduits for gas or the electric poles are laid in or erected on the streets of the city." Corporations having the capacity to take "do not acquire it until they have accepted it by proceeding to its actual exercise." Such franchise "is indissolubly annexed to the street of a city in and upon which it is exercised." In *South Pasadena vs. Pasadena*, *supra*, we said: "This right, when made available by actual possession and use, is a species of real property, appropriately designated as a franchise." The point decided in *Western Union Tel. Co. vs. Hopkins*, 160 Cal. 111-112, is, in principle, decisive of the precise question here involved. Referring there to the similar legislative grant to telegraph companies to construct telegraph lines along the highways of the state, contained in section 536 of the Civil Code, the court says it is similar to the constitutional provision in question here, and that it "would vest only when actually accepted by the exercise of the right granted" (p. 111); that "the exclusive occupation by a company of portions of public highways for the authorized purpose is an acceptance by it of the offered franchise" (p. 117); that the statute was a grant of rights in streets "which to the extent that they were accepted and availed of by any company, constitute a franchise granted by the state and accepted by the company" (p. 119); and again: "To the extent that the offer of the state contained in the section was accepted by a telegraph company by the actual occupa-

tion of a highway prior to any repeal, modification or suspension of the section, no right of revocation having been reserved, such telegraph company has vested rights that cannot be taken away by the state or city without compensation" (p. 120); and further: "So far as any company had not at such time availed itself of and thus accepted the provisions of section 536, there was no 'existing' grant or franchise to be annulled, and there was never any 'special' grant or franchise to be annulled, and there was never any 'special' or 'exclusive' privilege given by the section." (P. 123.) The part of the decision last quoted relates directly to the question whether the telegraph company, under the general legislative grant to all companies in any street acquired any right in the streets in which it had not erected poles or strung wires prior to a repeal of the section, which such repeal would divest. It is practically the same question as that presented here and is authority for the proposition that the gas company had no vested rights in streets not previously used for the laying of gas mains. To the same effect are *St. Louis vs. W. U. T. Co.*, 149 U. S. 465; *Northwest etc. Co. vs. St. Charles*, 154 Fed. 388, and *Muscagee etc. Co. vs. Hall*, 64 S. W. 603. There are cases involving grants of franchises in streets of a particular city to a particular person or corporation, which hold that a right vests in all streets as soon as the franchise is accepted, and that such acceptance may be manifested either by a formal written acceptance or by the actual exercise of the rights granted thereby. We do not consider these decisions authority upon the question here involved. The distinction between such special grant of a described right and the general offer here involved is obvious.

For these reasons we are of the opinion that Economic Gas Company had no vested right to excavate in the new street or to lay pipes therein to extend service into new territory within the city.

The petitioner is remanded to the custody of the chief of police of the city of Los Angeles.

SHAW, J.

We concur:

ANGELLOTTI, J.

SLOSS, J.

LORIGAN, J.

HENSHAW, J.

PRESENT TRANSPORTATION CONDITIONS

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY

PRELIMINARY REPORT NO. 9

Board of Supervisors,
City of San Francisco.

Gentlemen :

In preparation of material for my final report, matters have progressed far enough to enable me to submit to you in general outline as a basis for discussion some of the principal factors involved in the solution of your transportation problem for both the present and the future. And it is necessary that these should be discussed by you at this time in order to forestall the formation of incorrect opinions which might give undue weight to certain less important phases of the subject. From the development of public opinion during my study of your municipal problems, it is plain to me that erratic opinions are more easily formed than well balanced ones, due to the prevailing lack of basic information regarding proper standards of street railway operation. But I am confident that when the detailed facts are made known in my final report, the sober good judgment of your citizens will prevail, and the administration will be successful in developing a working plan by means of which the present perplexing obstacles may be removed, and your City may proceed in the rapid development which the unfortunate occurrences of recent years have simply retarded. No attempt is made herein to present or discuss detailed facts and figures, but simply to review briefly the scope of the problem which will be analyzed in detail in succeeding chapters. Its magnitude will be best appreciated by the following analysis into its elements each and all of which must be accomplished before a satisfactory solution of the problem can be effected.

ELEMENTS OF THE PROBLEM.

(1) Formulate new contract franchise plan under which both City and Corporation may operate their respective traction systems in harmony and to mutual advantage, with eventual unification in view.

(2) Develop a financial plan by which the ultimate acquisition of utilities by the City may be effected, without imposing impossible burdens upon either the City or Corporation.

(3) Revise present charter and ordinance restrictions so as to invite and secure private capital in developing transportation facilities.

(4) Work out a comprehensive schedule of extensions, based

upon some plan of equalization of franchise term with that of the connecting trunk line.

(5) Create an impartial technical commission having unquestioned authority in the regulation and supervision of municipal utilities.

(6) Devise a system of Municipal District Control, by which a unified development of the district and its utilities may be perpetuated.

(7) Follow a definite program of improvements in the city plan, for facilitating traffic and transportation.

(8) Provide adequate transportation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition in Harbor View, with the future needs of this district in view.

(9) Provide for expansion into unsettled suburban areas of the City and down the Peninsula by Market Street extension tunnel under Twin Peaks.

(10) Develop improved intercommunication between isolated districts of the City by tunnels and crosstown lines.

(11) Provide means of relief of street congestion on important transit routes and on lower Market Street.

(12) Establish the proper standards of service by re-routing and re-distribution of cars, and continuous improvements in the operating equipment.

(13) Amend City ordinances so as to remove operating impediments and improve facilities for passenger transit.

(14) Study the growth of the City, the Traction District, and the Utilities, and approximate the future revenues from the population served.

(15) Analyze the physical and financial condition of present traction properties, and determine the possibilities for expansion.

(16) Inaugurate a comprehensive plan for rehabilitation of the present property, with standards of equipment most suited to the needs of this city.

(17) Study the possibilities of future development of rapid transit plans by subway and connecting service lines.

(18) Review the history of traction development in San Francisco and other cities, with lessons to be learned therefrom.

(19) Develop conjointly a definite and concrete program for the future activities of the City and Corporation in transit matters.

Growth of the District--Past, Present and Future.

Within the short space of sixty years San Francisco has not only developed its utilities as have other American cities within the same period, but most important, it has developed its City, extended its water front, reclaimed its sand dunes, settled its hill-sides, and is now face to face with the serious problem of forcing

its utilities to keep pace with this rapid municipal development. And with the utmost certainty of tremendous expansion under the impetus of the Panama Canal, the City is just beginning to realize the difficulty of coping with this expansion in the face of competition of neighboring and other Coast cities, which have been extremely active within the past few years in perfecting their facilities for handling the expected commerce.

During the past decade a much higher annual rate of growth has taken place in the City than in any other period of her previous history. Commerce has increased proportionately, and the banking year of 1906 actually showed an increase in clearings, even with the enormous drop following the catastrophe of that year.

The utilities have advanced rapidly in earning capacity, more especially railways. But for the past decade, unfortunately, there has been practically no expansion. On the contrary, a tendency to concentrate and to increase earnings has manifested itself. At least one-third of the City is practically *unpopulated* through lack of necessary utility service—railway and water, while it is a fact that the southerly districts of this City embrace residential development sites, exceeding in natural advantages anything in the District, especially in convenience of transit when proper facilities are provided. That these sites remain undeveloped furnishes the most direct proof of the lack of proper service.

As small as it is, the City has not only not utilized its own territory, but contemplates expansion down the Peninsula and across the Bay. Unquestionably, the City should not only develop its own territory as rapidly as possible, but also attempt to evolve, in conjunction with adjacent cities, some form of metropolitan district control by means of which the normal and adequate development of utilities and other enterprises vital to its life, may be effected. If the prevailing rate of growth continues, San Francisco in 1925 will be the center of a District community* of 1,400,000 persons, or 600,000 persons within the City proper, from which \$16,000,000 per year will be paid into the coffers of the railway company alone.

With the recently added financial burdens of water system acquisitions, it is hardly to be expected that the City is in a position to immediately acquire the entire railway system, especially in view of the fact that franchise equities exist, which will enhance the purchase price until such franchises have expired.

A practicable means must therefore be found to insure certain immediate extensions and an adequate program for the future, if San Francisco intends to keep pace with the high rate of growth which is characteristic of the Coast cities. It has reached a point

*The Traction District in 1910 comprised 705,353 people. These estimates are very conservative, and probably low.

in development where increased concentration will work to its injury,[†] not because of too great density of population, but because of the competition from the attractive districts surrounding it.

Metropolitan District. If the existing municipal boundaries are obliterated from the map of most large cities, it will be found that the broad movements of population are usually quite independent of them, and that radiating lines of development extend in all directions as far as the topography of the country will permit, until the limitation of *time* or *cost* of transportation is reached.

This limitation finds its best expression in the *30-minute time-zone*, which generally represents the limit of thickly settled sections for the reason that the average business man cannot afford to spend more time in transit. If settlement is found beyond this 30-minute time zone, it occurs that peculiar attractions in climate and location, or low cost of land and fares thereto, compensate for the extra time required.

The time-zone map of San Francisco reveals the peculiar situation that although the greater portion of its area could be reached within 30 minutes by improved methods of transportation, yet at the present time only about *half* of its area has been developed. On the other hand, the daily migration of business population across the Bay presents no parallel in this country, with the exception of New York City. This is all the more astonishing when it is considered that *none of the trans-bay commuters are able to reach land within 30 minutes* from the business center[‡] of San Francisco, 20 or 30 minutes additional being required for these commuters to reach their homes in Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley, and the Marin County suburban towns.

The one really logical development—by steam road down the Peninsula—shows a volume of traffic which is relatively inconsiderable, and, moreover, has remained practically stationary in spite of the fact that millions have been spent in the construction of an improved rail entrance into the City by tunneling through the various ridges interposed.

That this extremely unbalanced development has occurred in spite of more rapid Peninsula service shows that it is largely due to the high cost of transportation. This is apparent from a comparative study of the *time-zone* and *rate-zone* maps appended. While a five-cent commuter fare reaches the north of Berkeley, for the same *time-distance* down the Peninsula, a fare of 13 1-3c.* is charged.

[†]This is manifested by the notable tendency toward apartment buildings rather than homes in the close-in districts of the city.

[‡]Third and Market streets.

*This time distance is an average corresponding to Redwood Station, midway between the limits of local time to Beresford (fare 11.68 cents) and express to Palo Alto (fare 15.83 cents).

This disparity of commuter rates is directly responsible, in my judgment, for the peculiarly erratic development of San Francisco, automatically reserving the attractive foothills of the Peninsula Coast Range for the rich land owner.

However, one fortunate result has occurred. Oakland has reached a state in its development where it is rapidly becoming practically a self-supported and self-centered city. That the rapid trans-bay suburban expansion of the past few years cannot continue in the future is shown by the fact that the probable limit of quick transit has been reached by a development in electrification which finds no parallel in this country; and as the fare could not conceivably be any lower, the filling up of the suburbs now laid out will tend to determine the future limits of trans-bay settlement.

San Francisco, on the other hand, will always continue to be the business and social center; and instead of attempting to curtail trans-bay development, it should turn to the development of the immense acreage within its own borders and down the Peninsula. This will undoubtedly come through improved transportation and as a reflex of the Panama Canal, if the opportunities are taken advantage of.

A most essential factor is that *transportation must precede settlement* of any territory. Any policy which attempts to reverse this process will certainly lead to utter failure to develop the resources of the City to the fullest extent.

Riding Habit. That the people of San Francisco are responsive to improved transportation is shown by the fact that the riding habit, as expressed in earnings per capita from transportation, is here the highest of any city in the country, and almost twice as high as the average city, even exceeding Los Angeles in this respect. This is due very largely to the prevailing liberality of its people, but also to the fact that the earnings from transportation are partly made up from daily business population, while the census is based upon sleeping population. And inasmuch as the daily trans-bay commuter traffic is fully 23 per cent of the population of San Francisco, this results in earnings per capita as high as \$18 to \$20, as against \$10 and \$12 for the average American city of moderate size. This fact constitutes the one prime source of optimism regarding the City's future development. *The earning capacity is available.* It only remains to develop a *transit policy* commensurate to the opportunity, and to execute this policy with courage and dispatch.

Topography. By a peculiar combination of topography, San Francisco is virtually shut in on all four sides, with the exception of a narrow pass down the Mission Valley around the base of the San Bruno Range. But the possession of perhaps the finest

harbor in the world is more than compensation, and the City should consider itself fortunate in not having more impassable barriers. Within the City limits numerous ridges and hills interpose obstacles which not only render transportation expensive, but which inevitably result in the comparative isolation of various districts, such as Hayes Valley, Noe Valley, Eureka Valley, Pope Valley, Happy Valley, Harbor View, Visitacion Valley, San Miguel Valley, etc. Up to the present time, this isolation has had one unfortunate tendency, viz.: to disorganize the City into numerous small, self-centered communities, whose interests have become so diverse (although, in reality, identical) as to constitute an almost insuperable barrier to wholesome municipal progress. The remedy for this is *quick and convenient intercommunication*, which can hardly be achieved until these barriers are removed by means of tunnels through the intervening hills.

At the present time the site of the Panama-Pacific Exposition in Harbor View is comparatively isolated in this manner, and will remain so until steps are taken for adequate transit facilities. This can best be done by tunnels, as the approach grades are too steep for any method of traction except the cable system, the capacity of which is extremely limited as compared with electric traction. In recognition of this fact, a considerable part of my previous work has been devoted to the subject of transit tunnels, as covered in three preliminary reports, Nos. 2, 3 and 5.

City Plan. Several factors contributing very greatly to the difficulties in providing proper transportation are directly traceable to the City Plan of San Francisco.

First—The unfortunate rectangular street layout, completely ignoring the existing topography. An attempt to rectify this inconceivable blunder has been made by the use of cable traction, but without hope of adequate results. For the settled portions of the City it is no longer possible to expect material changes, on account of the enormous property values affected. But for the outlying districts and *all new subdivisions*, efforts could be made to restrict all future street improvements to the contours or hill side plan, as recommended by D. H. Burnham and others.

Second—The angular position of the streets north of Market Street. While the streets of the Mission are well laid out on the parallel plan with respect to the main artery—Market Street—those of the 50-Vara District and Western Addition all intersect Market Street at an acute angle, permitting of no supplemental thoroughfares parallel to Market Street to which some of the traffic thereon may be conveniently diverted, as in the case of Mission Street. This means that *all of the traffic of the Western Addition must pour into or across the main Market Street artery*, without hope of

relief of that congested thoroughfare except by police régulation of vehicle traffic and the partial re-routing of cars.

Third—Another defect in the City Plan is the fact that the existing roadways north of Market Street are just too narrow to permit efficient vehicle traffic in addition to street cars; and, to make matters worse, the width of sidewalks is greater than usual, or than required. Here, however, it is not too late to apply the needed remedy in reducing sidewalk widths sufficient to permit two-line vehicle traffic in each direction.

Finally, the City is laid out in 25-foot lots, to a large extent, which encourages concentration and ultimate congestion by the use of very narrow buildings.

It is most unfortunate, though readily understood, that the financial condition of the community immediately after the disaster of 1906 did not permit of some improvements in the City Plan being carried out which would serve to rectify some of these blunders in the original plan, and particularly in the way of diagonal supplemental thoroughfares by which the hills could be avoided and short-cuts found for more convenient transit, and I believe that in some of these enterprises, it is still not too late to consider them, as this should be done before the property values have risen to prohibitive figures.

For example, I shall make recommendations for certain street extensions, regradings, contour subdivision of hill property, re-subdividing of some present rectangular hill property, improvement of The Embarcadero, rationalizing the present plan of sidewalk widths, methods of crossing the Park, the segregation of preferred transit routes from automobile and trucking thoroughfares, etc. And the City will be requested to do these things in the interest of rapid transit, irrespective of the identity of private or municipal traction interests.

Climatic Conditions. The prevalence of winds and fog in the Richmond and Sunset Districts is often cited as the reason for the delayed development of these sections. I believe this to be largely a fallacy, and that the real reason is the absence of adequate service from utilities, particularly railway and water. A recent report on water service in the outlying districts by your City Engineer confirms this conclusion. Such utilities must precede settlement.

There are numerous sections of the southwest district* that are admirably sheltered from the prevailing winds and fog from the Ocean, so that no good reason exists for their lack of development. Practically all of the down-Peninsula acreage is thus sheltered and

*As a matter of fact, even the anticipated building of the Market street extension tunnel has caused considerable activity in the development of some of these desirable areas south of the Twin Peaks ridge.

needs only *cheap and rapid* transportation to bring about a development similar to that across the Bay.

United States Weather Bureau reports for the past 41 years indicate the following normal conditions prevailing in San Francisco:

Seasonal temperature range.....	50° to 61° Fahrenheit;
Mean annual temperature.....	55.2° “
Relative humidity	75% ;
Fair	158 days;
Fair and cloudy.....	295 “
Actual precipitation	70 “
Average prevailing sea breeze.....	9.7 miles per hour.

During the working day (7 a. m. to 7 p. m.) it is found that the temperature rises to a mean of 56° Fahrenheit, accompanied by a rise in wind velocity and decrease in humidity, these factors combining to produce ideal working conditions. In the interior, the reverse is usually true with regard to wind velocity. These facts need only comparison with conditions of Eastern cities to show that from a climatic standpoint, some San Franciscans find fault with their chief civic asset.

Service and Rehabilitation. Unlike all other utilities, there exists in the street railway business an exceedingly intimate point of contact between the corporation and the patron—the street car—the successful operation of which involves an additional human element, and a very important one—the trainmen. In the light and power business, no human element enters between producer and consumer. In the telephone, only a distant exchange enters. In the railway, the consumer is daily brought into most intimate contact with the corporation, its physical property, and its personality, through its representatives, the carmen. Service is the reflex of these points of contact, and good or poor, according as the integrity of the physical property is maintained, and as the discipline of the trainmen is rigidly enforced.

The former is indicated principally in the condition of the cars and roadbed, which in turn reflects either the financial condition of the property, or the desire of its operators for dividends. This condition of the operating property has been determined by a detailed examination of plant, rolling stock and roadbed, which reveals the fact that a large amount of rehabilitation work still remains to be done in various parts of the City, although the extensive reconstruction following the disaster of 1906 is responsible for the electric track in many parts of the City being in very good condition at the present time. And although much of the rolling stock is in good condition, a considerable portion will have to be retired at an early date, either entirely or confined to the outlying dis-

tricts, only the largest and most modern equipment being permitted on the down-town streets. The introduction of the prepayment principle has brought about the necessity of certain changes in the more modern equipment now in operation, especially in platform capacity, so that even with the addition of the new equipment contemplated, much rehabilitation and improvement work will have to be carried out.

To determine what service standards exist in San Francisco, a complete traffic count of the entire transit system has been made for a composite normal working day, together with supplemental observations upon street and pedestrian traffic, and not only does this count cover the main traffic arteries of the entire City, but also involves the riding habits of each individual line or route, the location of zones of maximum travel, and the average passenger haul of the various lines.

The results of these traffic counts indicate a wide variation in the general character of service on the individual routes, some of which appear to be favored, others neglected, both with respect to frequency of headway and type of equipment, resulting in excessive car loading on certain routes, all of which can only be remedied by additional equipment and re-routing of cars, with such service redistribution as the individual route counts show to be necessary, thus saving considerable useless car mileage for operation *when and where most needed*, as determined by the riding habit of passengers. Car congestion in lower Market Street and the delays in running schedule resulting therefrom can be improved very materially, so as to conserve the full capacity of this important thoroughfare, and similar methods of relief may be applied to other parts of the system with immediate results. Recommendations in detail will be made in my final report.

Although the Company is operating practically up to its published schedule, even the addition of the 65 new cars ordered and the few being reconstructed at the Company's shops will barely suffice to realize a proper standard of rush hour service, irrespective of the future demands of the Panama-Pacific Exposition traffic.

An exceedingly liberal transfer system is in effect, in fact so liberal as to permit of extensive "loop riding" for a single fare, and the City should co-operate in any feasible plan to reduce loop riding without considering this as a curtailment of the franchise privilege, for every return fare thus stolen by a dishonest patron has to be paid for by the honest patron.

One important fact brought out by the examination is that the present traffic of electric lines is far beyond the maximum possible capacity of any cable system.

The above service conditions, when viewed in the light of events of 1906 and 1907, need not appear so unfortunate as they might do otherwise if a *certainly of immediate relief* were assured. Re-routing will involve some readjustment of the labor schedule, as any increased rush hour service as compared with day service will mean an increase in short-time trainmen or "trippers." Increased investment will be necessitated to provide this rush hour service desired; and all these factors focus in the corporate income account and the operating ratio. It is thoroughly impracticable for a regulative body to proceed blindly with the ordering of service or equipment, without determining whether the income will warrant such an increase; for it must be remembered that the street railway is the only utility operating with a fixed maximum income unit—5 cents—which provides no flexibility whatever in the adjustment of operations to returns as in other utilities; and *necessitates the cutting of the operating cloth to fit the financial pattern*. It is therefore extremely necessary that any settlement or regulation be based upon the fundamental fact as determined by the income account which the Company should cheerfully furnish.

Transit Developments. To carry out the necessary development of railway extensions, several distinct plans have been devised for the present and future, and from the several standpoints of a private, a municipal, and an ultimately unified system. On the theory of competition, many extensions to the present nucleus of a municipal system could be devised, but which would require duplication of capital investment. However, from an economic standpoint, duplication of investment is improper and unjustifiable; so that the municipal system may find its most logical expansion along lines of *development rather than competition*. This is the fundamental idea of the development of properties interrelated from a capital standpoint, which ultimately must gravitate to the ideal situation—UNIFICATION—one city, one fare, universal transfers, unified operation, minimum investment.

At the present time, San Francisco absolutely requires a large increase in mileage, but the fact exists that under the conditions that have been imposed (in the hope of immediate results, no doubt), *not one foot of extensions may be expected from private capital*. Yet some of these extensions are most pressing, such as additional facilities to the Exposition site in Harbor View.

Legal Matters. The legal status of the railway utility in San Francisco is clear. With a franchise life of about 20 to 25 years, and the corporation in possession of main thoroughfares and the lines of maximum traffic density, it will be possible to continue operation to the end of the franchise term with every assurance

of reaping maximum profits—that is, the “cream,” leaving the “skimmed milk” for municipal enterprise.

The present franchise situation is extremely complicated by overlapping grants, by non-conformity of franchise conditions, by the lack of official cancellation of portions of unused franchises, etc. Naturally, having acquired numerous competing franchises, the Corporation has abandoned many parts in the interests of a more coherent and efficient operating system. And it appears to be a fact that these lapses were recognized by the municipal government without invalidating the remaining rights, for its officials have apparently given a left-handed consent by taking no action, and until late years, not even seeing to it that the Corporation lived up to the terms of its various franchises. In such cases of lax municipal control, it is often a difficult and tedious process for municipalities to reclaim their rights and deferred revenues thereunder. Therefore, it seems more desirable for the City to straighten out its present affairs and to provide for the future than to endeavor to extract questionable compensation from the uncertainty of the past. And an attempt might very well be made at this time to clarify the franchise situation and relieve the City streets of present questionable franchise encumbrances by a new blanket agreement in the form of a co-operative contract-franchise.

Under the present charter, no purchase clause is in effect giving the City the right to buy the existing property at any time, and so long as the Corporation conducts its financial affairs in a reasonable manner—that is, without forcing its rate of return to the utmost limit—it stands intrenched, except in the regulation of service. As the City cannot logically impose a higher standard of service upon the Corporation than upon its own lines, the Corporation need have little fear from the City's competition, because of the higher operating expenses imposed by the City Charter and the higher investment that has prevailed.

In the new City Charter and the contemplated amendments thereto, conditions are imposed which practically debar private capital from investment in San Francisco, whether the point of view of the capitalist is reasonable or not. Two facts stand out prominently:

First—Private capital must be given an opportunity to secure its investment by reclaiming it during a reasonable term; and

Second—A rate of return must be guaranteed that will be sufficiently attractive under average conditions of the financial market, commensurate with the risk involved. That risk is involved even in so apparently insured an investment as street railways is evidenced by the uncertain future of traction properties throughout the entire country.

These Charter provisions and the underlying theory with respect to private capital will have to be modified, or else it is incumbent upon the City to buy its utilities at once at a considerable premium. It cannot force private capital to invest under conditions considered unprofitable. At the same time, there are extensions which cannot be made by the City, but ought to be made by the corporation, and vice versa. And it is believed that the Corporation would then cheerfully extend into non-competitive territory, even in the face of the City's avowed intention of forcing out private capital. In my judgment, therefore, certain steps could well be taken at the present time to remedy these conditions:

First—the Charter may be amended so as to make private investment possible.

Second—Present corporate franchises may be merged on some equitable basis of equalization with extension franchises desired.

Third—Duplication of investment may be avoided by non-competitive extensions, with the object of ultimate unification of the entire property at the lowest possible investment cost.

Without a real solution of this major problem, all of the minor activities proposed in this report and by other organized bodies having the interests of the City at heart will be entirely frustrated. The question of a sane, reasonable, and workable franchise agreement between the City and the United Railroads is the *first great matter to be settled*, to which all others are subordinate, and no time should be lost in formulating a plan for submission to the voters in November.

It is necessary for me to say here that the evolution of this much-desired plan will not be furthered by the use of old arguments and the useless discussion of former abuses and unfortunate occurrences in the history of civic and traction development, by both sides of the controversy, to force concessions. *Progress is not retroactive*. Conditions exist today as they are, without reference to the past, and a solution must be found for *today and tomorrow*, rather than yesterday. Consequently, the application of radical restraints to the present situation will utterly defeat the purpose of the sober and determined citizens of this City to record a fresh page in the history of their civic development.

Regulation and Supervision. The most hopeful fact in relation to this proposed agreement is that the California municipalities have unquestioned jurisdiction over their public utilities in a regulative or supervisory capacity—that is, over rates, service and equipment, and to some degree over extensions. When it is considered that some of the older Eastern cities have virtually lost control of their streets and through gross misjudgment have awarded franchises running as high as 999 years without com-

pensation, with standards of service on the lowest plane, with the corporations on the verge of bankruptcy by reason of the excessive burden of securities issued upon these perpetual franchises, with the riding habit curtailed by this poor service, and with little hope of new capital for rehabilitation and extensions under the prevailing financial plan, *the position of San Francisco is enviable, indeed.* The power lies within its hands to evolve a magnificent transportation system under the impetus of high earning capacity. With sane regulation and the recognition of the rights of private capital, it will be possible for the City to develop along logical lines, both its municipal and its private systems with a certainty of ultimate unification. It goes without saying that such regulation must be practical and not punitive, and one of the first requisites is for the municipal legislative body to create and maintain a commission of technically trained men to carry out this highly technical business and relieve the legislative body from the consideration of the innumerable details of such a business. The time and training of a legislator does not permit him to engage in the operation of a public utility.

Such a commission must have complete and unquestioned authority over all operating, construction and financial matters, except the purely legislative function of granting franchises. There is no middle ground of *divided responsibility*. And if conditions with regard to term of office, compensation and technical training cannot be made so as to create a commission of adequate ability and of absolutely independent political connection, then a simple bureau or branch of the City government would be preferable, having advisory and investigative powers only. But the former would be more desirable, and is directly in line with the establishment of the First and Second District Commissions of New York, having respective jurisdictions over the City and State of New York.

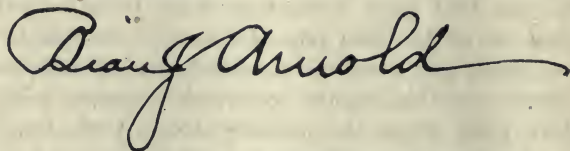
Conclusions. Summarizing, the foregoing may best be epitomized in the form of a development program to be followed out by both City and Company in effecting a solution of the present difficulties. The City has unquestionably been greatly handicapped in its development by the failure of the transit companies to keep pace with its rapid rise in civic standards, as well as in magnitude. But the problems of the future have not been fully appreciated in the past, and as a result of lax municipal control, abuses have crept in, which should now be remedied.

On the other hand, the present corporation is in a measure struggling with an inheritance of financial evils whose oppressive nature were only brought to light by the disastrous fire and strike. As a result of this loss, which could hardly have been anticipated, it finds itself in straightened finances, unable to meet the higher

standards of service, and with credit contracted by reason of the City's expressed determination to effect complete municipal ownership of its utilities. Additional investment must have security of return, and with impossible conditions imposed, such investment is therefore automatically nullified.

It must be apparent that until the City is able to purchase its utilities at a fair price, it must depend upon them for service. Consequently the interests of City and Corporation are most intimately identified in the matter of transportation, and it is upon this premise that the following program is suggested. Urgent action upon the major problem is most necessary.

Respectfully submitted,



Consulting Engineer.

Prepared Sept. 14, 1912.

Time-Zone and Rate-Zone Maps referred to in foregoing report are on file in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

APPENDIX I.

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR CITY AND CORPORATION.

Immediate.

- I. City to amend Charter and ordinances to invite and secure private capital in traction enterprises until City is ready to acquire its utilities.
- II. Enter into Conference with regard to extensions, equalization of franchise life, terms imposed, co-operative settlement plan, etc.:
 - (a) Future extension projects;
 - (b) Status of present franchises.
- III. Determine and provide for transportation facilities to Panama-Pacific Exposition grounds.
- IV. Company to acquire additional equipment as rapidly as possible, until proper standard of service is reached.
- V. Company to press rehabilitation of all parts of operating system until fully standardized.

Thereafter.

- VI. Progressive evolution of City Plan for facilitating more rapid car operation by tunnels and other means.
- VII. Continuous program of extensions, preferably non-competitive.

- VIII. Rerouting and redistribution of service, proportionate to actual traffic requirements.
- IX. Progressive retirement of obsolete equipment, and uniform increase in new equipment proportionate to growth in population.
- X. Reorganization of financial system, to support adequate Depreciation and Renewal Fund out of earnings.
- XI. Progressive system of renewals, to provide for inadequate and obsolete property.
- XII. Establishment of impartial regulation and supervision of municipal utilities.
- XIII. Development of Bay cities under Metropolitan District Control.
- XIV. Progressive unification of operating utilities, and development of financial plan for ultimate acquisition by City.
- XV. Development of transit facilities, with eventual rapid transit subway and surface lines in view.

APPENDIX II.

SCOPE OF TRANSPORTATION REPORT.

Summary of Detailed Matters Upon Which Recommendations and Conclusions Are Presented, Including Those Already Covered in Preliminary Reports Presented to the Board of Supervisors.

Preliminary Reports Presented.

No. 01. Preliminary analysis of transit problem, defining important lines of investigation. Jan. 26, 1912.

No. 1. Geary Street car. General design and proportions. Revision of specifications prepared by Board of Public Works. Feb. 7, 1912.

No. 2. Tunnels and subways. Results of preliminary investigations, locating the Fort Mason Tunnel, and improving the Stockton Street project. Feb. 9, 1912.

No. 3. Tunnels into Harbor View. Recommending the Fillmore Street and Broadway Street tunnels. Mch. 29, 1912.

No. 4. Geary Street Road. Location of extensions at the outer terminal. Apr. 8, 1912.

No. 5. Twin Peaks Tunnel. Development of general alignment, grades and terminals. May 3, 1912.

No. 7, Part I. United Railroads 1912 car.

Analysis of proposed type, with regard to proper standards.

Aug. 17, 1912.

No. 9. Present transportation conditions, San Francisco and vicinity. Including general review of scope of complete report and elements of a proposed transit policy.

Sept. 14, 1912.

Preliminary Reports Completed.

No. 6. Lower Market Street. Development of four-track operating plan, and relief of car and traffic congestion.

June 26, 1912.

No. 7, *Part II*. United Railroads car equipment. Improvements and modifications in present types.

No. 8. Twin Peaks Rapid Transit Tunnel. Determination of types of construction, stations, connecting lines, capacity and future developments.

No. 10, *Part I*. Transit development plans. Facilities for serving the Exposition at Harbor View, both with and without tunnels.

No. 10, *Part II*. Comprehensive transit systems for the entire city:

- (a) Municipal system, competitive;
- (b) Private system, competitive;
- (c) Unified system, non-competitive;
- (d) Subway and surface rapid transit.

No. 11. Traffic and service in the downtown districts. Analysis of riding habit and results of complete traffic count on all lines.

No. 12. Improvements in City Plan. Street extensions and modifications necessary for rapid transit.

Subjects to be Covered in Final Report.

No. 13. Legislative matters. Franchise status; co-operative settlement plan; Charter amendments; perfection of system of corporate regulation and supervision.

No. 14. Findings of fact from operating and financial records of San Francisco railways.

No. 15. Railway physical property. Growth, extent and present condition.

No. 16, *Part I*. Rerouting and service redistri-

bution. Alternative plans for the relief of downtown district.

No. 16, Part II. Expansion and redistribution in outlying district.

No. 17. Harbor front transportation improvements. Ferry terminal and The Embarcadero.

No. 18. Deductions from history of traction development in the San Francisco district.

No. 19. Analysis of law of growth of city and district, with prediction of future possibilities.

No. 20. Development of a plan of action for City and Corporation, covering essential phases of the transportation problem.

End of Preliminary Report No. 9.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which matters were received, read and ordered filed:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, chairman.

Public Health Committee, by Supervisor Caglieri, chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee, by Supervisor Mauzy, chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, chairman.

Public Utilities Committee by Supervisor Vogelsang, chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Koshland, chairman.

Streets Committee, by Supervisor George E. Gallegher, Chairman.

Telephone and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Hilmer, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee, by Supervisor Payot, chairman.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Proposals for furnishing the following equipment and supplies were received, opened and read, being as follows:

Motor Ambulance.

1. H. O. Harrison, \$5000; certified check \$500.

2. Consolidated Motor Car Co., \$5000; certified check \$500.

Metal Filing Cases.

3. M. G. West Co., \$320; certified check \$35.00.

4. General Fire Proofing Co., \$308; certified check \$31.00.

5. Sanborn-Vail Co., \$320 (a), \$466 (b); certified check \$47.00.

Courtroom Furniture, Hall of Justice.

6. Whitaker, Ray-Wiggin Co.; certified check \$300.

7. H. S. Crocker Co.; certified check \$555.

8. Wentworth & Boyce; certified check \$422.

9. Wm. Bateman; certified check \$600.

10. Rucker-Fuller Desk Co.; certified check \$564.

11. Milton Heynemann & Co.; certified check \$625.

12. Phoenix Desk and Chair Co.; certified check \$289.

13. C. F. Weber & Co.; certified check \$300.

14. A. H. Andrews Co.; certified check \$195.50.

Ordered referred to the Supplies Committee.

HEARING OF PROTESTS, STOCKTON STREET TUNNEL.

The hearing of protests of property owners in the matter of the construction of a tunnel in Stockton street from Sutter to Sacramento street, fixed by Resolution No. 9632 (New Series) for 3 p. m., September 4, 1912, and laid over until this date, was proceeded with.

Whereupon, the Clerk announced that there had been filed this day in his office a protest by one T. C. Blake-man.

His Honor the Mayor then asked if there were any protestants who wanted to be heard.

Privilege of the Floor.

Samuel Wilson, representing the Wilson Estate Company, appeared, was

granted the privilege of the floor and protested.

Geo. Skaller was also granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board in answer to the protest made by Mr. Winslow.

Wm. McCarthy, representing *Harriet McCarthy*, was also granted the privilege of the floor and protested on same grounds as heretofore advanced in previous hearings.

Assistant City Engineer Grunsky also addressed the Board and in reply to question from Supervisor *Giannini* stated that the protestants had plenty of opportunity to present basis for their claims for damages.

His Honor the Mayor then asked if there was anybody present who protested the increased assessment.

No response.

Adopted.

Thereupon, the following resolution was presented by Supervisor *Mauzy* and adopted:

Modifying and Confirming New Report of Board of Public Works and Levying an Assessment to Defray Cost, Damages and Expenses of Tunnel Construction.

Resolution No. 9681 (New Series), as follows:

In the Matter of the Construction and Completion of a Tunnel with Approaches and Appurtenances Thereto in Stockton Street, Between Sutter Street and Sacramento Street, in the City and County of San Francisco, Pursuant to the Resolution of Intention of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County in that Behalf, Being Resolution No. 8818 (New Series), Approved November 9, 1911.

The Board of Public Works having on the 15th day of July, 1912, filed with the Board of Supervisors of said City and County, a new report in the above entitled matter, pursuant to the provisions of "The Tunnel Procedure Ordinance" containing and showing all the matters and things required to be therein contained and shown by the provisions of said ordinance.

And the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors having, upon the filing of said new report, given notice of said filing and of the time within which all objections thereto should be filed, by the publication of the notice required and provided for by Section 7 of said ordinance, in the manner therein provided; and the time for filing said protests to said new report with the Board of Supervisors having expired; and certain protests to said new report having been filed.

And said Board of Supervisors at their next regular meeting after the expiration of the time for filing protests, having fixed the 26th day of August, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m. of that

day in the chambers or meeting room of said Board of Supervisors, in the City Hall, No. 1231 Market street, in said City and County, as the time and place of hearing all protests filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to said tunnel construction or to the plans or specifications therefor, or to the extent of the assessment districts defined in said resolution of intention of the Board of Supervisors, or to the amount of damages or benefits determined by the Board of Public Works of said City and County as the result of said tunnel construction as shown by said new report of said Board of Public Works, or to any act, determination or proceeding of the Board of Supervisors or of the Board of Public Works in relation to such construction or to any other matter in connection therewith as to which any person would have a constitutional right of protest, and for the hearing of any and all protests as to any or all of said matters or things.

And the Clerk of said Board of Supervisors having thereupon given notice of the time and place of said hearing by the publication of a notice thereof for at least five days in the official newspaper commencing August 20, 1912.

And at said time and place so fixed as aforesaid, but before the hearing of any protests, there having been filed with said Board of Supervisors affidavits showing that all of the publications and postings referred to in Section 9 of said "The Tunnel Procedure Ordinance" had been made as required by said ordinance, and the said Board of Supervisors, before proceeding with said hearing having caused to be entered in its minutes an order reciting that all the publications and the postings in said section last aforesaid referred to had been made as required by said ordinance.

Thereupon the Board of Supervisors proceeded with the hearing of and heard all of the protests so filed to said new report of said Board of Public Works as aforesaid, and all persons who desired to make any objection or protest thereto, and having fully considered all of said protests and objections and all of the evidence introduced in support thereof and in relation thereto and having determined to allow the following damages other than and in addition to those determined by said Board of Public Works in its said new report herein, to-wit:

To *Thomas S. Dolliver*, for damages to his property described in his protest filed in this matter and herein-after described, the sum of two thousand three hundred and forty (\$2,340.00) dollars, and to *Berteo Investment Company*, a corporation, for damages to its property described in

its protest filed in this matter and hereinafter described, the sum of two thousand one hundred (\$2,100.00) dollars, and having required the Board of Public Works to make and furnish to said Board of Supervisors the mathematical calculations necessary to make its said new report conform to said modifications above specified, prior to Wednesday, the 4th day of September, 1912, and having adjourned the hearing of the matter, and said hearing to the date last aforesaid at 3 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of enabling said Board of Public Works to make and furnish the same to this Board in accordance with the provisions of Section 9a of "The Tunnel Procedure Ordinance," and said hearing having been thereafter duly and regularly adjourned and continued from time to time until the 16th day of September, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m., and the said Board of Public Works having on the said 16th day of September, 1912, filed with the Board of Supervisors the mathematical calculation necessary to make its said new report conform to the modification aforesaid, and in order to make the same more conveniently and clearly appear did re-engross said new report showing the said modifications aforesaid, which said re-engrossed report was filed with the Clerk of this Board on the 16th day of September, 1912.

And said Board of Public Works in making said mathematical calculation having construed the action of this Board to mean that the additional damages provided for by said proposed modification should be provided for by distributing said increased amount pro rata to each parcel of land of said districts of lands described in said resolution of intention, thereby increasing the total amount of the benefits which each of the respective subdivisions or parcels of land in the territory of the districts described in said resolution of intention will receive from and by the construction of said tunnel, so that the total amount of said estimated benefits will equal the total amount of the itemized estimate of the cost of said tunnel including damages to property and incidental expenses; all of which, including each proposed increased assessment is shown in and by said report of the Board of Public Works as so modified as aforesaid and re-engrossed; and certain questions having arisen respecting the plans, profiles, cross-sections and general specifications of the work required for the completion of such tunnel as shown in Part I of said new report, it was by this Board on said 16th day of September, 1912, resolved that the Board of Supervisors intended to and would pass upon and decide and determine the question

as to whether the benefits to accrue from such proposed tunnel is in each and every case equal to the amount stated by said Board of Public Works in said mathematical calculation and re-engrossed report filed by it on September 16, 1912, at the next ensuing hearing of this matter, and that the Board of Supervisors would at the same time and place consider and pass upon and decide and determine any objections to or suggested changes or modifications in said plans, profiles, cross-sections and general specifications of the work required for the completion of such tunnel as shown in Part I of said new report; and that the further hearing of said matter be continued until Monday, the 23d day of September, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m.

And this Board having on this 23d day of September, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m. resumed the said hearing pursuant to said adjournment, and having at said hearing afforded and given all persons desiring to object to said new report or to any of the matters and things therein contained or hereinbefore enumerated and referred to, an opportunity to be heard, and having heard all persons desiring to make any objection or protest thereto, and the said hearing having been brought to a close, and all and singular all of said matters and things, and the evidence introduced in relation thereto having been by this Board fully considered;

Resolved, That a full hearing of said new report and of all objections and protests thereto has been had and that all protests filed or made to said new report have been fully considered;

Resolved, That said new report of said Board of Public Works be, and the same is hereby modified in the following particulars, to-wit:

1. By awarding to and there is hereby awarded to Thomas S. Dolliver as and for damages to his property, situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the southeast corner of California and Stockton streets and running thence east along southerly line of California street sixty-eight (68) feet nine (9) inches; thence at right angles southerly sixty-five (65) feet, thence at right angles westerly sixty-eight (68) feet nine (9) inches to the easterly line of Stockton street, thence north along said line of Stockton street to the point of beginning, the sum of two thousand three hundred and forty (\$2,340.00) dollars.

2. By awarding to and there is hereby awarded to Berteo Investment Company, a corporation, for damages to its property, situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of Cali-

fornia, and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the westerly line of Stockton street sixty-seven (67) feet five and three-fourths ($5\frac{3}{4}$) inches south from California street, thence south along said easterly line of Stockton street seventy (70) feet and one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) of an inch, thence at right angles westerly one hundred thirty-seven (137) feet six (6) inches, thence at right angles northerly sixty-eight (68) feet nine (9) inches, thence at right angles easterly twenty (20) feet, thence at right angles northerly one (1) foot three and one-fourth ($3\frac{1}{4}$) inches, thence at right angles easterly one hundred seventeen (117) feet six (6) inches to the point of beginning.

the sum of two thousand one hundred (\$2,100.00) dollars.

3. That the additional damages provided for by said proposed awards to Thomas S. Dolliver and Berteo Investment Company, as aforesaid be provided for by distributing said increased amount pro rata to each parcel of land within said districts of lands described in said resolution of intention, thereby increasing the total amount of the benefits which each of the respective subdivisions or parcels of land within the territory of the districts described in said resolution of intention will receive from and by the construction of said tunnel, so that the total amount of said estimated benefits will equal the total amount of the itemized estimate of the costs of said tunnel including damages to property and incidental expenses.

All of which said modifications aforesaid, including each increased proposed assessment is shown in and by said new report of said Board of Public Works as so modified as aforesaid and re-engrossed, which said re-engrossed copy thereof was filed with this Board on the 16th day of September, 1912;

And that, as so modified as aforesaid, the said new report of the Board of Public Works be and the same is hereby confirmed.

And that all objections and protests to said new report (other than said protests of said Thomas S. Dolliver and of said Berteo Investment Company, a corporation), be and the same are hereby denied and overruled.

And that the benefits to accrue from such tunnel construction to the several parcels or subdivisions of land within the two districts of land benefited by said tunnel construction and described in said Resolution of Intention No. 8818 (New Series) and in said new report, is in each and every case determined and found to be equal to be and is the amount stated by said Board of Public Works in said new

report as modified, re-engrossed and filed as aforesaid.

And that an assessment is hereby levied upon the lands and subdivisions of lands contained within the two districts of land benefited by said tunnel construction and described in said Resolution of Intention No. 8818 (New Series) and in said new report, to defray the damages, costs and expenses of such tunnel construction; and that the map constituting Part III of said new report (as modified and re-engrossed as aforesaid) showing said districts of land and also the subdivisions of the property therein, each of which subdivisions is given upon said map a separate number, and the list constituting Part IV of said new report (as modified and re-engrossed as aforesaid) referring to said subdivisions on said map by the respective numbers thereof and showing an estimate of the benefits which each of said subdivisions or parcels will receive from and by the construction of such tunnel, shall be and constitute the assessment made and levied for defraying the damages, costs and expenses of such tunnel construction; and the amount of the benefits set opposite each parcel of land therein shall constitute the amount of the assessment thereon; be it further

Resolved, That the assessments made and levied as aforesaid for defraying the damages, costs and expenses of said tunnel construction may be paid in annual installments as in said "The Tunnel Procedure Ordinance" provided, that is to say: each of said assessments may be paid in ten (10) equal installments, with interest on deferred payments as in said ordinance and hereinafter provided, upon condition that the owner or owners of such property shall make, execute and deliver the agreement provided for by Section 17 of said "The Tunnel Procedure Ordinance" and otherwise comply with all of the provisions and requirements of said ordinance in that behalf, the first of which installments shall be paid at the time of the application to the tax collector for such agreement. The second installment shall be paid on or before the last Monday in December in the next fiscal year and subsequent installments shall be paid annually thereafter, one each year, on or before said last Monday of December therein, until all of said ten (10) installments shall have been paid; and the Board of Supervisors now specifies the term of years to be covered by said annual installments to be as hereinbefore set forth, and the rate of interest to be paid upon all unpaid installments, or deferred payments as provided in said "The Tunnel Procedure Ordinance" is to be seven (7%) per cent per annum.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9682 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Pacific Gas & Electric Co., street lights, August, 1912 (claim dated Sept. 3, 1912).....	\$34,754.63
Western Fuel Co., coal, Fire Department (claim dated July 31, 1912).....	1,374.70
Egan Bros., straw, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912).....	547.50
Producers' Hay Co., oats, Fire Department (claim dated July 25, 1912).....	1,810.27
J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Fire Department (claim dated July 30, 1912).....	1,902.37
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil Fire Department (claim dated July 31, 1912).....	928.35

Library Fund

The Emporium, books, S. F. Public Library (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912).....	\$697.00
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General Fund, Fire Department Account, 1911-1912.

Seagrave Co., motor driven hook and ladder truck, Fire Department (claim dated June 29, 1912).....	\$9,475.00
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Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Geo. F. Bartlett, investigation water supply (claim dated Aug. 29, 1912).....	\$743.75
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Britton & Rey, photo engraving, etc., investigation water supply (claim dated July 31, 1912).....	961.43
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Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Mahoney Bros., 4th payment, track construction (claim dated Sept. 4, 1912).....	\$49,763.15
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F. Rolandi, 2nd payment, construction car house, etc. (claim dated Sept. 4, 1912).....	17,523.09
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General Fund, 1912-1913.

Spring Valley Water Co., water hydrants (claim	
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dated Aug. 28, 1912).....	\$10,967.50
Neal Publishing Co., Department of Elections (claim dated Aug. 28, 1912).....	4,801.16

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Townley Mill & Lumber Co., 1st payment, construction or election booths, Department of Elections (claim dated June 30, 1912).....	\$1,274.00
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Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor A. J. Gallagher—1.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Resolution No. 9683 (New Series),

as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Series 1908.

Elmer Carlson, final payment, general construction, Lowell High School (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912).....	\$25,526.63
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Elmer Carlson, extra work, Lowell High School (claim dated Aug. 28, 1912).....	968.05
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Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Payne Bolt Works, bolts, tie rods, etc. (claim dated Aug. 26, 1912).....	\$564.97
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Tearing Up Streets Fund.

P. J. Gartland, repaving over sidewalk trenches. (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912).....	\$1,333.10
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Duplicate Tax Fund.

Charles G. Lyman (claim dated Sept. 7, 1912).....	\$1,202.12
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Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue January 1, 1908.

C. E. Grunsky, water supply investigation (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912).....	\$787.29
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General Fund, 1911-1912.

Sun Tent & Awning Co. canvas covers, Department of Elections (claim dated June 30, 1912).....	\$950.00
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Repairs to Streets Fund.

E. B. & A. L. Stone, paving gravel (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912).....	928.50
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Antioch Sand Co., sand, Department of Public Works (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912).....	737.30
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Pacific Portland Cement Co., lime dust, Department of Public Works (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912).....	2,406.92
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Antioch Sand Co., sand, Department of Public Works (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912).....	744.05
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General Fund 1912-1913.

The S. F. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, impounding, feeding, etc., of animals (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912).....	\$850.00
The S. F. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, impounding, feeding, etc., of animals (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912).....	850.00
D. A. White, as Chief of Police, contingent allowance (claim dated September 1, 1912)	666.66
J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Police Patrol (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)	638.69
Eilers Music Co., piano, Relief Home (claim dated Aug. 26, 1912).....	756.00
Jas. Otis, Trustee of Whitcomb Estate, rent, temporary City Hall (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912).....	5,250.00
Frank O'Shea, teaming, Playground Commission (claim dated Sept. 12, 1912).....	595.75
Rincon Publishing Company, public documents (claim dated Sept. 12, 1912).....	811.83
The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. F., maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912)	3,775.85
The Boys and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912)	726.72
Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vincent's Asylum, Marin county, Cal., maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912).....	1,938.97
The Catholic Humane Bureau, maintenance of minors (claim dated July 31, 1912)	4,245.30
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 1, 1912)	1,218.86
Sister Mary Caine, Supt. Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated July 31, 1912).....	1,026.96
Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated July 31, 1912)	749.60
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.	

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9684 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be ex-

pended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to wit:

<i>For the Reconstruction, Etc., of School Department Buildings, Budget Item 551.</i>	
For repairs to schools during month of September, 1912, to be expended by the Board of Public Works....	\$8,000.00
<i>For Paving, Repairing, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.</i>	
For the construction of granite curbing, etc., at intersection of Buena Vista avenue and Waller street.....	\$80.00
For paving of roadway in Elizabeth street, near Douglass street, in front of public school	2,500.00
For paying City's portion of improving the crossing of Twelfth avenue and Cabrillo street.....	135.00
For paying City's portion of improving the crossing of Forty-third avenue and Cabrillo street.....	80.00
For paying City's portion of improving the crossing of Thirteenth avenue and Cabrillo street	135.00
<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.</i>	
For testing of soil of proposed City Hall site.....	\$2,000.00
<i>Urgent Necessities.</i>	
For expenses of litigation, water rates, Spring Valley Water Co.	\$300.00
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund 1908.</i>	
For hauling and laying pipe under contract No. 49.....	\$78,000.00
For Ashbury Heights tank...	1,828.70
For pig lead, bolts, nuts, etc.	15,000.00
For unloading, storing and testing pipe	10,000.00
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.	
Resolution No. 9685 (New Series), as follows:	
Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Geary Street Railway Fund, bond issue July 1, 1910, for the following purposes, to wit:	
For purchase of nine thousand first-class redwood cross ties, as per bid of Julius Heyman Company..	\$7,000.00
For purchase of eighteen thousand tie plates, as per bid of Eccles and Smith Company	2,350.00
For furnishing and installing electric conductors and ap-	

purtenances, as per bid of John G. Sutton Company, and cost of inspection and possible bonus 66,000.00
 For purchase of copper wire, as per bid of John G. Sutton Company, and cost of inspection 3,300.00
 For purchase of copper wire bonds, as per bid of The United States Steel Products Company, and cost of inspection 1,650.00
 For purchase of tie rods and nuts, as per bid of the Payne Bolt Works, and cost of inspection 700.00
 Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

State Tax for Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

Bill No. 2253, Ordinance No. 2026 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for raising the amount of money required under the provisions of Section 22, Article IV of the Constitution of the State of California, as amended November 8, 1910," which provides for the raising of State money in aid of Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Oil, Garage, Laundry and Boiler Permits.
 Resolution No. 9686 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

George D. Stone, 119 Sacramento street, capacity 1500 gallons.

City and County of San Francisco, northeast corner of O'Farrell and Scott streets, capacity 2000 gallons.

Garages.

Bert Perry, north side of Geary street 32 feet 6 inches west of Twelfth avenue.

Albert A. Rhine, south side of Geary street 187 feet 6 inches west of Jones street.

Boilers.

City and County of San Francisco, northeast corner of O'Farrell and Scott streets, for two boilers of 100 horsepower each.

Frye & Company, 119 Sacramento street, ten horsepower.

John Larraburu, 365 Third avenue, one and one-half horsepower.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,

Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Resolution No. 9687 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

Wm. F. Hyde, Jr., northeast corner of Sixteenth street and Julian avenue; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Sterling Laundry Company, 56 Julian avenue; capacity 2,500 gallons.

Bickel Estate Company, northwest side of Mission street, 415 feet southwest of Seventh street; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Lux School of Industrial Training, northeast corner of Seventeenth and Hampshire streets; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Hale Bros., south corner of Fifth and Market streets; capacity 1,500 gallons.

Saunders Preserve Company, northwest side of Bryant street, northeast of Chesley street; capacity 1,500 gallons.

German Savings and Loan Society, southeast corner of Twenty-first and Mission streets; capacity 1,800 gallons.

Standard Oil Company, northwest corner of Bush and Sansome streets; capacity 2,000 gallons.

Boilers.

Saunders Preserve Co., Inc., northwest side of Bryant street, northeast of Chesley street; 30-horsepower, for manufacturing purposes.

Eugene Smith Company, top floor, 231 First street; 5-horsepower, for water-proofing business.

J. Chavalas & Co., 1235 Folsom street; 5-horsepower, for candy factory.

Laundry.

Antoine Lachine, northerly line of Pacific street, 67 feet 6 inches easterly from Powell street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Prohibiting Interference With Auxiliary Water System.

Bill No. 2254, Ordinance No. 2027 (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the unauthorized use of or interference with the Auxiliary High Pressure Water System."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Fire Drills in Factories.

Bill No. 2255, Ordinance No. 2028

(New Series), entitled, "Providing for fire drills for persons employed or otherwise in attendance in factories, workshops, public or private schools, asylums or department stores."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Recommended.

The following resolution, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up and, on motion of Supervisor Giannini, *recommitted to the Fire Committee:*

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That an extension of sixty days' time, from and after August 30, 1912, within which to complete his contract, No. 50 of the Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection, is hereby granted to Michael Murphy.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Laundry Permit.

Resolution No. 9688 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted Wong Hang to maintain a laundry in premises at the north-east corner of Twentieth avenue and Balboa street, in strict accordance with the fire and sanitary laws and regulations of the Fire Department and Board of Health; and be it

Further Resolved, That Journal Resolution No. 336 is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—13.

Noes—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan—4.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Amending Tunnel Ordinance.

Bill No. 2256, Ordinance No. 2029 (New Series), amending Section 18 of Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), known as the Tunnel Procedure Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. Section 18 of Ordinance No. 1651 (New Series), known as the Tunnel Procedure Ordinance, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 18. The times when installments of principal shall be made in cases where agreements have been made therefor are hereby fixed as follows:

The first installment shall be paid at

the time of the application to the Tax Collector for such agreement.

The second installment shall be paid on or before the last Monday in December in the next fiscal year and subsequent installments shall be paid annually thereafter one each year on or before said last Monday in December.

Interest on all installments unpaid shall be paid at the rate fixed in the proceedings as follows: At the time of the execution and delivery of the agreement interest shall be paid on the unpaid principal until the first day of July next after. At the time each subsequent installment of principal is paid, interest for six months from the first day of July to the first day of January, on the principal then unpaid, and also interest for six months from the first day of January on the principal unpaid on said date.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$87,009.11 to Thos. G. Swortfiguer for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9689 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of one hundred sixty-seven thousand, nine hundred ninety-eight dollars and sixty cents (\$167,998.60) is hereby authorized to be made out of the "City Hall and Civic Center Improvement Bond Account," in payment to Thos. G. Swortfiguer as the purchase price of certain lands, leasehold claims, improvements, etc., situate at the intersection of the northerly line of McAllister street with the easterly line of Polk street, of dimensions 137 feet 6 inches by 120 feet, in Western Addition Block No. 5; and at the intersection of the westerly line of Polk street with the northerly line of McAllister street, of dimensions 137 feet 6 inches by 120 feet, in Western Addition Block No. 65.

For purchase of said lands, etc., in Western Addition

Block No. 5	\$80,777.50
Rebate on taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed	211.99

\$80,989.49

For purchase of said land, etc., in Western Addition

Block No. 65	\$86,823.00
Rebate on taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed	186.11

\$87,009.11

A total sum of \$167,998.60, said lands being required for Civic Center purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$35,067.46 to Lena
Wahmuth for Certain Land Required
for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9690 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of
thirty-five thousand and sixty-seven
dollars and forty-six cents (\$35,-
067.46) is hereby authorized to be
made out of the City Hall and Civic
Center Improvement Bonds Ac-
count," in payment to Lena Wah-
muth as purchase price of a lot of
land required for Civic Center pur-
poses, situate at the intersection of
the easterly line of Polk street with
the northerly line of Grove street,
of dimensions 82 feet 6 inches by
68 feet 6 inches. Being a portion of
Western Addition Block No. 3, as
follows:

For purchase of said land,	\$35,000.00
Rebate of taxes for cur- rent fiscal year allowed	67.46
	<hr/> \$35,067.46

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$11,273.62 to
Catherine Cooney for Certain Property
Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9691 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of
eleven thousand two hundred and
sixty-three dollars and sixty-two
cents (\$11,263.62) is hereby author-
ized to be made out of the "City Hall
and Civic Center Bonds Account," in
payment to Catherine Cooney, as
purchase price of a lot of land required
for Civic Center purposes, situate
on the northerly line of Grove street,
distant thereon 184 feet easterly
from the easterly line of Van Ness
avenue, of dimensions 30 feet front-
age by a uniform depth of 120 feet.
Being a portion of Western Addition
Block No. 67.

For purchase of said land,	\$11,250.00
Rebate of taxes for cur- rent fiscal year allowed	23.62
	<hr/> \$11,273.62

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$8145.48 to Mary
Lydon for Certain Lands Required for
Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9692 (New Series).

Resolved, That an expenditure of
eight thousand one hundred and forty-
five dollars and forty-eight cents
(\$8,145.48) is hereby authorized to be
made out of the "City Hall and Civic
Center Improvement Bonds Account",
in payment to Mary Lydon as purchase
price of a lot of land on the westerly
line of Polk street, distant thereon 72
feet southerly from the southerly line
of Fulton street of dimensions 25 feet
frontage by a uniform depth of 82 feet
6 inches, being a portion of Western
Addition Block No. 67.

For the purchase of said land,	\$8,125.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed	20.48
	<hr/> \$8,145.48

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$1175 to W. T.
Worthington for Certain Land in Glen
Park District, Required for Fire De-
partment Purposes.

Resolution No. 9693 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of
eleven hundred and seventy-five
(\$1175.00) dollars is hereby authorized
to be made out of Budget item 1912-13.
"For construction and equipment of
Fire Department buildings and for
purchase of lands for Fire Department
purposes", in payment to W. T. Wor-
thington, agent for Crocker Estate Com-
pany, as purchase price of lot of land,
being Lots Nos. 2 and 3 in Block H of
Glen Park Terrace, required as land
for Fire Department purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution, heretofore
passed for printing, was taken up and,
on motion of Supervisor Bancroft,
laid over one week:

Authorizing Payment of \$24,000 to George
A. Webster for Certain Land Required
as Site for Oriental School.

Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of
twenty-four thousand (\$24,000.00)
dollars is hereby authorized to be
made out of the School Construction
Account, Bond Issue 1908, in pay-
ment to George A. Webster, as pur-

chase price of a lot of land situate at the southerly line of Washington street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches westerly from Stockton street, of dimensions 137 feet 6 inches by 137 feet 6 inches. Being a portion of 50 Vara Block No. 136, required as a site for the Oriental School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9694 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Willet and Burr, assignees of Foster & Vogt, are hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after August 24, 1912, within which to complete the contract for street and other improvements in Beale street from Folsom to Bryant streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, because of unexpected delays in the delivery of steel, caused by the congested condition of the steel market; also because of discussion between the unions and the contractors in reference to their per diem.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Spur Track Permit, Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

Bill No. 2264, Ordinance No. 2030 (New Series), Granting permission to the Pacific Gas & Electric Company, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the spur track heretofore constructed on said street, and connecting with the tracks of the Western Pacific Railway Company thereon, by Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Company, and to extend from the point of connection with said existing spur track, which is about seventy-five (75) feet northerly from the northerly line of Alameda street to a point one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet farther north on said Vermont street; thus extending such spur track to, and in, front of the Pacific Gas & Electric Company's property which is situate on the easterly side of Vermont street and one hundred and fifty (150) feet northerly from the northerly line of said Alameda street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2260, Ordinance No. 2031 (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of said company in Fairfax avenue, between Quint and Rankin streets; thence westerly along Fairfax avenue, crossing Rankin street and continuing along Fairfax avenue to a point between Rankin and Selby streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Market Street Homestead.

Bill No. 2265, Ordinance No. 2032 (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the official map of the sub-division of the City and County of San Francisco, known as F. L. A. Pioche and L. L. Robinson, sub-division of a part of San Miguel Rancho", known as Market Street Homestead.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace.

Bill No. 2261, Ordinance No. 2033 (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the Official Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Deed From Crocker Estate Company for Lands Required for Drainage Purposes in Glen Park Terrace, Second Addition.

Bill No. 2262, Ordinance No. 2034 (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed of land from William H. Crocker and C. E. Green, President and Secretary respectively, of the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation), to the City and County of San Francisco (in the Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace), to be used for drainage purposes."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.

Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Deed for Opening and Extension of Bosworth Street in Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace.

Bill No. 2263, Ordinance No. 2035 (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed from William H. Crocker and C. E. Green, President and Secretary, respectively, of the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation), for the opening and extension of Bosworth street as delineated upon that certain map described as Map of Second Addition to Glen Park Terrace."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths.

Bill No. 2266, Ordinance No. 2036 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks', approved December 19, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered four hundred and sixty-four" the terms of which provide that the width of sidewalks on Geary street, the northerly side of, between Stockton street and Powell street shall be nine (9) feet and that the width of sidewalks on Geary street, the southerly side of, between Stockton street and Powell street shall be fifteen (15) feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2267, Ordinance No. 2037 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of crossing of Geary street and Seventh avenue; crossing of Geary street and Eighth avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2268, Ordinance No. 2038 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of crossing of Congress street and Masonic avenue; crossing of Anza street and Seventeenth avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Establishing Grades.

(Bill No. 2257, Ordinance No. 2039 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Utah street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Bill No. 2258, Ordinance No. 2040 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Fifteenth avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Establishing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2259, Ordinance No. 2041 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Girard and Berlin streets, between Woolsey and Wilde streets; on Goettingen street, between Woolsey and Harkness streets; on Dwight, Olmstead, Mansell, Ordway, Ward and Harkness streets, between San Bruno avenue and Goettingen street; and on Wilde street, between San Bruno avenue and Berlin street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$444,430.14 and numbered consecutively 25,523 to 26,069, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same; and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants:

General Fund.

O. C. Holt, second payment, engine house No. 28 (claim dated Sept. 14, 1912).....	\$3,765.00
Blon J. Arnold, public utilities (claim dated Sept. 13, 1912) ..	3,099.51
Sperry Flour Co., cereals, Relief Home (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	864.38
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912).....	1,495.50
J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Relief Home (claim dated Sept. 4, 1912)	719.98
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	2,271.80
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912)	1,113.72
Peter Caubu, milk, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912).....	664.95
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912)	967.05
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	633.42
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Tuberculosis Hospital (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912)	566.80
<i>San Francisco Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
John G. Sutton Co., in full, additional plumbing, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 7, 1912)	\$1,530.00
Vulcan Iron Works, final payment, ice and refrigerator, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	4,639.00
Butte Engineering and Electric Co., second payment, electric clock and signal system, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)	3,375.00
Columbia Marble Co., fifth payment, marble work, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)	3,400.00
T. P. Jarvis, final payment, oil burners, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912)	575.00
<i>Garbage Disposal Fund, 1908.</i>	
McLean, Haggans & Aden, third payment, Islais Creek incinerator (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912).....	\$5,256.13
The Destructor Co., sixth payment Islais Creek and North Beach incinerators	

(claim dated Sept. 11, 1912) ..	13,895.74
<i>Water Construction Fund, 1910.</i>	
F. L. Cassaretto, groceries, etc., Hetch Hetchy investigation (claim dated Sept. 7, 1912)	\$510.66
<i>Sewer Bond Fund, 1904.</i>	
Karl Ehrhart, final payment, San Jose avenue sewer (claim dated Aug. 24, 1912) ..	\$1,187.91
Karl Ehrhart, final payment, Cabrillo street and Thirteenth avenue sewers (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912) ..	5,055.82
State Construction Co., second payment, Stanyan street sewer (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912).....	7,394.10
Williams & Finnigan, first payment, Steuar street sewer (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	3,120.28
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, 1910.</i>	
J. W. Carr, fifth payment, foundation and excavation, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Sept. 18, 1912)	\$5,293.00
<i>Hall of Justice Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Ferrolite Co., final payment, general construction, City and County Jail (claim dated Sept. 5, 1912).....	\$2,445.00
Wm. Bateman, final payment, interior finish, City and County Jail (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912)	6,787.00
<i>Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., third payment, section "M," North Point main sewer (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	\$11,334.74
John Daniel, twelfth payment, section "G," North Point main sewer (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912).....	1,064.77
Daniel Contracting Co., third payment, section "C-2," North Point main sewer (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912) ..	12,961.91
Contra Costa Construction Co., final payment, Ingle-side outlet sewer, section "C" (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912) ..	17,764.86
<i>School Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Wm. Le Baron, fourth payment, painting, Lowell High School (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912)	\$1,200.00
Wm. H. Henning, assignee of Henning & Burke, tenth payment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912) ..	16,950.00
Pacific States Sales Corporation, in full, vacuum clean-	

ing, John Swett School (claim dated Sept. 7, 1912)	870.00
Wm. S. Snook & Son, final payment, plumbing, John Swett School (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912)	3,630.40
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
United States Castiron Pipe and Foundry Co., seventh payment, castiron pipe (claim dated Sept. 13, 1912)	\$5,270.35
Enterprise Foundry Co., twenty-fifth payment, cast- iron specials (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912)	4,279.50
Southern Pacific Co., freight charges, castiron pipe (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912)	758.53
Robt. C. Storrie, sixth pay- ment, hauling and laying castiron high pressure mains, contract 44 (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	11,441.79
Michael Murphy, tenth pay- ment, hauling and laying castiron high pressure mains, section 4 (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	17,383.06
Contra Costa Construction Co., first payment hauling and laying castiron high pressure mains, section 6 (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	21,016.55
T. W. McClenahan & Co., first payment, construc- tion Ashbury pump house, section "E" (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912)	1,095.41

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the following
amounts be and the same are hereby
set aside, appropriated and authorized
to be expended out of the hereinafter
mentioned funds for the following pur-
poses, to-wit:

<i>For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.</i>	
For enlarging operating room of Infirmary, Relief Home Tract	\$400.00
For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets dur- ing month of October, 1912.	45,000.00
For purchase of dressed curb- ing	1,500.00
For paying the City's portion of a sewer in Flora street, between Bay View street and Thornton avenue.....	170.00
For paying City's portion of a sewer in 39th avenue be- tween Fulton and Cabrillo streets, and for City's por- tion in crossing of 39th ave- nue and Cabrillo street...	161.25

For paying City's portion of paving Osage alley between 25th and 26th streets.....	300.00
For paying City's portion of sewering and paving of easterly half of crossing of 13th avenue and Fulton street	105.00
<i>For Construction and Equipment of Police Department Buildings, Etc., Budget Item No. 552.</i>	
For erection of photograph gallery, Hall of Justice, ad- ditional to \$2000 heretofore appropriated	400.00
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
For installation of an electric service for the Ashbury Heights pump house	486.00
Appropriating \$6366.67 to Meet Increased Salary of City Engineer.	

Also, Resolution No. — (New
Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$6666.67
be and the same is hereby set aside,
appropriated and authorized to be ex-
pended out of the hereinafter men-
tioned bond funds to pay the addi-
tional salary of the City Engineer, M.
M. O'Shaughnessy, for the balance of
the fiscal year 1912-1913, as fixed by
the Board of Public Works, Resolution
No. 19,429.

Water Construction Fund, 1910	\$5,000.00
Geary Street Railway Fund, 1910	1,250.00
Sewer Construction Account, 1908	66.67
Fire Protection Fund, 1908..	175.00
Garbage Disposal Fund, 1908.	175.00

Board of Public Works to Contract for
Track Special Work, Geary Street Mu-
nicipal Railway and Appropriating
\$8618 Therefor.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public
Works be and is hereby directed to
enter into contract for the furnishing
and delivery of track special work for
the Geary Street Municipal Railway,
and there is hereby set aside, appro-
priated and authorized in payment for
the same the sum of \$8,618.00 out of
Geary Street Municipal Railway Bond
Fund, 1910.

Board of Public Works to Contract for
Trolley Poles for Geary Street Rail-
way and Appropriating \$3509 Therefor.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public
Works be and is hereby directed to
enter into contract for the furnishing
and delivering of 110 tubular steel
trolley poles for the westerly exten-
sion of the Geary Street Municipal
Railway, and there is hereby set aside,
appropriated and authorized in pay-

ment for the same the sum of \$3509.00 out of Geary Street Railway Bond Fund, 1910.

Oil and Garage Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tank.

N. Hansen, north side of Fulton street 137 feet 6 inches west of Steiner street.

Garage.

A. R. Walther, west side of First avenue 100 feet south of Clement street.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of Frank J. Klimm, Member of Board of Health, to Install Sanitary Drinking Device at Lotta's Fountain.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 404.

Resolved, That the offer of Mr. Frank J. Klimm, member of the Board of Health, to furnish and install a sanitary drinking device at Lotta's Fountain, without cost or expense to the City, be and the same is hereby accepted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Approving Assignment of Lease of G. F. Bernard to School Property at Taylor and Vallejo Streets to the Russian Hill Improvement Company.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy: Resolution No. 9695 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, That the Board of Education has given its consent in writing to the assignment by G. F. Bernard to The Russian Hill Improvement Co. (a corporation), of that certain lease made and entered into between the Board of Education and said G. F. Bernard, wherein the said Board of Education leased to the said G. F. Bernard for a period of thirty-five (35) years from February 1, 1912, that certain lot of land situate in the City and County of San Francisco, being the northeast corner of Taylor and Vallejo streets; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said consent of the Board of Education to said assignment is hereby approved; and be it

Further Resolved, That the action of said Board of Education in extending the time to construct a building under the terms of lease granted said G. F. Bernard to February 24, 1914, is hereby approved.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Lands and Tunnels Committee to Prescribe Conditions of Lease of Fire Lot in Brenham Place.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

J. R. No. 405.

Resolved, That the Lands and Tunnels Committee of this Board is hereby authorized to prescribe the conditions necessary in the proposal notice for the leasing of the certain City property situate at Brenham place, between Washington and Jackson streets, in accordance with J. R. No. 394.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 406.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby instructed to install arc lamps and gas lamps at the hereinafter mentioned locations; and also to remove arc lamps as follows, to-wit:

Install Arc Lamps.

Thirty-second avenue, north of Lake street.

Corner of Twentieth and Carolina streets.

Taylor and Beach streets.

Taylor and North Point streets.

Taylor and Jefferson streets.

Rhode Island and Eighteenth streets.

Second avenue, between Geary and Anza streets.

Second avenue, between Lake and California streets.

Southeast corner of Forty-fourth avenue and Geary street.

Twenty-ninth street, between Castro and Diamond streets.

Southeast corner of Russia avenue and Mission streets

Northwest corner of Onondaga avenue and Mission street.

Southwest corner of Park and Mission streets.

Seventeenth avenue, between Geary and Clement streets.

Thirty-eighth avenue and Geary street.

First avenue, between Geary and Anza streets.

Thirteenth avenue, between California and Clement streets, in front of school.

Twenty-seventh street, between Sanchez and Noe streets.

Corner Corbett avenue and Twenty-second street.

Two arc lamps at Jails Nos. 2 and 3.
One lamp northeast corner Jail Yard.

One lamp west wall of Jail No. 3.
Corner Capistrano and Santa Rosa avenue.

Corner Capistrano and San Juan avenue.

Corner De Lano and San Juan avenues.

Corner De Lano and Santa Ysabel avenues.

Entrance to main drive at Great Highway.

Remove Arc Lamps.

South side of Mission street, opposite Onondaga avenue.

Corner Noe and Twenty-first streets.

Corner Castro and Twenty-first streets.

Corner Castro and Twenty-fifth streets.

Corner Castro and Clipper streets.

Corner Castro and Twenty-sixth streets.

Install Gas Lamps, Single Top.

West side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Jersey street.

Northeast corner of Castro and Twenty-fifth streets.

Southwest corner of Castro and Twenty-fifth streets.

East side of Castro street, 119 feet south of Twenty-fifth street.

Northwest corner of Castro and Clipper streets.

Southeast corner of Clipper and Castro streets.

West side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Clipper street.

Corner of Castro and Twenty-sixth streets.

Southeast corner of Castro and Twenty-sixth streets.

Southwest corner of Twenty-first and Noe streets.

North side of Twenty-first street, 110 feet west of Noe street.

South side of Twenty-first street, 220 feet west of Noe street.

North side of Twenty-first street, 330 feet west of Noe street.

South side of Twenty-first street, 440 feet west of Noe street.

Northeast corner of Twenty-first and Castro streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Granting Woman's Outdoor Club Permission to Conduct Public Dances at Trocadero Without Payment of License Fee.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 407.

Resolved, That the Woman's Outdoor Club is hereby granted permission to hold public dances at the Trocadero, corner of Nineteenth avenue and Sloat boulevard, during the pleasure of this Board, without payment of the fee required by Ordinance No. 754.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Welfare and Finance Committees to Provide for Public Dance Place in Connection With Municipal Band.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced out of order by Supervisor Payot and ordered referred to Public Welfare Committee:

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, it is one of the highest functions of municipal government to provide healthful and moral pleasures for the residents of the City, and

Whereas, Dancing is and has been for centuries one of the highest forms of art and universal pleasure participated in by all nations, and

Whereas, The desire for dancing is inherent in our people and adequate and proper opportunities should be given them for indulging in this pleasure; be it

Resolved, That the Public Welfare Committee and the Finance Committee be requested to devise a plan and ways and means for the creation and maintenance of a public dance place wherein the municipal band may supply proper music and the people may enjoy dancing under conditions that will avoid any possible criticism of the dance or dancers.

Outdoor Park License.

Also, Resolution No. 9696 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Italian Congregazione S. S. Crocifisso Di Trabia is hereby granted an outdoor park license during October 5 and 6, 1912, in the streets in the vicinity of Bernal Park, without payment of the fee required by Ordinance No. 1764.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Masquerade Ball Permits.

Also, J. R. No. 408.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to-wit:

Western Addition Dancing Club, at Western Addition Hall, No. 2226 Fillmore street, October 4, 1912.

Twin Peaks Parlor, N. S. G. W., at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, October 5, 1912.

Royal Rebekah Lodge No. 25, I. O. O. F., at Odd Fellows' Hall, Seventh and Market streets, November 4, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gal-
lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That William S. Snook & Son is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after June 25, 1912, within which to complete contract for plumbing work for the John Swett Grammar School.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractors could not install sewer work and fountains, owing to delay in completing the yard work caused by the Board of Education occupying temporary school buildings on the site; and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising charges for printing this resolution are hereby remitted.

Authorizing Payment of \$7516.96 to F. A. Blumberg for Certain Land Re-
quired for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of seventy-five hundred sixteen dollars and ninety-six cents (\$7,516.96) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center bond issue, 1912, in payment to F. A. Blumberg as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the southerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 82 feet 6 inches westerly from the westerly line of Polk street, of dimensions 25 feet by 95 feet, being a portion of Western Additional Block No. 67, required as site for City Hall and Civic Center purposes.

The purchase price of said
land\$7,500.00
Rebate on taxes for current
fiscal year allowed..... 16.96

\$7,516.96

Adopted.

The following resolutions were
adopted:

Authorizing Offer of F. A. Blumberg to
Sell for \$7516.96 Certain Land Required
for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

Resolution No. 9697 (New Series),
as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from F. A. Blumberg to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67, the said land being required for Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of F. A. Blumberg to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said and
improvements\$7,500.00
Rebate on taxes for current
fiscal year allowed..... 16.96

\$7,516.96

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 92 feet 6 inches westerly from the westerly line of Polk street; running thence westerly along said southerly line of Fulton street 25 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 97 feet; thence at a right angle easterly 25 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 97 feet to the said southerly line of Fulton street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gal-
lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Mayor to Sell Shack Buildings.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
J. R. No. 409.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction, in accordance with provisions of the Charter, the following shack buildings, to wit:

The shack building on land recent-

ly purchased by the City for the opening of Fair avenue, situate at northwesterly line of Prospect avenue 331 feet distant from the southwesterly line of Coso avenue.

The shack building situate on land heretofore leased by the City from the Pacific Improvement Company, used for the Potrero Police Station, at Twentieth street between Kentucky and Illinois streets and recently vacated by the Police Department.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Soliciting Offer for Sale of Telephone System.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang: Resolution No. 9698 (New Series). Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco does hereby solicit offers for the sale to said City and County of San Francisco of any existing public utility, to wit: A telephone system for the use of said City and County and its inhabitants.

Any owner or owners of such telephone system are hereby invited to submit proposals or offers in writing to the Board of Supervisors for the sale of the same to the City and County of San Francisco, and such proposals shall be filed with the Clerk of said Board at any time prior to the 21st day of October, 1912.

And it is hereby announced and declared to be the purpose and intention of said Board of Supervisors to consider any and all proposals or offers that may be made for the sale of said described public utility to the said City and County on said 21st day of October, 1912, and before submitting propositions to the electors for the acquisition by original construction or condemnation of said described public utility in order that the electors may have the benefit of acquiring the same at the lowest possible cost thereof.

Section 2. The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors is hereby directed to publish in the official newspaper for the period of ten days a notice in substantially the following form:

"Notice soliciting offers for the sale to the City and County of San Francisco of any existing public utility, to wit: A telephone system.

"Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco, September 24, 1912.

"To all owners of any existing public utility, to wit: A telephone system.

"You are hereby solicited and invited to submit to the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, prior to the 21st day of October, 1912, an offer or offers in writing, to sell to the said City and County, any existing public utility, to wit: A telephone system, and that said Board of Supervisors will consider any and all such offers that may be submitted on the 21st day of October at its regular meeting on said day.

"This notice is given in compliance with the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco and of Resolution No. 9698 (New Series), adopted September 23, 1912, and your attention is called to said Resolution for further particulars."

Section 3. The Clerk of said Board is hereby directed to cause a copy of the aforesaid notice to be mailed to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and Bay Cities Home Telephone Company, addressed to them at their respective places of business in San Francisco, California.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2269, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Beach street between Mason and Taylor streets; Forty-third avenue between Fulton and Cabrillo streets, and crossing of Cabrillo and Forty-third avenue."

Establishing Grades, Revere Avenue.

Also, Bill No. 2270, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Revere avenue."

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9699 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Clifford street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office September 13, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Ordering Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2271, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same, the provisions of which order the construction of a 12-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances in Peralta avenue, between York and Tomasa streets, and in the crossings of intersecting streets.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Cause Removal of Lumber From Berry Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 410.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to cause the removal of the lumber from the roadway of Berry street between Second and Third streets and cause the lumber to be kept off the roadway of said street so the same may be open to public use as a public street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following matter laid over from last week was taken up and on motion again laid over one week:

Board of Public Works to Cause Removal of Gasoline Pumps on Sidewalks.

Also, J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to remove a gasoline pump from the sidewalk in front of the Valencia Garage situate at the northeast corner of Seventeenth and Valencia streets; and also remove all gasoline pumps maintained on sidewalks as said pumps are not permitted to be maintained under the provisions of Ordinance No. 916, approved June 30, 1903, entitled, "Regulating Obstructions Upon Public Streets and Sidewalks."

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Award of Contract, Police Box Standards.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:

J. R. No. 411.

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing to the Department of Electricity, thirty castiron police box standards for the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty (\$1320.00) dollars, as per bid submitted September 16, 1912, is hereby awarded to Rudgear-Merle Company.

All other bids therefor are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Providing for Appointment of Tree Planting Commission.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

Resolution No. 9700 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That there be hereby appointed a special commission on Tree Planting, consisting of the Superintendent of Parks and Playgrounds, the City Engineer, the chairman of the Committee on Streets and Highways, and the president or delegated representative of the Civic League of Improvement Clubs, and of the Outdoor Art League.

It shall be the duty of the Commission to consider and report upon the advisability of planting trees in the residence districts of San Francisco with a view of enhancing the beauty of the city through giving it a setting of green that shall relieve the hard outline of its streets.

They shall especially consider the varieties of trees best suited for our climate and requirements, reporting their conclusions. If in their judgment there are trees of form and habits of growth that will add beauty without forming too dense a shade and robbing us of the needed sunshine, they shall specify the trees and make such recommendation as they see fit as to the number, the place and the manner in which they should be planted.

They are asked to make special recommendation as to the treatment of Van Ness avenue, that its possibilities of beauty may be realized, giving it its rightful place among the world's finest boulevards.

It is suggested that a general estimate of the cost of its adornment be submitted, with suggestions of how it may be equitably met.

If, in the judgment of the Commission, tree-planting is desirable, it is requested that recommendation be made in reference to the width of sidewalk relatively to the street width,

in districts where they are not already built.

The Commission is asked to serve without other remuneration than self-satisfaction in good public service, and the incidental gratitude of those who love the beautiful.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Tax Collector to Advise as to Licenses Paid Under Ordinance No. 476 (New Series).

Also, J. R. No. 412.

Whereas, Complaint has been made that certain persons or firms engaged in the business of bill posting and bulletin sign painting, etc., are not filing the statements of the amount of business done nor paying the license fee required by Ordinance No. 476; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Tax Collector be and he is hereby respectfully requested to furnish the Board of Supervisors with a complete statement of the names of the persons or firms who have filed the required statement and the amount of the license fee that they have paid thereunder since January 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Fillmore Street Improvement Association Authorized to Install Drinking Fountains on Fillmore Street.

J. R. No. 413.

Whereas, The Fillmore Street Improvement Association has generously offered to install and maintain public drinking fountains at convenient transfer points along Fillmore street at no cost or expense to the City; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Fillmore Street Improvement Association be and it is hereby authorized to erect and install under the direction of the Board of Public Works, four public drinking fountains at the following transfer points: Turk and Fillmore streets; McAllister and Fillmore streets, O'Farrell and Fillmore streets and Sutter and Fillmore streets.

It is understood and agreed, however, that the plan and design of these drinking fountains must first be approved by the Board of Supervisors before they are installed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Accepting Offer of Mechanics' Institute to Sell for \$701,437.08 Western Addition Block No. 2, Required for City Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9701 (New Series).

Whereas, An offer has been received from the Mechanics' Institute (a corporation), to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being Western Addition Block No. 2, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of the Mechanics' Institute (a corporation), to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, including taxes:

For the purchase of said	
land	\$700,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed.....	1,437.08

\$701,437.08

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Bounded by Larkin street on the east, Hayes street on the south, Polk street on the west and Grove street on the north. Being all of Western Addition Block No. 2.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—12.

Excused from voting:

Supervisors Caglieri, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Payot—5.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy.

Explanation of Vote.

(Supervisor Mauzy explained his vote by saying that he was a Trustee of Mechanics' Institute.)

(Supervisors Caglieri, Koshland, Murdock and Payot explained their votes by saying that they were members of Mechanics' Institute.)

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing under suspension of the rules:

Authorizing Payment of \$701,437.08 to Mechanics' Institute for Western Addition Block No. 2, Required for City Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of seven hundred and one thousand four hundred and thirty-seven dollars and eight cents (\$701,437.08) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center bond issue 1912, in payment to the Mechanics' Institute (a corporation), as purchase price of a lot of land bounded by Larkin street on the east, Hayes street on the south, Polk street on the west and Grove street on the north.

Being all of Western Addition Block No. 2, required as site for City Hall and Civic Center purposes.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McLeran, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—12.

Excused from voting:

Supervisors Caglieri, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Payot—5.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy.

Explanation of Vote.

(Supervisor Mauzy explained his vote by saying that he was a Trustee of Mechanics' Institute.)

(Supervisors Caglieri, Koshland, Murdock and Payot explained their votes by saying that they were members of Mechanics' Institute.)

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Clerk to Advertise Sale of City Hall and Civic Center Bonds.

J. R. No. 414.

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to advertise a sale of bonds of the City Hall Civic Center bond issue 1912, being seven bonds of each year's maturity. Said bonds to be sold on a 4½ per cent basis. Bids, accompanied by certified check of \$10,000, to be received by the Board of Supervisors in open session on Monday, October 7, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-

lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Proposals for Sewer Work.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 415.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for the following sewer work, to wit:

For the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Tonquin street, between Baker and Pierce streets, and in Baker street from Tonquin street to the Bay; further

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to report immediately to the Board of Supervisors, the opening of the bids and amount bid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Charter Amendment, Department of Elections.

Supervisor Giannini presented:

Report of Grand Jury, submitting proposed Charter Amendments to Charter relating to the Department of Elections

Ordered referred to Judiciary Committee.

Amending Rules of Proceedings Relative to Jurisdiction of Telephone and Telephone Rates Committee.

On motion of Supervisor Hilmer:

J. R. No. 416.

Resolved, That the rules be amended as follows:

Add to Telephone and Telephone Rates the following:

To receive all complaints relating to telephone service, to investigate the same and report thereon with recommendation of ordinances to correct abuses and improve service; to have general jurisdiction of matters relating to telephone and telephone rates, violation of ordinances, etc., other than the issuance or revocation of franchises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Supplies Committee to Award Contract for Motor Cycles for Police Department.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:

J. R. No. 417.

Resolved, That the Committee on Supplies is hereby directed to award a

contract for furnishing motorcycles for use of Police Department, as follows:

To A. Freed, for 12 "Thor" motorcycles at \$240 each;

To Joseph Holle, for 10 "Harley-Davidson" motorcycles at \$245 each; provision for payment therefor having been made under Budget Item No. 249.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Referred.

The following resolutions were introduced by Supervisor Koshland and on motion ordered referred to Public Utilities Committee:

United Railroads to Construct Its Street Cars in Accordance with Bion J. Arnold's Recommendations.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the United Railroads of San Francisco is hereby directed to so construct its new car equipment (65 cars now intended to be placed into use) as to comply with the following recommendations of Bion J. Arnold:

(See page 6 of Arnold's Preliminary Report No. 7.)

Items.

1. Taper platforms.
2. Moving front exit gate next to bulkhead.
3. Either Cleveland arrangement of fare box and guide rail (fare box next to the bulkhead and in the center of the opening, conductor immediately behind it standing on the car body floor); or by straightening out the guide railing; or by use of master control system.
4. Motorman to be protected by movable guide rail.
5. Removal of exit longitudinal seat.
6. Width of cross-seat cushions 17 inches by 34 inches, spacing 30 inches at least; all cushions spring backed.
7. Storm curtains on open sections.
11. Ventilating intakes in floor or side.
12. Vertical stanchions set out or curved to knee line; or otherwise to install straps or metal or glass handles in place of straps.
13. Geary street car type of seating arrangements.
14. Car width 8 feet 6 inches.

Track Construction in 50 Vara District.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in the Fifty Vara District and in the Western Addition, new track construction for street railway purposes be on the basis of a 20-inch "devil strip", and that no cars

be added to any equipment in operation on or before October 15th, 1912, which are wider than 8 feet 6 inches over belt rail; also that in the districts mentioned sidewalk widths be reduced to a maximum of 12 feet wherever the present width exceeds that width of 12 feet;

Also, that on the relaying or rehabilitation of any tracks now in any streets, the same to be laid to conform with the above width between inside rails, namely, to 20 inches, or Arnold's recommendation, page 16.

Referred.

The following bill was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and referred to the Judiciary Committee:

Requiring that Public Service Corporations Obtain Permit Before Shutting off Water, Heat, Light, Power, Telephone or Telegraph Service from Consumers.

Bill, regulating the service by all persons, firms or corporations furnishing water, heat, light, power, telephone or telegraph service to the City and County of San Francisco or the inhabitants thereof.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

No person, firm or corporation furnishing water, heat, light, power, telephone or telegraph service to the City and County of San Francisco, or any of the inhabitants thereof, shall in any manner change, reduce or discontinue any service, or impair the quality of such service, without first obtaining permission from the Board of Supervisors, or the consent in writing of the person receiving such service.

Section 2. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, or by not more than six months imprisonment in the County Jail, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Approving Form of Salary Warrants.

On motion of Supervisor Murdock: J. R. No. 418.

Resolved, That the form of warrants prepared by the Bureau of Efficiency and Civil Service for the use of the Auditor and the Treasurer is hereby approved;

It being found necessary that these warrants be cleared through some

member of the Clearing House, the Crocker National Bank, the authorized fiscal agent of the City, is hereby asked to render that service; and it is hereby

Resolved, That the Auditor be authorized and he is hereby requested to cause to be printed on the Municipal Salary Warrants, or on any other warrants he may be authorized to draw, the following words, "Clearing House No. 21, Crocker National Bank."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Election Commissioners to Take Steps Required to Be Taken by Board of Supervisors for Holding Charter Amendments Election on November 26, 1912.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy: Resolution No. 9702 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Election Commissioners be and they are hereby authorized and directed to take all necessary steps required to be taken by the Board of Supervisors for the holding of an election on Charter amendments on Tuesday, the 26th day of November, 1912, under and pursuant to the provisions of Section 8 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of California.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Approving Type of Street Cars to Be Placed in Commission by the United Railroad.

Resolution No. 9703 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Super-

visors hereby approves the general plans for sixty-five (65) new double truck cars, to be installed in service at an early date by the United Railroads of San Francisco, to be delivered upon the following construction schedule:

Thirty-five (35) cars to be built as represented in revised blue print of United Railroads Drawing No. 3763, on file at the Clerk's office with revisions up to September 5th, 1912.

Thirty (30) cars to be of the same general type of construction except that one row of longitudinal seats be replaced by cross seats in the inner of closed compartment.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—13.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Koshland—2.

Absent—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, McCarthy, McLeran—3.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murphy and *laid over one week*:

Providing for Selection of New Valuation Committee.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Telephone Rates Committee, the Water Rates Committee and the Lighting and Rates Committee each nominate one of its members to be a member of the Valuation Committee and that the three members so nominated shall constitute the Valuation Committee; further

Resolved, That J. R. No. 362 is hereby repealed.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 6:50 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, September 30, 1912

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, September 30, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of September 26, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Removal of Fire Commissioner John Donohoe and Appointment of Wm. H. Hammer.

The following matters were presented by his Honor the Mayor, read by the Clerk and ordered *spread in the Journal*:

San Francisco, September 30, 1912.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

On September 7th, 1912, there were presented to me by Frederick J. Churchill, certain written charges, a copy of which is annexed hereto and made a part hereof, preferred by him against Fire Commissioner John Donohoe, accusing him of misconduct in office. On the same day a copy of the charges were duly served upon Mr. Donohoe, together with a citation requiring him to appear before me, at my office, to answer the charges.

On September 20th, 1912, Commissioner Donohoe appeared personally at my office, in response to the citation. Thereupon, on the day last mentioned, the trial of Commissioner Donohoe on the charges brought against him was commenced before me as Mayor of the City and County.

Mr. Churchill personally presented the evidence in support of the charges, and Messrs. Herbert Choynski and John T. Williams appeared as attorneys for Commissioner Donohoe. The trial was concluded on Tuesday, September 24th, 1912.

I have found and decided that each and every charge presented by Mr. Churchill is true and is sustained by the evidence, and that Commissioner Donohoe is guilty of each of these charges, and I have this day removed him from the office of Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, because I have adjudged him guilty of the said charges brought against him, as aforesaid.

In fairness to Mr. Donohoe, I wish to state that I do not find him guilty of corruption in office, in the sense that he derived any pecuniary profit through the official misconduct charged against him.

A copy of the decision this day addressed to Mr. Donohoe is hereunto annexed. Decision rendered at 12 o'clock noon, September 30, 1912.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

September 30, 1912.

Mr. John Donohoe, No. 2599 Mission street, San Francisco.

Dear Sir:

Take notice that, after due consideration of the evidence heretofore adduced before me upon the trial of the charges presented against you by Frederick J. Churchill, for misconduct in the office of Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, I now find you guilty of said charges and each of them. And I do now by reason of the proof of the charges, remove you from the office of Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco.

In fairness to you I wish to state that I do not find you guilty of corruption in office, in the sense that you derived any pecuniary profit through the acts or official misconduct charged against you.

Yours truly,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

September 30, 1912.

Messrs. Herbert Choyinski and John T Williams, Attorneys for Mr. John Donohoe, San Francisco.

Dear Sirs:

I beg to hand you herewith copy of my decision in the matter of the charges preferred by Frederick J. Churchill against John Donohoe, and, also, copy of notice of Mr. Donohoe's removal from office of Fire Commissioner, addressed by me to the Board of Supervisors of this City and County, pursuant to the requirements of the provisions of our Charter.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

San Francisco, September 30th, 1912.
To the Honorable Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

I beg to hand you herewith copy of my communication of even date, to the Honorable Board of Supervisors, informing them that I have this day removed Mr. John Donohoe from the office of Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, and I do hereby so notify you, because I have found and decided that each and every charge preferred against him by Mr. Frederick J. Churchill is true and sustained by the evidence, and that Mr. John Donohoe is guilty of each of said charges, and because I have adjudged him guilty of the said charges brought against him.

I beg to advise you that I have this day appointed Mr. William H. Hammer a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, to fill the unexpired term of Mr. John Donohoe, whom I have this day removed from the office of Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

September 30, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

I beg to advise you that Mr. John Donohoe having been removed by me as a member of the Fire Commission of this City and County, on September 30th, 1912, I have this day appointed Mr. William H. Hammer to fill the vacancy on the Board of Fire Commissioners, caused by the removal of Mr. John Donohoe, and to fill the unexpired term of said John Donohoe.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

To James Rolph, Jr., Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

I, Frederick J. Churchill, a resident of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, do hereby make and file with you as Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, the following charges against John Donohoe, as Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco:

I.

Said John Donohoe, since becoming a Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, and while a Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco has been guilty of gross and wilful misconduct as such Fire Commissioner, in the following particulars, to-wit:

On the 16th day of February, 1909, the Civil Service Commission of the City and County of San Francisco did duly and regularly classify certain places of employment in and under the various departments of the City and County of San Francisco, to-wit, places of bunkermen, dump foremen, bridge-tenders, and oilers, gate-keepers, yard-keepers, warehousemen, watchmen-helpers, watchmen and all positions of similar character under the name, classification and designation of watchmen. Thereafter said Civil Service Commission did regularly hold an examination pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco for applicants for the position of watchmen in the various departments of the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with said classification. From the returns of said examination the Civil Service Commissioners did regularly prepare a register for said grade and class of position of watchmen of the persons whose general average standing upon said examination was not less than the minimum fixed by the rules of the Civil Service Commissioners and who were otherwise eligible. Said register thereupon became the duly adopted register of eligibles for said classified positions of "watchmen." Thereafter, pursuant to requisitions of the Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco upon the Civil Service Commission for certification to said Fire Commission of Civil Service eligibles for the position of watchmen-helpers in the Fire Department, the Civil Service Commissioners duly and regularly certified to the Fire Commissioners from said register of eligibles for the position of watchmen-helpers in the Fire Department the following persons, viz.: Herman E. Iburg, Bernard A. Davis and David J. Byrnes, said persons then standing highest

upon said register of eligibles. Pursuant to said certification the Board of Fire Commissioners on December 2nd, 1909, duly and regularly appointed said Herman E. Iburg and Bernard A. Davis and on December 17th, 1909, duly and regularly appointed said David J. Byrnes to the positions of watchmen-helpers in the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. On said December 2, 1909, and at all times since said time there has existed in the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco positions of watchmen-helpers and at all times since said time said positions have been filled and occupied by persons in the employ of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. On the 3rd day of March, 1910, said John Donohoe, with the intent and desire to unlawfully defeat, set aside, circumvent and avoid the Civil Service rules and laws of the City and County of San Francisco, did vote as such Fire Commissioner to declare vacant said positions of watchmen-helpers occupied by said Herman E. Iburg, Bernard A. Davis and David L. Byrnes as such watchmen-helpers. Thereafter and on February 10, 1910, in furtherance of his said desire to unlawfully defeat, set aside, circumvent and avoid the Civil Service rules and laws of the City and County of San Francisco and to satisfy his own personal and political ends said John Donohoe, as such Fire Commissioner, did vote to fill said positions of watchmen-helpers with persons not eligible to said positions under the civil service laws and rules of the City and County of San Francisco, and the Fire Commissioners on said day by and with the vote of said John Donohoe did fill said position of watchmen-helpers with persons not eligible to said position under the Civil Service laws and rules of the City and County of San Francisco.

II.

Said John Donohoe, since becoming a Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, has been guilty of gross and wilful misconduct as such Fire Commissioner in the following particulars, to-wit:

On the 28th day of February, 1910, said John Donohoe for his own personal and political ends, did vote as such Fire Commissioner to unlawfully create and establish the position of Assistant Superintendent of Horses in the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco and to appoint one A. T. Rapp thereto at a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month, and on said day the said Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, by

and with the vote of said John Donohoe, did unlawfully create and establish the position of Assistant Superintendent of Horses and did appoint said A. T. Rapp to said position at said salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month. Thereafter and up to the 1st day of January, 1912, said A. T. Rapp, in consequence of said appointment did, without warrant in law, occupy said position and draw a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month. No authority existed in law for the creation of said position or for the appointment of said A. T. Rapp thereto, or for the continuation of said A. T. Rapp in said position, nor did there exist nor did there at any time thereafter exist any demand, reason or necessity for the creation of such position or the appointment of said A. T. Rapp thereto, or for the continuation of said A. T. Rapp in said position. Said appointment of said A. T. Rapp did result in the waste of public money and said John Donohoe, in voting to create said position and to appoint said A. T. Rapp thereto well knew that the same was unlawful and that no demand, reason or necessity existed therefor, but notwithstanding he, the said John Donohoe, did vote as aforesaid to create said position and appoint said A. T. Rapp thereto for his own, said John Donohoe's, personal and political ends, the said A. T. Rapp to continue in said position and draw a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month in consequence thereof.

III.

Said John Donohoe, since becoming a Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, has been guilty of gross and wilful misconduct as such Fire Commissioner in the following particulars, to-wit:

On the 3rd day of March, 1910, said John Donohoe, for his own personal and political ends, did vote as such Commissioner to unlawfully create and establish the position of Assistant Clerk and Commissary of the Fire Department Corporation yards and to appoint one William H. Augustine thereto at a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month, and on said day the Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, by and with the vote of said John Donohoe, did unlawfully create and establish the position of Assistant Clerk and Commissary of the Fire Department and did appoint said William H. Augustine thereto at said salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month. Thereafter and up to the 31st day of January, 1912, said William H. Augustine in consequence of said appointment did, without warrant of

law, occupy said position and draw a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month. No authority existed in law for the creation of said position or for the appointment of said William H. Augustine thereto or for the continuation of said William H. Augustine in said position, nor did there exist, nor did there at any time thereafter exist any demand, reason or necessity for the creation of such position or for the appointment of said William H. Augustine thereto, or for the continuation of said William H. Augustine in said position. Said appointment of said William H. Augustine did result in the waste of public money and said John Donohoe, in voting to create said position and to appoint said William H. Augustine thereto, well knew that the same was unlawful and that no demand, reason or necessity existed therefor, but notwithstanding, he, the said John Donohoe, did vote as aforesaid to create said position and appoint said William H. Augustine thereto for his own personal and political ends, and from the date of said appointment of said William H. Augustine up to the 31st day of January, 1912, said John Donohoe did permit and allow, for his own personal and political ends, the said William H. Augustine to continue in said position and draw a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month in consequence thereof.

IV.

Said John Donohoe, since becoming a Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, has been guilty of gross and wilful misconduct as such Fire Commissioner in the following particulars, to-wit:

On the 28th day of February, 1910, said John Donohoe for his own personal and political ends did vote as such Commissioner to unlawfully create and establish the position of Assistant Superintendent of Engines of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco and to appoint one Harry Osgood thereto at a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month, and on said day the Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, by and with the vote of said James E. Dillon, did unlawfully create and establish the position of Assistant Superintendent of Engines and did appoint said Harry Osgood thereto at a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month. Thereafter and up to the 1st day of September, 1910, said Harry Osgood did, without warrant of law, occupy said position and draw a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month. On said 1st day of September, 1910, said Board of Fire Commission-

ers did discharge said Harry Osgood from said position and did by and with the vote of said John Donohoe, appoint one E. P. Healy to said position in place and stead of said Harry Osgood at said salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month. No authority existed in law for the creation of said position or for the appointment of said Harry Osgood thereto at a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month. Thereafter and up to the 1st day of September, 1910, said Harry Osgood did, without warrant of law, occupy said position and draw a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month. On said 1st day of September, 1910, said Board of Fire Commissioners did discharge said Harry Osgood from said position and did, by the vote of said John Donohoe, appoint one E. P. Healy to said position in place and stead of said Harry Osgood, at said salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month. No authority existed in law for the creation of said position or for the appointment of said Harry Osgood thereto or for the continuation of said Harry Osgood in said position or for the appointment of said E. P. Healy to said position, nor did there exist, nor did there at any time thereafter exist, any demand, reason or necessity for the creation of such position or for the appointment of said Harry Osgood or E. P. Healy thereto, or for the continuation of said Harry Osgood or E. P. Healy in said position. Said appointment of said Harry Osgood and said E. P. Healy did result in a waste of public money and said John Donohoe, in voting to create said position and to appoint said Harry Osgood and said E. P. Healy thereto well knew that the same was unlawful and that no demand, reason or necessity existed therefor; but notwithstanding, he, the said John Donohoe did vote as aforesaid to create said position and appoint said Harry Osgood and said E. P. Healy thereto, as aforesaid, for his own personal and political ends, and from the date of said appointment of said Harry Osgood up to the 1st day of September, 1910, said John Donohoe did permit and allow said Harry Osgood to continue in said position and draw a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month in consequence thereof; and from the 1st day of September, 1910, up to the 31st day of January, 1912, said John Donohoe did permit and allow said E. P. Healy to continue in said position and draw a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month in consequence thereof.

V.

Said John Donohoe, since becoming a Fire Commissioner of the City and

County of San Francisco has been guilty of gross and wilful misconduct as such Fire Commissioner in the following particulars, to-wit:

On the 21st day of February, 1908, the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, after a trial of one John Cauley, then a member of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, duly and regularly had under the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, duly and regularly found said John Cauley guilty of being intoxicated and using abusive and insulting language to his superior officers, contrary to the rules of the Fire Commission for such cases made and provided and as a punishment therefor said Fire Commission duly and regularly dismissed said John Cauley from the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, and thereupon said John Cauley ceased to be and was no longer a member of said Fire Department; thereafter and on the 14th day of April, 1910, said John Donohoe as such Fire Commissioner voted to reinstate said John Cauley in the said Fire Department and return him to duty therein. Notwithstanding said dismissal the Fire Commission of the City and County of San Francisco by and with said vote of said John Donohoe did on said 14th day of April, 1910, reinstate said John Cauley and return him to duty therein. Said reinstatement and returning of said John Cauley to duty was made without any authority or right in law so to do.

VI.

Said John Donohoe since becoming a Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, has been guilty of gross and wilful official misconduct as such Fire Commissioner in the following particulars, to-wit:

On the 12th day of August, 1909, the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco after a trial of one Harry Higgins, then a member of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, duly and regularly held under the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, duly and regularly found said Harry Higgins guilty of being intoxicated and using abusive and insulting language to his superior officers, contrary to the rules of the Fire Commissioners for such cases made and provided, and as a punishment therefor said Fire Commissioners duly and regularly dismissed said Harry Higgins from the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, and thereupon said Harry Higgins ceased to be and was no longer a member of said Fire Department. Thereafter

and on the 14th day of April, 1910, said John Donohoe, as such Fire Commissioner voted to reinstate said Harry Higgins in the Fire Department and return him to duty therein. Notwithstanding said dismissal the Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco with and by said vote of said John Donohoe did on said 14th day of April, 1910, reinstate said Harry Higgins in the Fire Department and return him to duty therein. Said reinstatement and returning of said Harry Higgins to duty was made without any authority or right in law so to do.

VII.

Said John Donohoe, since becoming a Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, has been guilty of gross and wilful misconduct as such Fire Commissioner in the following particulars, to-wit:

On the 11th day of November, 1909, the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, after a trial of one John Haley, then a member of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, duly and regularly found said John Haley guilty of failure to obey the orders of his superior officers and of the Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, contrary to the rules of the Fire Commissioners for such cases made and provided, and, as a punishment therefor, said Fire Commissioners duly and regularly dismissed said John Haley from the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, and thereupon said John Haley ceased to be and was no longer a member of the said Fire Department. Thereafter and on the 28th day of April, 1910, said John Donohoe as such Fire Commissioner, voted to reinstate said John Haley in the Fire Department and return him to duty therein. Notwithstanding said dismissal the Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, with and by the said vote of said John Donohoe did on said 28th day of April, 1910, reinstate said John Haley in the Fire Department and return him to duty therein. Said reinstatement and returning of said John Haley to duty was made without any authority or right in law so to do.

VIII.

Said John Donohoe, since becoming a Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, has been guilty of gross and wilful misconduct as such Fire Commissioner in the following particulars, to-wit:

On the 17th day of January, 1908, the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, after a trial of one Michael J.

Dolan, then a member of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, duly and regularly held and had under the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco duly and regularly found said Michael J. Dolan guilty of failing to report to duty contrary to the rules of the Fire Commission for such cases made and provided and as a punishment therefor said Fire Commission duly and regularly dismissed said Michael J. Dolan from the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, and thereupon said Michael J. Dolan ceased to be and no longer was a member of the Fire Department. Thereafter and on the 28th day of April, 1910, said John Donohoe, as such Fire Commissioner voted to reinstate said Michael J. Dolan in the Fire Department and return him to duty therein. That notwithstanding said dismissal the Fire Commission of the City and County of San Francisco by and with the said vote of the said John Donohoe did on the 28th day of April, 1910, reinstate said Michael J. Dolan and return him to duty therein. Said reinstatement and returning of said Michael J. Dolan was made without any authority or right in law so to do.

XI.

Said John Donohoe, since becoming a Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, has been guilty of gross and wilful official misconduct as such Fire Commissioner in the following particulars, to-wit:

On the 15th day of April, 1909, the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, after a trial of one Anton Swanberg, then a member of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, duly and regularly held and had under the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco found said Anton Swanberg guilty of failure to report to duty and an assault upon one Antonio Cossani contrary to the rule of the Fire Commission for such cases made and provided and as a punishment therefor said Fire Commission duly and regularly dismissed said Anton Swanberg from the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco and thereupon said Anton Swanberg ceased to be and was no longer a member of said Fire Department and on the 28th day of April, 1910, said John Donohoe as such Fire Commissioner voted to reinstate said Anton Swanberg in the said Fire Department and return him to duty therein. Notwithstanding said dismissal the Fire Commission of the City and County of San Francisco, by and with the said vote of said John Donohoe did on the said 28th day of April,

1910, reinstate said Anton Swanberg and return him to duty therein. Said reinstatement and returning of said Anton Swanberg to duty was made without any authority or right so to do.

X.

Said John Donohoe, since becoming a Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, has been guilty of gross and wilful official misconduct as such Fire Commissioner in the following particulars, viz.:

1.

On the 4th day of August, 1910, one William Mathieson, a member of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco came before the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco regularly for trial upon written charges theretofore duly and regularly filed with the said Board of Fire Commissioners charging said William Mathieson of being under the influence of intoxicating liquors while on duty, contrary to the rules of the Fire Department for such cases made and provided. Said John Donohoe acted as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners at said trial. After hearing evidence said William Mathieson was found guilty of said charge of being intoxicated while on duty. Said offense of which said William Mathieson was found guilty as aforesaid did and does constitute a grave and serious offense against the rules and regulations of the Fire Department and did and does tend to produce inefficiency and insubordination in the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. Notwithstanding the gravity of said offense of said William Mathieson, said John Donohoe, as such Fire Commissioner, did refuse and neglect to adequately punish said William Mathieson for said offense and as such Fire Commissioner he, the said John Donohoe, did vote to inflict on said William Mathieson a punishment inadequate, considering the gravity and nature of the offense of said William Mathieson.

2.

On the 13th day of April, 1911, one J. F. Daly, a member of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, came before the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, regularly for trial, upon written charges theretofore duly and regularly filed with the said Board of Fire Commissioners charging said J. F. Daly with disobeying the orders of his superior officer and of addressing impudent and improper language to his superior officer, contrary to the rules of the Fire Department for such cases made and

provided. Said John Donohoe acted as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners at said trial. Upon said trial evidence was introduced showing and establishing the truth of said charges. Notwithstanding that said evidence showed and established the truth of said charges and notwithstanding that said evidence showed that said J. F. Daly was guilty of a grave and serious offense against the rules and regulations of the Fire Department, viz.: Said offense with which he has been charged, as aforesaid, said John Donohoe, as such Fire Commissioner, well knowing that said J. F. Daly was guilty of said charge, and well knowing that said evidence showed and established that said J. F. Daly was guilty of said charge, refused to find him, the said J. F. Daly, guilty thereof and refused to inflict any punishment whatsoever upon the said J. F. Daly for said offense.

3.

On the 23rd day of November, 1910, one John J. Casserly, Captain of Engine Number 35 of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, came before the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco regularly for trial upon written charges theretofore duly and regularly filed with the said Board of Fire Commissioners charging said John J. Casserly with being under the influence of intoxicating liquor while on duty, contrary to the rules of the Fire Department for such cases made and provided. Said John Donohoe acted as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners at said trial. Upon said trial said John T. Casserly pleaded guilty as aforesaid, did and does constitute a grave and serious offense against rules and regulations of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, and did and does tend to produce inefficiency and insubordination in the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. It was further shown and established on said trial that said John T. Casserly had theretofore been tried and found guilty of other and similar offenses against the rules of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. Notwithstanding that said John T. Casserly pleaded guilty of said offenses as aforesaid, said John Donohoe did refuse and neglect to adequately punish said John T. Casserly for said offense and as such Fire Commissioner he, the said John Donohoe, did vote to inflict upon said John T. Casserly a punishment inadequate considering the gravity and nature of the offense of said John T. Casserly.

4.

On February 9th, 1911, one Thomas

Stanton, a member of the Fire Department, came before the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, regularly for trial upon written charges theretofore duly and regularly filed with the Board of Fire Commissioners charging said Thomas Stanton with being under the influence of intoxicating liquor while on duty and of assaulting and of addressing vulgar and abusive language to the Captain of his Company contrary to the rules of the Fire Department for such cases made and provided. Said John Donohoe acted as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners at said trial. Upon said trial evidence was introduced showing and establishing the truth of said charges and upon said trial said Thomas Stanton was found guilty of said offenses with which he had been charged as aforesaid. Said offenses did and do constitute grave and serious offenses against the rules and regulations of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. It was further shown and established upon said trial that said Thomas Stanton had theretofore been tried and found guilty of other and similar offenses against the rules of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. Notwithstanding the gravity of the offenses of which said Thomas Stanton had been found guilty as aforesaid and notwithstanding that said Thomas Stanton had theretofore been tried and found guilty of other and similar offenses as aforesaid, he, the said John Donohoe did refuse and neglect to adequately punish said Thomas Stanton for said offenses, and as such Fire Commissioner, he, the said John Donohoe, did vote to inflict upon said Thomas Stanton a punishment inadequate considering the gravity and nature of the said offense of the said Thomas Stanton of which he had been found guilty.

5.

On June 1, 1911, James Harlow, a member of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, came before the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco regularly for trial upon written charges theretofore duly and regularly filed with the said Board of Fire Commissioners charging said James Harlow with having assaulted the captain of his company, contrary to the rules of the Fire Department for such cases made and provided. Said John Donohoe acted as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners at said trial. Upon said trial evidence was introduced showing and establishing the truth of said charges and upon said trial said James Harlow was found guilty of said offense with which he

had been charged as aforesaid. Said offense did and does constitute a grave and serious offense against the rules and regulations of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco and did and does tend to produce inefficiency and insubordination in the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. Notwithstanding the gravity of the offense of which said James Harlow had been found guilty, as aforesaid, he, the said John Donohoe, did refuse and neglect to adequately punish said James Harlow for said offense, and as Fire Commissioner, he, the said John Donohoe, did vote to inflict upon said James Harlow a punishment inadequate, considering the gravity and nature of said offense of the said James Harlow, of which he had been found guilty.

6.

On the 7th day of September, 1911, Thomas Logan, a member of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, came before the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, regularly for trial, upon written charges theretofore duly and regularly filed with said Board of Fire Commissioners, charging said Thomas Logan with being under the influence of intoxicating liquors while in and about the quarters of Truck Company No. 1 of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, and with having used abusive and insulting language to Captain Ellenberger of said Truck Company No. 1 and with having assaulted said Captain Ellenberger. Said John Donohoe acted as a member of the said Board of Fire Commissioners on said trial. On said 7th day of September, 1911, and on subsequent dates to which said trial was adjourned, evidence was introduced showing and establishing the truth of the said charges against the said Thomas Logan, and upon said trial said Thomas Logan was on the 28th day of September, 1911, found guilty of said offenses with which he had been charged, as aforesaid. Said offenses did and do constitute grave and serious offenses against the rules and regulations of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. Notwithstanding the gravity of the offenses of which said Thomas Logan had been found guilty, as aforesaid, he, the said John Donohoe, did refuse and neglect to adequately punish said Thomas Logan for said offenses and, as Fire Commissioner, he, the said John Donohoe, did vote to inflict upon said Thomas Logan a punishment inadequate, considering the gravity and nature of the said offense of which said Thomas Logan had been found guilty.

7.

On the 11th day of April, 1912, one George E. Giblin, a member of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, came before the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco regularly for trial, upon written charges theretofore duly and regularly filed with the said Board of Fire Commissioners charging said George E. Giblin with having, on the 29th day of March, 1912, and on the 30th day of March, 1912, failed and neglected to report for duty contrary to the rules of the Fire Department for such cases made and provided. Said John Donohoe acted as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners on said trial. Said George E. Giblin pleaded guilty to said charges on the 11th day of April, 1912. In the matter of imposing a penalty upon said George E. Giblin for said offenses to which he had pleaded guilty as aforesaid, the Board of Fire Commissioners held a hearing, which hearing was concluded on the 29th day of April, 1912. On said hearing it was shown and established that said George E. Giblin was and is not a fit, competent or proper person for the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. It was further shown and established that on other and different times and occasions, to-wit, on the 23d day of December, 1909, on the 4th day of May, 1911, on the 22d day of June, 1911, on the 28th day of September, 1911, and on the 11th day of October, 1911, said George E. Giblin had been found guilty of various offenses against the rules and regulations of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco. Notwithstanding the gravity of the said offense to which said George E. Giblin pleaded guilty on the 11th day of April, 1912, as aforesaid, and notwithstanding that said George E. Giblin was and is not a fit, competent or proper person for the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, and that said George E. Giblin had on other and different times and occasions been found guilty of various offenses against the rules and regulations of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, all of which said John Donohoe well knew and well knows; said John Donohoe refused and neglected to impose an adequate or any punishment upon said George E. Giblin, and on the 29th day of April, 1912, voting with James E. Dillon, a co-Commissioner of said Board of Fire Commissioners prevented the dismissal of said George E. Giblin from said Fire Department. Said foregoing acts of said John Donohoe, enumerated in paragraph 10 hereof, and all of them, did tend, and

said John Donohoe well knew that said acts and all of them did and would tend to encourage on the part of the members of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco disobedience of the rules and regulations of the Fire Department and disrespect to their superior officers and said acts and all of them did tend to create, and said John Donohoe well knew that said acts did tend to create lack of proper and necessary discipline and efficiency in the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco, but well knowing the same and in disregard of the said consequences thereof said John Donohoe did vote and act on the matters set forth in paragraph 10 hereof in the manner therein set forth.

XI.

The undersigned does hereby further charge that said John Donohoe is not a fit, competent or proper person to occupy the position of Fire Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco or to fulfil the duties and obligations thereof in that said John Donohoe as such Fire Commissioner does encourage, permit and countenance on the part of the members of the Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco disobedience of the rules and regulations of said department and does encourage, permit and countenance lack of proper and necessary respect on the part of members of said Fire Department toward their superior officers and does encourage, permit and countenance on the part of the members of the said Fire Department inattention toward their duties and obligations as such members and does encourage, permit and countenance inefficiency and general insubordination on the part of the members of the said Fire Department. That by the acts of the said John Donohoe hereinabove set out said John Donohoe has shown and disclosed, and all of said acts do show and disclose his said unfitness and incompetency as such Fire Commissioner and the undersigned does hereby cite and show said acts of said John Donohoe in support of his said charge against said John Donohoe in this paragraph set forth.

Dated: San Francisco, California, September 7, 1912.

(Signed):

FREDERICK J. CHURCHILL.

Resignation of Isaac H. Spiro and Appointment of Theodore J. Roche to Board of Police Commissioners.

The following communication was presented by his Honor the Mayor, read by the Clerk and ordered spread at length in the Journal:

September 30, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Super-

visors of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: I beg to advise you that Mr. Isaac H. Spiro handed me his resignation as a member of the Police Commission of this City and County on Wednesday, September 18, 1912, and that same was accepted by me on Thursday, September 19, 1912, to take effect that day.

I beg to advise you that I have this day appointed Mr. Theodore J. Roche to fill the vacancy on the Board of Police Commissioners caused by the resignation of Mr. Isaac H. Spiro, and to fill the unexpired term of said Isaac H. Spiro. Respectfully yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH JR.,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Relative to Reduction of Insurance Rates.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From his Honor the Mayor, transmitting correspondence with Board of Fire Underwriters relative to reduction of insurance rates.

Ordered referred to Fire Committee.

Leave of Absence, Health Commissioner D. J. Murray.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 30, 1912:

To: his Honor James Rolph Jr., Mayor of San Francisco, San Francisco, Cal.—Dear Sir: I herewith request your permission, as well as the permission of the Board of Supervisors, to leave the State of California for ten days, desiring to attend the convention of the State Federation of Labor which meets at San Diego, and desiring also to take advantage of the opportunity to visit a part of Mexico.

Trusting I may be favored with your approval, I am glad to remain yours very truly,

D. J. MURRAY,

Member of the Board of Health.

Whereupon, the following resolution was adopted by the following vote:

J. R. No. 419.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed September 30, 1912, D. J. Murray, member of the Board of Health be and he is hereby granted leave of absence from the State for a period of ten days from October 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Fifteenth Annual Session, American Mining Congress.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Panama - Pa-

cific International Exposition, requesting to be advised if delegates are appointed to attend Fifteenth Annual Session of American Mining Congress, to be held at Spokane, Wash., November 25, 1912.

Ordered referred to *Publicity and Interurban Relations Committee*.

Relative to Leave of Absence, Michael Casey.

The following communication was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication — From Michael Casey, President of the Board of Public Works, thanking Board of Supervisors for leave to absent himself from State for four weeks from October 1, 1912.

Read and ordered filed.

Changes in Fire Alarm Signal System.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Thos. R. Murphy, Chief Engineer San Francisco Fire Department, relative to changes in fire alarm signal system.

Read and ordered filed.

Proposed Charter Amendment, Treasurer's Salary.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Treasurer, submitting proposed amendment to the Charter which provides for increase of Treasurer's salary and for creation of six permanent positions.

Ordered referred to *Judiciary Committee*:

Leave of Absence, Andrew J. Gallagher.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

September 25, 1912.

Hon. James Ralph Jr., Mayor, San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir: I hereby request permission to leave the State of California during the period between October 7, 1912, and October 14, 1912. I solicit your favorable recommendation to this and beg to remain, with best wishes,

Sincerely,

ANDREW J. GALLAGHER,

Supervisor.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

J. R. No. 420.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed September 30th, 1912, Andrew J. Gallagher, Supervisor, be and he is hereby granted leave of absence from the state during the period between October 7th, 1912, and October 14th, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliheri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,

McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following reports were presented by their respective chairmen on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered filed:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Glannini, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, Chairman.

Public Health Committee, by Supervisor Cagliheri, Chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee, by Supervisor Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolph Koshland, Chairman.

Valuation Committee, by Supervisor Edward L. Nolan, Chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9704 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants:

General Fund.

O. C. Holt, second payment, general construction, engine house No. 28 (claim dated Sept. 14, 1912).....	\$3,765.00
Bion J. Arnold, "public utilities" (claim dated Sept. 13, 1912)	3,099.51
Sperry Flour Co., cereals, Relief Home (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	864.38
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912).....	1,495.50
J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Relief Home (claim dated Sept. 4, 1912)	719.98
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	2,271.80
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912)	1,113.72
Peter Caubu, milk, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912).....	664.95
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912)	967.05
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, S.	

F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	633.42	dated Sept. 5, 1912).....	\$2,445.00
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Tuberculosis Hospital (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912)	566.80	Wm. Bateman, final payment, interior finish, City and County Jail (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912)	6,787.00
<i>San Francisco Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.</i>		<i>Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
John G. Sutton Co., in full, additional plumbing, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 7, 1912)	\$1,530.00	Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., third payment, section "M," North Point main sewer (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	\$11,334.74
Vulcan Iron Works, final payment, ice and refrigerator, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	4,639.00	John Daniel, twelfth payment, section "G," North Point main sewer (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	1,064.77
Butte Engineering and Electric Co., second payment, electric clock and signal system, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)	3,375.00	Daniel Contracting Co., third payment, section "C-2," North Point main sewer (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	12,961.91
Columbia Marble Co, fifth payment, marble work, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)	3,400.00	Contra Costa Construction Co., final payment, Ingle-side outlet sewer, section "C" (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912) ..	17,764.86
T. P. Jarvis, final payment, oil burners, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912)	575.00	<i>School Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
<i>Garbage Disposal Fund, 1908.</i>		Wm. Le Baron, fourth payment, painting, Lowell High School (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912)	\$1,200.00
McLean, Haggans & Aden, third payment, Islais Creek incinerator (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	\$5,256.13	Wm. H. Henning, assignee of Henning & Burke, tenth payment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912) ..	16,950.00
The Destructor Co., sixth payment Islais Creek and North Beach incinerators (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912) ..	13,895.74	Pacific States Sales Corporation, in full, vacuum cleaning, John Swett School (claim dated Sept. 7, 1912) ..	870.00
<i>Water Construction Fund, 1910.</i>		Wm. S. Snook & Son, final payment, plumbing, John Swett School (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912)	3,630.40
F. L. Cassaretto, groceries, etc., Hetch Hetchy investigation (claim dated Sept. 7, 1912)	\$510.66	<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
<i>Sewer Bond Fund, 1904.</i>		United States Castiron Pipe and Foundry Co., seventh payment, castiron pipe (claim dated Sept. 13, 1912) ..	\$5,270.35
Karl Ehrhart, final payment, San Jose avenue sewer (claim dated Aug. 24, 1912) ..	\$1,187.91	Enterprise Foundry Co., twenty-fifth payment, castiron specials (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912)	4,279.50
Karl Ehrhart, final payment, Cabrillo street and Thirteenth avenue sewers (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912) ..	5,055.82	Southern Pacific Co., freight charges, castiron pipe (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912) ..	758.53
State Construction Co., second payment, Stanyan street sewer (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	7,394.10	Robt. C. Storrie, sixth payment, hauling and laying castiron high pressure mains, contract 44 (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	11,441.79
Williams & Finnigan, first payment, Steuart street sewer (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	3,120.28	Michael Murphy, tenth payment, hauling and laying castiron high pressure mains, section 4 (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	17,383.06
<i>Polytechnic High School Fund, 1910.</i>		Contra Costa Construction Co., first payment hauling	
J. W. Carr, fifth payment, foundation and excavation, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Sept. 18, 1912) ..	\$5,293.00		
<i>Hall of Justice Bond Fund, 1908.</i>			
Ferrolite Co., final payment, general construction, City and County Jail (claim			

and laying castiron high pressure mains, section 6 (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912) 21,016.55

T. W. McClenahan & Co., first payment, construction Ashbury pump house, section "E" (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912) 1,095.41

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9705 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For enlarging operating room of Infirmary, Relief Home Tract \$400.00

For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets during month of October, 1912. 45,000.00

For purchase of dressed curbing 1,500.00

For paying the City's portion of a sewer in Flora street, between Bay View street and Thornton avenue. 170.00

For paying City's portion of a sewer in 39th avenue between Fulton and Cabrillo streets, and for City's portion in crossing of 39th avenue and Cabrillo street... 161.25

For paying City's portion of paving Osage alley between 25th and 26th streets. 300.00

For paying City's portion of sewerage and paving of easterly half of crossing of 13th avenue and Fulton street 105.00

For Construction and Equipment of Police Department Buildings, Etc., Budget Item No. 552.

For erection of photograph gallery, Hall of Justice, additional to \$2000 heretofore appropriated 400.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

For installation of an electric service for the Ashbury Heights pump house 486.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Appropriating \$6666.67 to Meet Increased Salary of City Engineer.

Resolution No. 9706 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$6666.67 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned bond funds to pay the additional salary of the City Engineer, M. M. O'Shaughnessy, for the balance of the fiscal year 1912-1913, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, Resolution No. 19,429.

Water Construction Fund,
1910 \$5,000.00

Geary Street Railway Fund,
1910 1,250.00

Sewer Construction Account,
1908 66.67

Fire Protection Fund, 1908.. 175.00

Garbage Disposal Fund, 1908. 175.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gal-
lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Track Special Work, Geary Street Municipal Railway and Appropriating \$8618 Therefor.

Resolution No. 9707 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to enter into contract for the furnishing and delivery of track special work for the Geary Street Municipal Railway, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment for the same the sum of \$8,618.00 out of Geary Street Municipal Railway Bond Fund, 1910.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gal-
lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Trolley Poles for Geary Street Railway and Appropriating \$3509 Therefor.

Resolution No. 9708 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to enter into contract for the furnishing and delivering of 110 tubular steel trolley poles for the westerly extension of the Geary Street Municipal Railway, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized in payment for the same the sum of \$3509.00 out of Geary Street Railway Bond Fund, 1910.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gal-
lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,

McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Oil and Garage Permits.

Resolution No. 9709 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tank.

N. Hansen, north side of Fulton street 137 feet 6 inches west of Steiner street.

Garage.

A. R. Walther, west side of First avenue 100 feet south of Clement street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extension of Time, Michael Murphy.

Resolution No. 9710 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an extension of sixty days' time from and after August 30, 1912, within which to complete his contract, No. 50, of the Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection is hereby granted to Michael Casey.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9711 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That William S. Snook & Son is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after June 25, 1912, within which to complete contract for plumbing work for the John Swett Grammar School.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractors could not install sewer work and fountains, owing to delay in completing the yard work caused by the Board of Education occupying temporary school buildings on the site; and be it further

Resolved, That the advertising charges for printing this resolution are hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gal-
lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$24,000 to George A. Webster for Certain Land Required as Site for Oriental School.

Resolution No. 9712 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty-four thousand (\$24,000.00) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the School Construction

Account, Bond Issue 1908, in pay-
ment to George A. Webster, as pur-
chase price of a lot of land situate
at the southerly line of Washington
street, distant thereon 137 feet 6
inches westerly from Stockton street,
of dimensions 137 feet 6 inches by
137 feet 6 inches. Being a portion of
50 Vara Block No. 136, required as a
site for the Oriental School.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion *laid over one week*:

Authorizing Payment of \$7516.96 to F. A. Blumberg for Certain Land Re-
quired for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of
seventy-five hundred sixteen dollars
and ninety-six cents (\$7,516.96) is
hereby authorized to be made out of
the City Hall and Civic Center bond
issue, 1912, in payment to F. A. Blum-
berg as purchase price of a lot of land
situate at the southerly line of Ful-
ton street, distant thereon 82 feet 6
inches westerly from the westerly line
of Polk street, of dimensions 25 feet
by 95 feet, being a portion of Western
Additional Block No. 67, required as
site for City Hall and Civic Center
purposes.

The purchase price of said	land	\$7,500.00
Rebate on taxes for current		
fiscal year allowed.....		16.96
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		\$7,516.96

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizing Payment of \$701,437.08 to
Mechanics' Institute for Western Addi-
tional Block No. 2, Required for City
Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9713 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of
seven hundred and one thousand four
hundred and thirty-seven dollars and
eight cents (\$701,437.08) is hereby
authorized to be made out of the City
Hall and Civic Center bond issue
1912, in payment to the Mechanics' In-

stitute (a corporation), as purchase price of a lot of land bounded by Larkin street on the east, Hayes street on the south, Polk street on the west and Grove street on the north

Being all of Western Addition Block No. 2, required as site for City Hall and Civic Center purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—12.

Excused from Voting—Supervisors Caglieri, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Payot—5.

Absent—Supervisor McLeran—1.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2269, Ordinance No. 2042 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Beach street between Mason and Taylor streets; Forty-third avenue between Fulton and Cabrillo streets, and crossing of Cabrillo and Forty-third avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Establishing Grades, Revere Avenue.

Bill No. 2270, Ordinance No. 2043 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Revere avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2271, Ordinance No. 2044 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same, the provisions of which order the construction of a 12-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances in Peralta avenue, between York and Tomasa streets, and in the crossings of intersecting streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$976,514.73 and numbered consecutively 26,070 to 26,646, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following bill heretofore referred to the Electricity Committee and returned by said committee with recommendation that same be indefinitely postponed was taken up and on motion of Supervisor McCarthy indefinitely postponed:

Underground District, Geary Street.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series) entitled, "Adding a new section, to be numbered Section 1ab, to Order No. 214 (Second Series), entitled, 'Providing for placing electrical wires and conduits underground in the City and County of San Francisco,' the provisions of which require the grounding of overhead wires on Geary street, from Van Ness avenue to Presidio avenue."

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisors Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Townley Mill and Lumber Co., second payment, construction of booths, Department of Elections (claim dated June 30, 1912)\$1,274.19

Par. Fund.

Spring Valley Water Co., water, parks and squares (claim dated Aug. 24, 1912)\$2,213.35

Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

C. F. Weber & Co., furniture, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)\$ 807.75

Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, 1904.

Fay Improvement Co., final payment, street work, Howard street, from Second street westerly (claim dated Sept. 19, 1912)\$2,214.04

Fay Improvement Co., additional, street work, Howard street, from Second street westerly (claim dated Sept. 19, 1912) 3,084.59

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Payot, Stratford & Kerr, stationery, Department of Elections (claim dated Sept. 17, 1912) \$1,577.51

Egan Bros., straw, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 12, 1912) 547.50

J. O'Keefe & Co, hay, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912) 2,088.99

Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 608.41

Producers Hay Co., alfalfa and oats, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 1,752.76

State of California, maintenance of minors, state schools (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 668.88

The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. Francisco, maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912) 3,821.21

Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vincent's Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 1,917.61

Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 682.00

Catholic Humane Bureau, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 4,306.70

Sister Mary Caine, Supt. Mt. St. Joseph's I. C. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 1,067.00

The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912) 728.20

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 1,228.34

Albertinum Orphanage, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 536.30

Spring Valley Water Co., water for sprinkling streets (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912) 1,155.92

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter

mentioned funds, for the following purposes, to wit:

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For resurvey of Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Horners' and Western Additions, Bernal, Syndicate and West End Homesteads, during the months of October, November and December, 1912 \$12,000.00

For cleaning and repairs to sewers during month of October, 1912 12,000.00

For paying the city's portion of improving the crossing of Eighteenth avenue and Quintara street 35.00

For paying the City's portion of improving the crossing of Nineteenth avenue and Quintara street 5.00

For paying the City's portion of construction of sewer in crossing of Capitol avenue and Farallones street 55.00

For paying the City's portion of construction of sewers in the crossing of Capitol avenue and Lobos street.. 55.00

For paying City's portion of construction of sewer in Capitol avenue and Lobos street 419.00

For Expense, Maintenance, Cleaning Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 553.

For maintenance, cleaning, sweeping, sprinkling streets during month of October, 1912 \$27,000.00

For Repairs, Etc., School Department Buildings, Budget Item No. 551.

For repairs, etc. to Columbus School \$300.00

For equipping two new rooms, Portola School 200.00

For removal of portable building and equipment, Spring Valley School. ... 250.00

For erection and equipment of portable building, Noe Valley School 250.00

City Hall Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912.

For payment to Bakewell & Brown, architects, proposed City Hall, as per recommendation of Board of Public Works \$25,000.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

For purchase of fifty regulating valves for high pressure hydrants at \$115.00 each \$5,750.00

Board of Public Works to Contract for Street Work on Howard Street, from Fourth to Eighth Streets, and Appropriating \$53,000 Therefor.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with G. W. McGinn & Co., for the construction of granite curbs and a basalt block pavement along Howard street from Fourth street to Eighth street at their bid price of \$50,832.00, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment for same out of Budget Item No. 55, "For paving of Howard street" the sum of \$53,000, said amount to include repair work, survey and inspection incidental thereto; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the paving of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Bids for Grading on Madrid and Edinburgh Streets in Front of City Property.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9714 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids for filling in with clean dirt and sand to the official grade the roadway of Madrid street from Russia avenue, 350 feet northeasterly, and on Edinburgh street from Russia avenue, 250 feet northeasterly in front of City property.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Providing \$4,200 to Enable City Engineer to Install Photographic Department.

Resolution No. 9715 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized and directed to install a Photographic Department at a cost not to exceed \$4200.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Proposals for Sewer Work in Fifth Street, from Harrison Street to Channel Street.

Also, Resolution No. 9716 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of a sewer in Fifth Fifth street from Harrison street to the channel, out of Sewer Construction Bonds, issue of 1904, maturing June 30, 1913; further

Resolved, That a sufficient sum will set aside by the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors for the construction of said sewer when a sufficient amount is on deposit in the Treasury from the sale of said Sewer Construction Bonds, issue of 1904, maturing June 30, 1913.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Repealing J. Resolution No. 386 Relative to Ceasing Publication for Finally Passed Matters.

J. R. No. 421.

Resolved, That Journal Resolution No. 386, directing the Clerk to cease one-time publication of finally passed matters is hereby repealed

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Boiler and Oil Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

Collins McCarthy Candy Co., 25-31 Beale street, 80 horsepower, for furnishing steam.

E. C. Leach, 40 College avenue, 4 horsepower, for heating water and sterilizing utensils.

Storage Tanks.

E. L. Hueter, north side of Bush street, 180 feet east of Jones street, capacity 2000 gallons.

Collins McCarthy Candy Co., 25-31 Beale street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Adopted.

Board of Public Works to Complete Work of Contractors on Auxiliary System.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. 9717 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to complete all pieces of work in the construction of the Auxiliary Water System for fire protection, left unfinished by contractors and not in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contracts entered into between them and the said Board of Public Works for the full completion of said work; furthermore, said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to withhold from final payments, sufficient moneys to cover the cost to the City of completing the said pieces of work, and if such moneys are not available then to proceed against the bonds given by said contractors and made a part of said contracts for the faithful performance of this work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 422.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied to A. Firpo to maintain a stable for five horses at 131 Arkansas street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Install Street Lights.

Supervisor Nolan presented:

J. R. No. 423.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas & Electric Company is hereby instructed to install 500-Watt Tungsten all-night lamps at the following locations, to-wit:

Southwest corner of Haight street and Masonic avenue.

Southwest corner of Haight and Ashbury streets.

Southwest corner of Haight and Clayton streets.

Southwest corner of Haight and Belvedere streets.

Southeast corner of Haight and Cole streets.

Also, to install 500-Watt Tungsten 12 o'clock (midnight) lamps at the following locations:

North side of Haight street, 75 feet west of Masonic avenue.

South side of Haight street, 153 feet west of Masonic avenue.

North side of Haight street, 230 feet west of Masonic avenue.

South side of Haight street, 300 feet west of Masonic avenue.

Northeast corner of Haight and Ashbury streets.

North side of Haight street, 101 feet west of Ashbury street.

South side of Haight street, 179 feet west of Ashbury street.

North side of Haight street, 244 feet west of Ashbury street.

South side of Haight street, 350 feet west of Ashbury street.

Northeast corner of Haight and Clayton streets.

North side of Haight street, 102 feet west of Clayton street.

South side of Haight street, 189 feet west of Clayton street.

Northeast corner of Haight and Cole streets.

Provided that the City and County of San Francisco shall be at no expense nor incur any liability for the upkeep or repair of said lamps.

Motion.

Supervisor Koshland moved to amend by changing "12 o'clock" to "11 o'clock".

Motion carried.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution, as amended, was adopted as J. R. No. 423, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 424.

Resolved, That Pacific Lodge No. 325, Order of Brith Abraham, is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at Majestic Hall, Fillmore and Geary streets, October 13, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee, provided that the proceeds of said ball are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Offer of Carpenters' Hall Association to Sell for \$70,118.12 Certain Land Required for City Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9718 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Carpenters' Hall Association to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improve-

ments, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; be it

Resolved, That the offer of Carpenters' Hall Association to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements. \$70,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed..... 118.12

\$70,118.12

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Polk street; running thence westerly along said northerly line of Fulton street 50 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the southerly line of Ash street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Ash street 50 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line of Fulton street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and improvements and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment of \$7,496.35 to Maria B. Dunn, Administratrix of Estate of Rose Bouwman, for Certain Land Required for City Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of \$7496.35 is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue 1912, in payment to Maria B. Dunn, administratrix of the estate of Rose Bouwman (deceased) in satisfaction of judgment and decree in condemnation proceedings in action entitled "City and County of San Francisco vs. Estate of Rose Bouwman (deceased)", Superior Court Records No. 41542, said action involving acquisition of land situate on the easterly line of Polk street, distant thereon 68 feet 6 inches northerly from the northerly line of Grove street; running thence northerly along said easterly line of Polk street 23 feet; thence at a right angle easterly 82 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 23 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 82 feet 6 inches to the said easterly line of Polk street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3, required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes:

For purchase of land.....\$7475.00
For rebate of taxes current fiscal year allowed 18.85
Costs of suit 2.50

Total\$7,496.35

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizing Payment of \$70,118.12 to Carpenters' Hall Association for Certain Lands Required for City Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of seventy thousand one hundred eighteen dollars and twelve cents (\$70,118.12) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond, Issue 1912, in payment to Carpenters' Hall Association as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Polk street, of dimensions 50 feet frontage on Fulton street by uniform depth of 120 feet. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, required as site for City Hall and Civic Center purposes.

For purchase of said land and improvements\$70,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed 118.12

Total\$70,118.12

Authorizing Payment of \$38,586.10 to Anna C. Meusdorffer for Certain Land Required for City Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of thirty-eight thousand, five hundred and eighty-six dollars and ten cents (\$38,586.10) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue 1912, in payment to Anna C. Meusdorffer as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at intersection of the northerly line of Fulton street with the westerly line of Polk street, of dimensions 60 feet frontage on Polk street by a uniform depth of 100 feet. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, required as site for City Hall and Civic Center purposes.

For purchase of said land and improvements	\$38,500.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed	86.10

Total\$38,586.10

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of Anna C. Meusdorffer to Sell for \$38,586.10 Certain Land Required for City Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9719 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Anna C. Meusdorffer to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; be it

Resolved, That the offer of Anna C. Meusdorffer to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements	\$38,500.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed	86.10

\$38,586.10

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of the northerly line of Fulton street with the easterly line of Polk street; running thence northerly along said westerly line of Polk street 60 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 100

feet; thence at a right angle southerly 60 feet to the northerly line of Fulton street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Fulton street 100 feet to the said westerly line of Polk street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and improvements and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Offer of Settlement of Lower Market Street Controversy.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Vogelsang:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Be it Resolved. That the Board of Supervisors hereby makes the following offer of settlement to the United Railroads Company with reference to disputed rights on lower Market street; and with regard to the construction and operation of the Municipal Street Railway, to-wit:

1. The United Railroads to dismiss appeal from the decision of the Superior Court forfeiting the Sutter Street Railway franchise, and to stipulate forfeiture of said franchise.

2. The United Railroads to specifically waive all right of action against the city based upon Section 5 of Order No. 1415 granting a franchise to the Market Street Railway Company, which section contains the so-called "five blocks provision."

3. The outer tracks, with overhead equipment, from Sutter street to the Ferry, to revert to the possession of the city. In which case the Sutter street cars may run thereon without cost of rental; or, the city will buy the outer tracks and then charge either a monthly rental to the United Railroads for the use of said outer tracks, or charge the United Railroads one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement.

4. The city will give permit to the United Railroads for running Sutter

street cars through to the Ferry on the outer tracks, said permit to hold good till the date of expiration of original, now forfeited, franchise.

5. The city to have the right to string its wires for the operation of its cars on Market street from Geary street to the Ferry upon the poles of the United Railroads without any charge or compensation therefor.

6. The electric current used from the United Railroads to be paid for in proportion to use by respective parties.

7. Transfers to be exchanged under proper restrictions at the intersection of the Municipal Railway with Divisadero, Fillmore, Larkin and possibly other street lines of the United Railroads.

8. The Municipal Railway cars to run through to the Ferry upon the outer tracks from Kearny street.

9. The city to have the right to operate its Municipal Railway on Point Lobos avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads, if, and when, it so desires upon payment of proportionate cost of construction and maintenance.

If satisfactory arrangements can be made for mutual co-operation in connection with the westerly end of the Geary street line, the committee to submit a proposal thereof.

Amendments.

Supervisor Bancroft moved to amend Section 8 by changing the first word from "The" to "All".

Amendment *carried*.

Supervisor Koshland moved that the second paragraph of Section 9 be eliminated.

Amendment *carried*.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution as amended was adopted as Resolution No. 9720 by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Award of Contract, Metal Book Racks,
Recorder.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:
J. R. No. 425.

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and installing eight metal book racks for Record Volumes for Recorder, be awarded to H. S. Crocker Co. for the sum of four hundred and eighty-six (\$486.00) dollars, pursuant to bid submitted August 26, 1912.

All other bids for the foregoing articles are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
leri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Award of Contract, Metal Book Racks,
Auditor.

Also, J. R. No. 426.

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and installing eight metal book racks for the Auditor, be awarded to the General Fire-proofing Company for the sum of nine hundred and thirty-five (\$935.00) dollars, pursuant to bid submitted August 26, 1912.

All other bids for the foregoing articles are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Rejection of Bills for Metal Filing Cases.

Also, J. R. No. 427.

Resolved, That all bids submitted for four metal filing cases for Justices' Clerk on September 23, 1912, are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed*
for printing:

Pipe Line Permit, American Gasoline
Company.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revoc-
able at will of the Board of Super-
visors, is hereby granted to the Ameri-
can Gasoline Company to lay a three
(3) inch pipe line to commence at a
point where the center line of Illi-
nois street intersects with the center
line of Tulare street, and thence in a
northerly direction along Illinois
street a distance of about seven hun-
dred (700) feet to the property of the
American Gasoline Company, located
in Block No. 402, bounded by Marin,
Kentucky, Army and Illinois streets,
said pipe to be used to convey the
petroleum and petroleum products;
provided that this privilege is granted
on condition that said American Gas-
oline Company in opening and closing
the streets for the laying of said pipe
line therein shall act in accordance
with the provisions of subdivision 9
of section 9 of chapter 1 of article 6
of the Charter, wherein the Board of
Public Works is required to perform

the work necessary in laying the aforesaid conduits and pipes.

Provided further, that said American Gasoline Company, while exercising such privilege, shall keep in good repair the street pavement over said pipe line.

Full Acceptance, Duncan Street.

Also, Bill No. 2272, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Duncan street from the westerly line of Guerrero street to the easterly line of San Jose avenue."

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2273, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work on Thirty-eighth avenue, between Lincoln way and Irving street, Bernal avenue, between Coso and Shotwell streets, Precita avenue, between Florida and Alabama streets, crossing of Army and Noe streets, Collingwood street from southerly line of Twentieth street to point 222 feet 6 inches southerly therefrom, crossing of Woolsey and Goettingen street, and on Ratteck street from the southerly line of Bosworth street southwesterly 190 feet."

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Recommend Street Work and Sewer Work on Dolores Street.

J. R. No. 428.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to recommend the following sewer and street work, to wit:

The construction of a sewer in Dolores street from Market to Fourteenth streets.

The paving of the roadway of Dolores street from Market to Fourteenth streets, and on Dolores street from Fourteenth to Fifteenth streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Recommend Paving of Brannan Street, from First Street to the Embarcadero.

J. R. No. 429.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to recommend the paving of the roadway of Brannan street from First street to The Embarcadero.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Cause Removal of Gasoline Pumps on Sidewalks.

J. R. No. 430.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to remove a gasoline pump from the sidewalk in front of the Valencia Garage situate at the northeast corner of Seventeenth and Valencia streets; and also remove all gasoline pumps maintained on sidewalks as said pumps are not permitted to be maintained under the provisions of Ordinance No. 916, approved June 30, 1903, entitled, "Regulating Obstructions Upon Public Streets and Sidewalks."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Providing for Selection of New Valuation Committee.

The following resolution introduced by Supervisor Murphy at last meeting and laid over one week was taken up:

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Telephone Rates Committee, the Water Rates Committee and the Lighting and Rates Committee each nominate one of its members to be a member of the Valuation Committee and that the three members so nominated shall constitute the Valuation Committee; further

Resolved, That J. R. No. 362 is hereby repealed.

Withdrawn.

Thereupon, Supervisor Murphy stated that inasmuch as Committee had settled its differences he wished to withdraw the above resolution.

Request granted.

Supervisor A. J. Gallagher also requested permission to withdraw minority report heretofore filed.

Request granted.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension by the rules and adopted:

Water and Public Utilities Committee to Provide Plans for Making Water Extensions.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

J. R. No. 431.

Resolved, That it is hereby declared to be the policy of this Board to immediately provide extensions of water service to the end that all districts in this City now suffering from lack or inadequacy of supply may be relieved as soon as possible.

Resolved, That funds for this purpose be taken from sales of water bonds of the issue of 1910, if no other feasible plan may be devised.

Resolved, That the Public Utilities Committee and the Water Rates Committee, jointly, consider the subject together with the City Engineer, City Attorney, and representatives of the Spring Valley Water Company to devise the most practical and economical plan by which this end may be accomplished; and be it further

Resolved, That said Joint Committee be, and it is hereby directed to report its findings and plan together with proper draft of necessary ordinances and resolutions, to this Board, at the earliest practicable moment

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Streets Committee to Find Out Rights of Sierra Light and Power Company to Maintain Poles in Certain Public Places.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher, and on his motion ordered referred to the *Streets and Sewers Committee*:

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Streets Committee find out what rights, if any, the Sierra and San Francisco Power Company has to maintain poles in the following places:

Alameda street, between Harrison and Bryant streets; Harrison street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets; Fourteenth street, between Harrison and Mission streets; Trainor street, between Fourteenth and Erie; Shotwell street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets; Howard street, between Fourteenth and Erie streets.

And they are hereby directed to, if they find that these poles are maintained without right in law, take the proper measures to have them removed at once.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

Endorsement of "Greater San Francisco" Project.

J. R. 432.

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, does hereby express itself as strongly in favor of the proposed amendment to

Section 7 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of California, relating to consolidated city and county government which is to be submitted to the electors of California at the coming election in November, 1912.

Resolved further, that this Board does hereby recommend and earnestly request the voters in all communities and in every locality in the State to mark their ballots in favor of the proposed amendment.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Proposed Charter Amendments.

Supervisor Murphy presented:

Amend Section 1, Chapter II, Article VIII, relating to Police Commission.

Amend Section 2, Chapter II, Article VIII, providing for rotation in office of Police Commissioners.

Amend Section 4, Chapter II, Article VIII, relative to organization, salaries and meetings of Police Commissioners.

Amend Section 1, Chapter I, Article IX, relating to Police Commission.

Amend Section 2, Chapter I, Article IX, providing for rotation in office of Fire Commissioners.

Add new section to Chapter II, Article IX, to be known as Section 5, prescribing the duties of Fire Commission.

Amend Section 1, Chapter I, Article VII, relating to personal salaries and qualifications of Board of Education, also providing for rotation in office.

Amend Section 2, Chapter I, Article VII, relative to selection of president and secretary of Board of Education and the salary of latter.

Add new article, to be known and numbered as Article X A, creating a Department of Public Charities.

Amend Section 1, Article X, relative to organization and salaries of members of Board of Health.

Amend Section 2 of Article X, relative to appointment of members of Board of Health.

Amend Section 3 of Article X, relative to jurisdiction of Board of Health.

Amend Section 4 of Article X, relative to duties of Board of Health.

Ordered referred to *Judiciary Committee*.

Report of City Engineer on Garbage Disposal System.

The following report was presented by Supervisor Payot, and, on his motion, ordered referred to the *Public Welfare Committee*:

Department of Public Works.

San Francisco, Sept. 12, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: There is herewith transmitted to your Honorable Board, copy of report of the City Engineer on the condition of the finances for the construction of a Garbage Disposal System and estimates of the cost of completing the North Beach Incinerating Plant with 2, 4 and 6 incinerating furnaces installed therein.

This report was approved by the Board of Public Works by Resolution 19,537, second series, passed September 11, 1912.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

By F. J. CHURCHILL, Secretary.

Enclosure FH-RAE

City and County of San Francisco.

Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Financial Report Garbage Disposal System.

San Francisco, Sept. 7, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Mr. Payot, Chairman of the Public Welfare Committee, has requested a statement of the condition of the finances for the construction of a Garbage Disposal System and estimates of the cost of completing the North Beach Incinerating Plant with 2, 4 and 6 incinerating furnaces installed therein.

I hand you herewith a statement of the condition of the funds for this Garbage Disposal System from which it appears that after defraying the cost of constructing the Islais Creek Incinerating Plant with the 2 units at present proposed and the cost of constructing the 2 incinerator furnaces for the North Beach plant, for which contracts have been let, there will be available \$200,535.83, together with whatever sum may be realized from the sale of the property of the Sanitary Reduction Works, with which to defray the cost of constructing the building, for 2 units for the North Beach Incinerating Plant, and such other incinerating furnaces and buildings as it may be decided to install in the North Beach Incinerating Plant.

The following are the estimates of the cost of completing this North Beach Incinerating Plant with 2, 4 or 6 units:

The cost of constructing building for 2 incinerator furnaces.....\$129,072.50
(Cost of incinerator furnaces included in estimate of present condition of funds.)

Plans and specifications.....	6,500.00
Incidentals	7,000.00

Total expenditure required to complete North Beach Incinerating

Plant with 2 furnaces.....	\$142,672.50
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Estimated cost to complete North Beach Incinerating Plant with 4 units, building	\$190,737.50
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2 additional incinerator furnaces.....	100,000.00
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Possible bonus earned by contractor.....	10,000.00
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Plans and specifications	7,500.00
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Incidentals	10,000.00
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Total	\$313,237.50
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Estimated cost to complete North Beach Incinerating Plant with 6 units:

Building	\$224,000.00
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4 additional incinerator furnaces.....	200,000.00
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Possible bonus earned by contractor.....	20,000.00
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Incidentals	15,000.00
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Plans and specifications	8,500.00
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	\$467,500.00
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In other words, there is not sufficient money in the funds at the present time available for the construction of the North Beach Incinerator Plant to complete this plant with more than 2 units, and in order to complete the plant with more than 2 units it will be necessary that the property purchased from the Sanitary Reduction Works be disposed of.

The value of the property of the Sanitary Reduction Works has been estimated at between \$200,000 and \$300,000, which, added to the two hundred and odd thousand dollars at present available, would give us between \$400,000 and \$500,000 with which to construct the North Beach Incinerating Plant, provided the property of the Sanitary Reduction Works can be sold.

The above estimates are necessarily approximate and the actual cost of the work may be greater or less than given therein.

At the suggestion of Supervisor Payot, we are drawing up plans and specifications for the construction of the building for the North Beach Incinerating Plant in such a manner that bids can be received on constructing this building for 2, 4 or 6 incinerator furnaces. We are also drawing up plans and specifications on which can be received bids for the construction of 2 or 4 additional incinerating furnaces.

It is not advisable to construct buildings for more furnaces than it is intended to install immediately, for the reason that the arrangement of the building depends to a considerable extent upon the particular type of furnace which may be adopted, and if buildings were constructed now and furnaces of a different type than at present contemplated were at some future time purchased to be installed in these buildings, it would probably be necessary to make extensive alterations to the buildings in order to accommodate them to the furnaces.

The Charter forbids your Board entering into contracts for construction work unless the money with which to pay for such work is in the hands of the Treasurer and has been set aside for that purpose by the Board of Supervisors.

It is, therefore, recommended that as soon as the plans and specifications for the buildings and furnaces are complete, your Board advertise for bids for the construction of both the buildings and the furnaces, the bids for both contracts to be opened on the same day, and that provision be made to open bids for the purchase of the property of the Sanitary Reduction Works one week later. Upon opening the bids for the construction of the incinerating plant the exact amount necessary to complete this incinerating plant in each of the three manners proposed, will be evident, and upon opening bids for the purchase of the property of the Sanitary Reduction Company the amount available to defray the cost of this construction will be known. After this the Board can decide what construction it is desirable to undertake at once and can act accordingly.

Respectfully,

M. M. O'S., City Engineer.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FUND OF THE GARBAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM.

Funds Available:

Bonds sold	\$856,000.00
Premium on bonds sold.....	65,104.00
Bonds in Treasury.....	144,000.00
Estimated premiums on unsold bonds, 7 per cent.....	11,200.00

Total amount available\$1,076,304.00

Expenditures for Real Estate, Franchise of Sanitary Reduction Works, Engraving of Bonds, Etc.,—July 1, 1912

Sanitary Reduction Works.....	\$350,000.00
Lot in Potrero Block No. 150 (Islais Creek).....	15,000.00
Lot in Blk. No. 203, 50 Vara District (North Beach)	80,000.00
Appraisalment	850.28
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Miscellaneous expenses, legal, engraving, etc.....	1,721.30	
Investigation, plans, specifications.....	11,007.52	
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Expenditures	\$458,579.10	
<i>Obligations Incurred to July 1, 1912:</i>		
Final payment, Sanitary Reduction Works.....	\$50,000.00	
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Total	\$508,579.10	
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Balance available to construct incinerating plants..	\$567,724.90	
<i>Contract No. 1:</i>		
Appropriation	\$260,000.00	
Contract with Destructor Co., Islais Creek Plant...\$123,141.00		
Credit by changing plans	4,975.00	
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	\$118,166.00	
Possible bonus contractor may earn.....	9,600.00	
Incidentals	4,879.44	
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Amount required for Plant No. 1.....	\$132,645.44	
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Contract with Destructor Co., North Beach Plant..\$132,075.00		
Credit by changing plans.....	5,550.00	
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	\$126,525.00	
Possible bonus contractor may earn.....	9,600.00	
Incidentals	5,034.63	
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Amount required for Plant No. 2.....	\$141,159.63	
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Total amount required for Contract No. 1.....	\$273,805.07	
<i>Contract No. 2:</i>		
Appropriation	\$18,000.00	
Total payment to Mercer Fraser Co.....	\$11,951.90	
Net credit	477.10	
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	\$12,429.00	12,429.00
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Amount returned to fund.....	\$5,511.00	
<i>Contract No. 3A:</i>		
Appropriation	\$90,000.00	
Contract with McLean, Haggens & Aden.....	\$62,155.00	
Possible bonus contractor may earn.....	3,000.00	
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	\$65,155.00	
<i>Contract No. 3B:</i>		
Contract with Judson Mfg. Co.....	\$6,500.00	
Possible bonus contractor may earn.....	1,500.00	
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	\$8,000.00	
Incidentals	1,500.00	
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Total amount required.....	\$74,655.00	
Plans and specifications, Islais Creek Incinerator:		
Estimated cost	\$6,300.00	
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SUMMARY OF ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES FOR CONTRACTS FOR		
ISLAIS CREEK STATION AND TWO FURNACES FOR		
NORTH BEACH STATION.		
Contract No. 1.....	\$273,805.07	
Contract No. 2.....	12,429.00	

Contract No. 3.....	74,655.00
Plans and specifications	6,300.00
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	\$367,189.07
Amount available for construction of incinerating plants.....	\$567,724.90
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Balance available for construction of North Beach Incinerating Plant	\$200,535.83

Announcement.

Supervisor Vogelsang announced that the Public Utilities and Water Rates Committee would meet jointly to consider extensions of water service on Thursday, October 3, 1912, at 8 p. m.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Board of Public Works to Report on Condition of Streets Where Auxillary High Pressure System is Being Installed.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
J. R. No. 433.

Resolved, That the Board of Public works be directed to direct the City Engineer to report on the condition of streets where the High Pressure Sys-

tem is being installed, with detailed information on the following matters:

1. Open trenches which can and should be closed.

2. Condition of streets where the trenches have been closed and whether the work has been properly done by the contractor.

3. Where sidewalks or streets are obstructed by contractors piling paving blocks thereon and neglecting to remove the same as expeditiously as possible.

September 30, 1912.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board, at the hour of 3:50 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, October 7, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.

Monday, October 7, 1912

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, October 7, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-

lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of September 30, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

BION J. ARNOLD'S REPORT ON

MARKET STREET EXTENSION RAPID TRANSIT TUNNEL

UNDER TWIN PEAKS RIDGE.

PRELIMINARY REPORT NO. 8.

SUPPLEMENTING PRELIMINARY REPORT NO. 5.

Board of Supervisors,
City of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

In my Preliminary Report No. 5 on Twin Peaks Rapid Transit Tunnels, presented to you on May 3, I specifically avoided discussing in detail the following related points which at that time required further study:

First. Location of the Market Street bore within the limits of the present roadway.

Second. Number and location of stations.

Third. Type of stations.

Fourth. Relation of the present tunnel project to future rapid transit projects which must necessarily connect thereto.

Fifth. The best arrangements for cross-town transfer connections at Laguna Honda station.

I therefore present this supplementary report in order to clear up these unsettled points with regard to the present project and furnish a basis for the detailed design of the various structures.

These matters are discussed from two entirely different stand-points:

Project A. Relates to that type of structure best adapted to present needs:

A-1. Main or hill section of Project A—Eureka Street to southwest portal.

A-2. Subway section of Project A, from Eureka Street to northeast portal at Mission Street.

Project B. Relates to subsequent rapid transit projects indicating what provision must be made in the first structures for the probable demands of the future in the shape of additional main and branch subway connections.

The development of studies for the latter Project B, that may appear somewhat elaborate, have been necessary in order to avoid serious blunders in planning rapid transit projects which are easily made due to under-estimation of future growth. The history of most rapid transit projects, brief as it is, has shown that this growth has generally been under-estimated rather than over-estimated. And the transit developments across the Bay and around Los Angeles offer a sufficient testimony to the possibilities of the near future.

General Description of Project. The complete project as recommended herein conforms in general to that described in my Preliminary Report No. 5, previously submitted. In addition to the assignment of stations and the general design of structures, the following modifications have been incorporated:

First, the supplementary incline portal near Castro Street has been removed from Market Street and located within the limits of the triangular plaza just west of Castro Street at the commencement of the Market Street contour extension, where little traffic obstruction will occur.

Second, the supplementary entrance portal for surface cars at Laguna Honda station has been modified so as to provide a through crossing for a future Seventh Avenue cross-town line, with transfer connections to the tunnel station.

Third, Laguna Honda station has been located on City property, so as to constitute an attractive transit center at the bend in Dewey Boulevard capable of effective future development, in connection with a Seventh Avenue boulevard extension to Corbett Road and down the Peninsula.

Fourth, a future diversion of the right of way south of the San Miguel portal is recommended to secure the necessary grade separation through the Ingleside District.

These modifications are incorporated in the General Plan (Fig.

1) which supersedes the similar general plan of Report No. 5, and are detailed in the various drawings accompanying.

SUMMARY OF CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS.

First: Concerning Project A, main or hill section, later studies have confirmed my previous recommendation in Preliminary Report No. 5, that if it is determined to build at present only the main portion of the tunnel between the southwest portal and Eureka Street, the northeast end of the tunnel should be built with the object of *connecting at sub-grade* with a future Market Street subway, and not connecting directly with the surface grade. An inclined entrance would then become necessary at Eureka Street which could be ultimately abandoned, or utilized for routing trolley cars to the surface at this point.

Second: Whether the tunnel is extended down Market Street at the present time or not, I am convinced that *the contour extension of Market Street should be carried out at once while the property is relatively inexpensive.*

Third: This contemplates also the construction of the contour Boulevard around Twin Peaks, as advocated by the various Improvement Associations. This low-grade extension of Market Street will form the much needed traffic thoroughfare down the Peninsula, supplementing the rapid transit tunnel.

Fourth: Concerning the second section of Project A, this should be built as a two-track subway from West Mission Street to Castro Street along the *north side* of Market Street at *high-level*; that is, with station platforms as close to the street surface as the structural design will permit. In this manner, a future parallel bore will be provided for at minimum cost, to be built at sub-level (that is, at a depth sufficient for an overhead concourse). Thence it will proceed directly through the hill at low-grade from Castro Street to the southern portal.

Fifth: Acquire sufficient easement width when the first project is carried through to accommodate both present and future bores, as well as stations. The additional cost at the present time for both bores will probably be but little more than for the first.

Sixth: Considering the limitations imposed by the necessity for reasonably rapid operation through the tunnel, not more than three stations between the north and south portal appear to be desirable for the present:

“Church Street,” located in the valley at Fourteenth and Church streets; side platform, sidewalk entrance.

“Eureka Valley,” located along Market Street contour extension, between Collingwood and Eureka streets; island platform, central entrance kiosk.

“Laguna Honda,” located on City property at the intersection of Seventh Avenue and Dewey Boulevard; side platform, escalator or ramp entrance.

One future station, “Noe Street,” has been provided for by raising the tunnel grade to the proper level; but this should be built for local stops, and only when the development of cross-town traffic warrants.

Seventh: Both Market Street stations, at Church Street and Eureka Valley, should be built at high-level. Church Street may be developed later into a sub-level type express station later described, with the necessary direct transfer facilities between express and local platforms.

Eureka Valley station may be expanded into a reservoir station as soon as traffic warrants, so as to provide “passing tracks” for through service or in conjunction with the branch-off tracks of the proposed Mission-Sunset tunnel connecting at Eureka Street. This will be independent of the future low-grade bore of Project B, which will pass beneath Eureka Valley station, either on the same alignment or a more direct one.

Eighth: Laguna Honda station should be constructed at the highest level consistent with the maximum grade established—3 per cent—but at sufficient depth to permit a future overhead crossing beneath the surface of Dewey Boulevard for trolley cars of connecting transfer lines, this super-grade crossing to be developed as soon as traffic conditions warrant, but independent of the present tunnel station.

Laguna Honda station has been located largely on City property, and an unusual opportunity exists for effective utilization and enhancement in value of the entire City Tract. The improvement of this locality and the boulevards leading therefo should therefore be undertaken by the City at its earliest opportunity. An open cut crossing for trolley cars will save much of the expense of a covered sub-grade station such as shown herein.

Ninth: The upper Market Street subway section should be designed so as to connect directly at subway grade with a future four-track section extending down lower Market Street. All subway branch-off lines should be designed *without grade crossings*. Present designs must fit into a proper scheme of future development without necessitating expensive reconstruction, particularly with reference to station structures.

Tenth: The lower Market Street subway section, which will become necessary in the future, should be built with a standard four-track section, with all four tracks built at sub-level, permitting an *overhead concourse from sidewalk to sidewalk* beneath the street from which access may be had to both express and local platforms, with direct transfer between them. This section is well adapted

for connection with the upper Market Street section of Project A, as herein recommended. It is idle to consider a two-track section, because of the number of branches that will probably be required.

Eleventh: In the location of stations, provision should be made for ultimately extending the platform to accommodate the longest multiple-unit train contemplated. For the present, both high-speed interurban and trolley suburban cars will be operated through the tunnel. This dissimilarity in equipment makes it desirable for these two types to *berth at separate platforms*; consequently, stations not less than 350 feet in length should be provided for at present, accommodating three-car interurban trains and three trolley car units. On account of this length of platform, and the serious loss in speed due to additional stops, stations should not be built closer than 1500 or 2000 feet.

Twelfth: An inclined exit at Castro Street will be required, so long as both local and express trains are operated through the hill tunnel, to relieve the Market street subway section of such locals as do not require a through run. The incline utilizes otherwise waste space west of Castro Street in order to obviate an obstruction in upper Market Street.

Thirteenth: Enlargement of the present two-track project to four tracks must come when the safe minimum headway has been reached, under conditions of minimum safety factor as determined by rigidly applied rules for the style of equipment and the type of signal system installed.

Fourteenth: The relative volume or headway of express and local traffic that can be accommodated effectively within the one bore should be largely determined by the necessities of express service. This is the principal object of the rapid transit project.

Fifteenth: Before traffic necessitates a second or express bore, it is likely that local suburban service can best be handled in the present bore by special subway equipment running between the City and the County Line, with adequate transfer facilities en route to numerous trolley feeder lines. And as a lower Market Street subway will probably also be required by this time, it will then become desirable to exclude all but standard subway equipment from the rapid transit system.

Sixteenth: When the ultimate Market Street subway project is completed from the Ferry to Eureka Valley, a Market Street local or transfer route will become desirable. For this purpose provision has been made at Castro Street for subway locals to loop around in Eureka Valley close enough to Eighteenth Street to warrant a loop terminal station for originating or transfer traffic in addition to the main Eureka Valley station herein provided for.

Seventeenth: Branch subways will unquestionably become necessary in the future, to feed the main Market Street artery.

These branches will be discussed in more detail later, but the development of the city seems to indicate the following as most desirable:

- (1) South, or Mission branch;
- (2) West, or Park-Richmond branch;
- (3) Southwest, or Park-Sunset branch.

All run beneath the surface until out of the heavily settled districts.

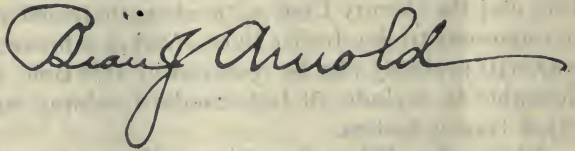
Eighteenth: Grade separation will ultimately become necessary below the southwest portal. The present right of way contemplated along Junipero Boulevard can only be regarded as a makeshift, and ultimately the rapid transit line should be diverted one block east by open cut or sunken roadway. It is extremely important that subdivision of residential properties should be carried out with this in mind.

Nineteenth: Ventilation and automatic block signal plants will become more and more necessary as traffic through the tunnel increases. Provision for the former should be made in the original design, and some form of block signal will be required from the start, to be later perfected and amplified in order to handle effectively the denser traffic.

Twentieth: The McCoppin Street portal may be retained after the upper and lower Market Street bores have been connected, as a most convenient means of access to a terminal property which will presumably be located in that vicinity, at least for interurban trains. But the exact position of this portal will be dependent considerably upon the location of this terminal property.

The concluding appendix comprises a general discussion of the important matters covered in the foregoing summary of conclusions and recommendations, wherein my reasons are presented for reaching these final conclusions.

Respectfully submitted,



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APPENDIX.

GENERAL DISCUSSION.

Determining Factors in Location: In the substitution of the contour Plan No. 5B, for the direct plan of alignment, No. 2.

(see Report No. 5), the controlling feature is the adherence to the contours outlining Eureka Valley in order to obtain as low a grade as 3-percent from Castro Street to the Laguna Honda station. As the hillside slopes rapidly at this point, the alignment of the bore and also that of the Market Street extension depends upon the following quantities, which likewise apply to lower Market Street:

1. Depth of street railway tracks and substructures.
2. Intervening depth allowed for utilities or passageways.
3. Depth of tunnel roof structure.
4. Type of car—height of maximum clearance point on roof.
5. Minimum permissible clearance overhead.
6. Desirable depth of station platforms below surface.

In this alignment, it is desirable, first to reduce the reverse curve beginning at Castro Street to the easiest possible curvature; second, to locate the center line of the bore as far south as possible, so as to better reach the Eureka Valley District. However, the steepness of the slopes renders impossible any material variation in the alignment, so that the final determining feature is the permissible depth of the tunnel roof and superstructures.

On account of the numerous opportunities for crossing the bore at streets located *between stations* where there is plenty of roof covering, it is not deemed desirable to depress the bore at stations to provide for possible utilities, which, if of moderate size, can be carried across the tunnel roof between beams or can be taken care of by deflecting siphons. However, if overhead concourse or passageway were necessary, the entire bore would have to be depressed about eight feet. A total depth of four to five feet below the street surface to the under side of the tunnel roof is the minimum that may be considered, including surface tracks, six to eight-inch protecting cushion, waterproofing and roof. As later discussed, the minimum inside height of the bore should not be over $14\frac{1}{2}$ to 15 feet from the rail-head, which brings the station platforms to a depth below the street surface of $14\frac{1}{2}$ to 15 feet. This is representative of "high-level" construction referred to herein.

Carloading must take place if possible on a tangent or straight line. This practically dictates the reverse curve shown in the alignment between Castro and Douglass streets. But approach curves of very long radius have been used so that efficient operation thereon will not be interfered with. All of these considerations have resulted in the choice of the contour alignment shown in the accompanying plans, Figures 1 and 2, and in turn have also dictated the exact location of the Market Street contour extension referred to herein.

Types of Construction: The simplest construction plan would consist in a two-track bore extending from the southwest portal to Eureka Street, where an open cut incline would be built from sub-

grade to the surface. This plan would be followed in case it is decided *not* to construct the upper Market Street subway section at the present time; but it practically *requires* the extension of Market Street along the contour plan. The inclined entrance could, of course, be moved northeast as far as Castro Street, without extending the street, but the cost of easements and damages to overlying property during the construction of a shallow flat-roofed bore would be proportionately so great as to make it desirable to secure the extension of Market Street at this time.

A study of the profile of Market Street shows that two entirely different types of construction are warranted for upper and lower Market Street, respectively, which fortunately fits well into the present plan of locating the inner portal at West Mission Street. Owing to the rapidly rising ground southwest of Valencia Street, it is *impossible to follow the contour of the surface*, as in the case of lower Market Street; consequently, no stations are permissible between Valencia and Church streets.

Considering, now, this construction on both upper and lower Market Street, there are four types of subway section that may be seriously considered:

(a) Standard Four-Track Unit: A flat-roofed, two-bore section, carried at sufficient depth below the street surface to permit of an overhead or mezzanine concourse between sidewalks, thus providing an effective transverse passenger subway at all stations. This type will permit platforms to be built at approximately 23 feet below the surface. (Fig. 4.) It represents standard construction used in other cities, and although possessing probably the minimum construction cost, it has the disadvantage that *platforms of both bores are depressed eight feet* on account of the mezzanine gallery. This passageway, however, may be necessary for lower Market Street in the future.

(b) Independent High-Level 2-4 Track Section: Project A covers the first high-level two-track bore. Project B has two different independent single-track bores built after Project A at sub-level to permit mezzanine concourses. (Fig. 5.) This type has the distinct advantage that at least two *platforms at all stations may be brought 8 feet nearer the street* than in the previous type. It is well suited to upper Market Street, but would entail considerable additional cost on account of driving independent bores and additional material required for walls.

(c) Four-Track Sub-Level Unit: With mezzanine concourse to sidewalk entrances. Same as previous type, except that the entire construction is to be carried out as one project, thus reducing construction cost below type (b), but costing about the same as type (a). Here the saving in excavation is offset to a large extent by greater expense for division walls, depending of

course upon the character of material encountered. This section is suitable for construction on either upper or lower Market Street as a four-track project.

(d) Independent Sub-Level 2-4 Track Type: With separate two-track bores constructed at different times—Project A, high-level, and Project B at sub-level, thus permitting a mezzanine concourse to the sidewalk. The intervening distance avoids disturbance of Project A by construction work on Project B. This plan is distinctly suitable for upper Market Street under the present conditions, and is recommended herein. For lower Market Street the standard unit section, Type (a) is recommended, the advantages of the mezzanine concourse outweighing the disadvantages of deeper station platforms.

It is probable that for lower Market Street a two-track bore need not be taken into consideration, for when the time comes for construction four tracks would without doubt be required, by reason of the necessity of *merging various subway branches from Richmond, Mission and Sunset into the main Market Street artery*. This is only of interest now in case Market Street receives these district subway branches. And if each branch should be operated to its full capacity, a diversion of one or more to a parallel street might even become a necessity.

Station Platform Arrangements: Two arrangements of platforms with their modifications are here available:

(1) "Island" platform—located between inbound and outbound tracks. This is a simple form for a two-track bore, but is limited in capacity because of the intermingling of incoming and outgoing passengers. However, in the four-track arrangement it is exceptionally valuable in permitting quick transfers across the platform between express and local tracks. Fig. 4 shows the "island" platform in its best form, and Fig. 8 in its simplest form as designed for Eureka Valley. Fig. 7 shows a direct transfer between center platforms, with one flight of stairs to sub-level. This arrangement is ultimately suited for upper Market Street at Church Street station.

(2) Side Platforms.—For a heavy two-track line, this is superior to the "island" platform in capacity. It has also the advantage that in the future it can be readily expanded into a four-track island reservoir station, permitting passing tracks without necessitating complete reconstruction of the station except the excavation and construction necessary for the outer pair of tracks. This will be the case at Church Street.

But usually entrances must be made from the sidewalk, as only in special cases is it permissible to use island kiosks in the center of the street. Fortunately, Market Street is of suitable width for securing sidewalk entrances. Fig. 4 shows the sidewalk kiosks

leading to a mezzanine concourse and thence to the depressed island platform. In the case of the sub-level type, the stairway is simply extended to the lower level, as in Fig. 6 and Fig. 7. Here the sub-level platform is about 30 feet below the level of the street; consequently, in locations of extremely heavy traffic, a moving stairway or escalator will be desirable.

It is becoming the practice in Eastern cities, where sidewalks are congested, to replace sidewalk kiosks by entrances through stores or business houses located on abutting property. Generally, office buildings and department stores are more than willing to devote necessary space for this purpose in order to secure the advantage of a sub-level entrance in the building. In such cases the elevator service of the building in question becomes available for the entrance to the tunnel.

Eureka Valley Station: After numerous studies a central island platform for Eureka Valley station was finally decided upon. It was found impossible to carry the present bore at high level along the north side of the street and in this position secure sufficient overhead clearance for sidewalk entrances to an island platform so as to permit future expansion of the project into a four-track reservoir station with island platform, without widening the street or acquiring additional property beyond the 90-foot width which has been determined upon for Market Street extension at this point. And side platforms with off-side alignment would require four entrances, which is undesirable and more expensive. Similarly, it was impossible to provide central entrances of reasonable size to serve this *off-side alignment* of the present bore, owing to the limiting roof clearances.

With the plan shown herein, central island kiosks in the middle of the street may be used. They are located directly behind the inclined portal at Castro Street, and also serve as safety loading stations for the surface trolley lines which will later pass on either side of the kiosks into the proposed Mission-Sunset tunnel, or by the proposed Market Street extension further up into Eureka Valley. These central kiosks lead directly to a central island platform of the type previously described.

Either of these "off-side" subway plans would require extensive reconstruction when the second bore was put through, but the central alignment permits of expansion into a reservoir station with only modification of platforms. The second express bore will pass beneath at low grade. And it is deemed unnecessary to provide for transfer facilities between the present bore and this future express bore, for the reason that no extensive cross-town transfer business may be looked for in this vicinity that could not as readily be handled at the Church Street station.

After much study, I am convinced that instead of providing

small stations at frequent intervals, it is better to establish a station of ample size extending between streets along the tangent which will ultimately accommodate a train of six to eight car units. For real rapid transit these stations should not be nearer than 1500 to 2000 feet, especially in sections of lighter traffic density.

Noe Street Station: Owing to the proximity of Eureka Valley station, another station has not been provided in the present plan for the intersection of Noe and Sixteenth streets. However, if the development of cross-town traffic warrants the establishment of the contemplated Divisadero Street cross-town line, a local subway station at this point may become desirable. And such a station has been provided for in the present plan by raising the tunnel grade close enough to the street to permit of a high-level station for local service similar to that of Church Street.

Laguna Honda Station has been purposely located upon City property, which is fortunately situated at an intersection of important thoroughfares and which may be developed into a useful transit center for the upper San Miguel Tract. In fact, this particular point lends itself so well to development that it has been chosen for a station site in spite of its elevation—considerably above the levels in the vicinity of Lake Honda. And the strategic advantages of this site are considered to so greatly outweigh those of the lower levels further west in Seventh Avenue that final choice has rested here, even though a motor-driven escalator may have to be used until such time as the trolley transfer arrangements herein proposed can be carried out. (Fig. 9.) Supplementing the escalator, however, an inclined walkway or ramp has been provided in lieu of stairways to permit comfortable access to this station from the west.

Should the city determine to alter the grades or alignment of Dewey Boulevard or Seventh Avenue in this vicinity, every advantage should be taken to ease the approach grades and to decrease as much as possible the necessary depth of Lake Honda station at this point. In view of the cost of hauling all future trains up a grade exceeding three per cent, as compared with the slight disadvantages of an escalator, the present levels have been determined upon as the best compromise possible.

Development of Seventh Avenue Extension: The design for transfer connection at Laguna Honda may appear far more elaborate than the present condition of settlement of this territory would warrant. For this reason the construction has been separated into two projects—first, the station necessary for serving the tunnel only, and second, a super-imposed trolley transfer station running beneath Dewey Boulevard with inclined portals reaching the surface on both sides, this second project to be built as soon as the development of this territory warrants. (Fig. 2.)

It is not too early, however, for the City to consider the improvement of roadways in this district, which must be based upon the prevailing contours. The southern end of Dewey Boulevard is manifestly impracticable. It is, however, entirely feasible to extend Seventh Avenue over the existing saddle between adjacent hills to Corbett Road, and if this is done the logical plan would be by means of an *open cut* running beneath the present bend in Dewey Boulevard in a southwesterly direction. In this event, this extension would take the place of the trolley station which has been designed as the second part of the Laguna Honda station. With the cross-town service through this open cut, excellent transfer facilities will be available for the development of surrounding territory.

Rolling Stock: The mistake must not be made in the design of a project of the magnitude of this of planning for too small rolling stock. In other words, the tunnel clearances throughout must be ample to accommodate the *largest rolling stock that will probably be used*. It is true that for the first few years smaller rolling stock will be operated through the tunnel, viz., trolley cars nine feet wide by fifty feet long, and interurban cars possibly nine feet four inches wide by fifty-five feet in length and thirteen feet in height. But ultimately the time will come when standard high-speed multiple-unit trains will be in demand, which equipment may have to be *standardized with that of the Market Street subways*. Therefore, in the event that this high-speed equipment does not enter upon the city streets but *remains underground*, a much larger car would be possible. I therefore consider it necessary to provide tunnel clearances throughout which will accommodate a car nine and a half feet to ten feet in width, sixty to seventy feet in length, and twelve feet in height, with a possibility of eight-car multiple unit trains operated during rush hours.

These clearances demand a tunnel bore about twenty-five feet in width, and the minimum height has already been defined in Preliminary Report No. 5 as not less than fourteen and a half feet. In the single arch section there will, of course, be ample head room; but in the shallow, flat-roofed section the overhead clearances will be minimum as stated, which height will be necessary to permit of trolley cars being operated through the tunnel for a few years until the rapid transit system is fully developed. Were the small cars alone contemplated, a tunnel section twenty-two feet in width would be ample, but if a tunnel were built of this size, there would be no hope of real rapid transit until the additional low-grade, two-track tunnel bore were built. *It is therefore real economy to provide now for the larger equipment.* (Figs. 12 and 13.)

Car Berths: With two types of equipment operated within the same bore, different heights of platforms will be encountered, also different body and step clearances, so that for the present, two

level platforms must be provided, arranged in tandem, one to serve rapid transit equipment at the level of the car platform—approximately 3' 6" from the rail head, and the other for trolley cars at the level of the first step—approximately 15 inches. Rapid transit trains may then take the forward berth, and local cars, the rear berth, or *vice versa*. This condition necessitates longer platforms at the present time than would be necessary for standardized equipment, but the additional length will be equally useful when the platform is given over wholly to standard rapid transit equipment and traffic has developed.

Current Collection: Although the tunnel bore has been designed with head room sufficient at all points to permit trolley collection with a reasonable height of car, it is contemplated that all rapid transit rolling stock shall eventually be equipped for third rail collection. This applies not only to strictly subway equipment, but also to long distance interurban trains and possibly also to suburban expresses reaching points within the future settled portions of the City requiring rapid operation. Even though trolley collection may be retained for a number of years on the interurban lines, it will be distinctly advantageous to equip all motor cars for third rail collection within the tunnel in order to avoid interruptions and delays therein due to trolley troubles. For this purpose a type of collecting shoe may be used which will afford no serious obstructions when running along the street or highway. It may be either of the raised or lowered type, held in contact by air pressure and released when the trolley is lifted.

In the sketches of tunnel sections appended, the standard clearance line for third rail collection has been indicated as established by the Committee on Electrification of the American Electric Railway Association, in conformity with the best American practice.

Utilities: Provision should be made throughout the tunnel for the accommodation of such utilities as are necessary in its operation, such as power cables, lighting cables, signal wires, fire line with hydrants and attached hose reel located at intervals in wall niches. It may be also desirable for additional conduits to be built into the floor or structure wherever practicable, for the purpose of renting by the City to other corporations or for its own system of electrical distribution as may be developed from its water properties. The space available for the extra utilities is limited, and if the tunnel bore were to be used for carrying bulky utilities through the hill, special provision would have to be made for this purpose over that shown herein.

All sections of the structure shown or recommended are for reinforced concrete, for with the combination of concrete and steel

of various shapes are obtained the maximum strength with the minimum section for the least cost.

It is also more readily moulded into the many varying and complicated shapes required, and more impervious to moisture than any of the other materials available for this work.

Capacity of Tunnel: In so large an investment as here represented, every reasonable means must be adopted to secure immediate and continuous return. Were the tunnel of comparatively short length and the investment correspondingly small, it would not be advisable to consider the operation of two types of equipment, possessing widely differing characteristics in starting and running speeds, within the same bore. With this tunnel, however, the investment is so large that a combined use of the bore becomes necessary for the time being until future development, local and Peninsular, shall render necessary the construction of a supplemental bore to be devoted to high-speed service only. Fortunately, the standard trolley equipment of San Francisco is fitted with high-power motors, capable of a free-running speed of 23 miles per hour on the level, so that it is possible for this equipment to keep pace fairly well with the interurban equipment.

The capacity of the tunnel may be estimated, based upon the minimum safe headway which it is possible to operate with a given type of equipment. Considering the Geary Street cars as representative trolley equipment, it appears that local trolley cars cannot operate closer to the expresses than about 185 seconds, assuming an express run direct from Church Street to the southwest portal at an average schedule speed of 25 miles per hour. With express cars passing locals at Eureka Valley and Laguna Honda stations, the trolley cars could follow at a minimum headway of about 80 seconds without interfering with the express schedules. In normal operation of this combination service, it would probably occur that if trolley cars were operating on less than a three-minute headway, it would be necessary to "bunch" trolley cars behind an express, in order to give the latter a clear track. Under these conditions, the capacity of the tunnel in cars per hour would be as follows:

Assuming an express schedule speed of 25 miles per hour, running on 15 minutes headway, it will be possible to pass through the tunnel 78 local cars† per hour, or 82 total, with no express stops between Eureka Street and the west portal. This means that the tunnel is kept entirely clear of trolleys at the time of express runs. As the express cars become more frequent, the maximum permissible cars per hour also decreases rapidly so that with a five-minute express headway, only about 68 cars per hour total may be passed through without interference. , On the other hand,

† With two-car stops.

with no express service, about 85 cars per hour may be passed through the tunnel under safe operating conditions, and using two-car stops as recommended for lower Market Street.

Four-tracking: The time to consider the construction of an additional two-track tunnel will have arrived when the possibilities of every device designed to reduce the safe headway has been exhausted. As the importance of express traffic increases, the proportion of express to local will be dictated by the necessities of the former, not the latter. By the exclusion of trolley cars, replacing them by high-speed tunnel cars giving shuttle line transfers, the time for four-tracking may be somewhat deferred. Further, by improvements in signaling from time to time the capacity of the bore may be further enhanced. It is more than probable that before the capacity of the bore is reached a continuation of the subway down Market Street to the Ferry will have become a reality, with branches into the Mission and Richmond and possibly upper Sunset. The necessity will then more than ever arise for the organization of the service upon an exclusively rapid transit basis with outlying feeders developed to the maximum extent. (Fig. 14.)

Fare Collection: The method of fare collection at the various stations and at portals is dependent largely upon how much of the complete project is built now and upon the type of equipment operated through the tunnel. If only the hill section is constructed now, the present method of fare collection will probably suffice. And even if the entire project is constructed but trolley cars are run through the tunnel in considerable numbers, prepay fare collection on individual cars may still be desirable because of the complication ensuing in accounting between various lines using the tunnel if an entrance booth collection were used. Eventually, when only rapid transit lines use the bore, booth collection will have to be installed; but for the present it is believed that the prevailing methods of fare collection will suffice without excessively delaying the schedule.

There is ample opportunity for installing collection booths at all of the stations when traffic conditions warrant, without additional land being necessary. At Church Street, the entrance concourses may be extended east and west under Church Street within the street line. At Eureka Valley a single entrance can be developed in Diamond Street with exits at Eureka and Collingwood as now shown on the plans; or if a reservoir station is constructed at this location, (that is, permitting passing tracks for expresses and locals), prepay entrances can be developed at both ends, as well as exits. This question of fare collection, therefore, need not enter seriously into the present arrangements.

Ventilation: Provision has been made in the designs, (Fig. 3), for forced ventilation, the crown of the single-bore arch being divided for this purpose, so as to provide separate ducts drawing air from different points in the bore. Although the installation of ventilating equipment may not be necessary during the early period of operation, provision for later installation should not be neglected now which would render an effective system difficult to obtain at such time as the tunnel traffic has become so extensive that natural ventilation becomes inadequate. The location of the Laguna Honda station at the summit with descending grades in both directions, offers a convenient opportunity for ventilation, especially as the station at this point, when completed, will constitute an open portal. The proportions shown herein are contemplated to provide a complete change of air within the bore every 20 minutes by mechanical ventilation alone. And the effluent is drawn approximately midway between portals so that fresh air is always entering at the portals. This is important in case of an accident and fire within the tunnel, when passengers would always have an opportunity of escape in the direction of the portals, facing fresh air.

Terminals: Any extensive development of peninsular service will unquestionably require corresponding terminal development in the vicinity of the northern portal in West Mission Street. And with adequate transfer facilities to present surface lines, it would be possible for such terminal to be made use of as a point of originating traffic without the necessity of the large interurban cars using Mission Street. There is much to be gained in this plan because of the high speed gear ratio that could be used on the terminal trains, whereas such a ratio would be undesirable for cars operated along surface streets with frequent stops. So that with the rapid transit lines operating in harmony with the surface system, every consideration of efficiency points to the desirability of developing a terminal near the northeast portal.

Here it is pertinent to point out that one of the chief arguments for extending the tunnel down Market Street at this time is to provide terminal facilities for peninsular and suburban lines operating *independently* of the present United Railroads lines. By emerging from the tunnel at Eureka Street no independent line can use the tunnel unless four tracks are installed the entire length of Market Street.

The McCoppin Street portal will be useful in this connection even after the extension of the subway down Market Street, as a convenient means of routing terminal cars out of the main bore. It is also well located with respect to storage of cars during non-rush hours—provided the land does not become so valuable as to preclude its use for this purpose.

Suburban Connections: The maximum usefulness of this

rapid transit project will be derived by a system of feeders thoroughly covering outlying suburban territory, which deliver the long-haul passengers to the rapid transit line, rather than to attempt the passage of each local trolley line through the bore. This maximum usage will come when trolley cars are entirely excluded. On general principles, passengers do not object to transferring from local to express cars if the transfer is made convenient with cars running strictly on schedule, and there is anything to be gained in time. The development of these feeders is particularly important in the outlying districts southwest of the Twin Peaks ridge, and a number of suggested lines in addition to the present ones are shown in Fig. 14.

Tributary Area: It is not generally realized how much habitable land exists in the territory which is to be regarded as tributary to this Market Street extension line. Leaving entirely out of consideration Eureka Valley and upper Market Street as tributary to this project, the contour map, Fig. 15, shows:

First, the comparatively level land available;

Second, the areas of greater than 10% slope;

Third, the areas of greater than 25% slope,—

all within the region bounded by Lincoln Way and the Twin Peaks ridge. The shading on this map indicates that only a comparatively small area has vertical slopes of more than 25%, and even these are capable of being converted into desirable residence areas by means of the contour plan of street subdivision. This map shows clearly the extent of the middle valleys lying to the southwest of Twin Peaks in the San Miguel Rancho, the development of which has been one specific object of the Laguna Honda station.

Running Time: This map, Fig. 15, also shows the possible running time from the central business district—Third Street—via the tunnel route, as compared with that of other existing surface lines. Moreover, only the local time of transit is shown, and not the express time. It will be seen that the ocean beach can be reached for some distance in 30 to 35 minutes, while 30 minutes is now consumed in reaching Ashbury Heights, half this distance. Northeast Sunset District may be reached sooner by transfer at Laguna Honda station to a proposed Seventh Avenue line than by the present line along Lincoln Way. However, this would not be the case were the Mission-Sunset tunnel built. The San Miguel tract may be reached within 20 to 25 minutes. Furthermore, a large part of Sunset is brought within the 30-minute time zone; and in the strip adjacent to the rapid transit line, the 30-minute time zone is extended as far south as Colma for local suburban service. These results illustrate the possibilities of development of desirable territory through adequate transportation.

Grade Separation: The alignment of this rapid transit line south of the south portal is indicated tentatively. (Fig. 1.) For the present, it is contemplated that the line will reach present grade at the bend in Sloat Boulevard, thence paralleling the present surface tracks to Ocean Avenue (Fig. 3), and thence by the best grade route down the Peninsula as may be determined by detailed surveys. All Parkside lines will route off from the main line at the southwest portal, and the remaining feeders should divert from the main line at Sloat Boulevard, using the present tracks on Junipero Serra Boulevard.

This condition, however, cannot last many years, and eventually grade separation at Ingleside will become a necessity. A suggested diversion of the main line from the southern portal to accomplish this grade separation is shown dotted in Fig. 1, this alignment taking advantage of the higher levels to remove the reverse curve at present existing, and secure grade separations at Corbett Road and Ocean Avenue, and a depressed transit line through the upper Ingleside Tract by open cut, about one block east of the boulevard—250 feet—thence crossing the lower Ingleside Tract to a continuous right-of-way either to the right or the left of the boulevard. And it is extremely important that the plans for the subdivision of this territory be so drawn as to *permit of this future grade separation* without destroying or damaging improved property. The depressed trackway can be carried through as indicated in Fig. 3 without deteriorating adjoining property. An example of this may be found in the four-track open cut of the Brighton Beach Rapid Transit line in Brooklyn. This design will be even more attractive with grass slopes, although requiring greater width.

Subdivision of Land: In anticipation of transit improvements, a number of subdivisions are under way in San Miguel Rancho and vicinity, and it cannot be too strongly urged that these subdivisions be co-ordinated with reference to inter-connecting streets and transit facilities, instead of simply developing independently each particular parcel of property. The City of San Francisco is today suffering from the effects of subdivision regardless of contours. Here is a chance for improvement, and the City should not only refuse its approval of any subdivision which does not co-ordinate with those already perfected, but it should compel a proper subdivision to be made. The importance of this will be seen when it is appreciated that, by the contour method of subdivision, a considerable part of the area shown on Fig. 15, above 25% in grade, and all of the area above 10% slope, can be rendered available for attractive residential territory. This matter is so important that it should be put in charge of a definite and permanent civic organization with power to act.

Disposal of Material: There are a number of good opportunities of utilizing to advantage the material excavated from this tunnel. The construction work would naturally divide itself into three parts:

First, the south section, between the portal and Laguna Honda station;

Second, the middle section, between Laguna Honda station and Eureka Street; and

Third, the north section, between Eureka Street and the north portal.

The material from the first section can be delivered by gravity to a fill across the gully paralleling Corbett Road, it being desirable to fill up this gully for some distance back to provide suitable residence land.

The material from the second and third sections can be delivered by gravity in the other direction, and all conveyed to the Islais Creek flats. The irregular area between Army Street and Twenty-fifth Street could also be filled to grade advantageously in order to facilitate the extension of Potrero Boulevard down San Bruno Road. The excavated material may readily be hauled over street car tracks at certain times of the day and at night, under special arrangement with the railway company.

Mission-Sunset Project: The present plans in Eureka Valley district provide, in addition to future reservoir passing tracks for expresses and locals, that the proposed Mission-Sunset traffic tunnel may be utilized also for the ultimate construction of a subway connecting the Eureka Street portal with upper Sunset, and following the same alignment as the traffic tunnel. And a design for this tunnel is herein shown, Fig. 16, which contemplates this improvement. Instead of building the original traffic tunnel of sufficient width for accommodating both traffic and car lines, the bore is narrowed to accommodate only vehicle traffic and pedestrians from surface to surface. Car lines are to be run at a lower level beneath the roadway. Up to the time that subway cars are required, this low-level bore may be reached by incline at each portal. Ultimately, this bore may be used by both subway and trolley cars, the subway tracks continuing to an intersection at subway grade with the Market Street line, and the trolley cars routing out to the surface at Eureka Street as before, or continuing through the Market Street bore as far as Valencia Street, until such time as the trolley cars will be entirely excluded from the bore. With this in view, the Mission-Sunset tunnel should be designed to accommodate subway car clearances.

Combined Traffic Tunnel: This section has the advantage of being suitable for construction in narrow streets. It will entirely remove the element of danger arising from the possibility of the

supporting thrust of the earth being removed behind the abutment in the event of excavation by private parties along the street line, which in the case of the wide span arch with abutments close to the street line would render the arch unstable. This reduced width of structure would obviate the necessity of acquiring easement rights in private property for the protection of the structure.

Requisition of Property and Easements: In providing sufficient property for carrying out this project, complete surveys have been made of the right of way by the City Engineer, and the following computations and descriptions of the property necessary have been prepared in connection with the City Engineer's office. This description covers sufficient property for the construction of the stations contemplated for the future as well as the present project:

Description of Land to be Acquired:

- (a) Southwest portal;
- (b) Station at Honda;
- (c) Extension of Market Street.

(a) Description of the land necessary for the southwesterly portal on the San Miguel Rancho:

"Commencing at a point 864.93 feet distant southerly and at right angles from the center line of Taraval Street, if extended and produced and 564.31 feet distant easterly and at right angles from the center line of Twelfth Avenue (if extended and produced); thence northeasterly along a line deflected $36^{\circ} 46' 13''$ to the right from a line parallel with Twelfth Avenue to point 550 feet distant; thence at a right angle southeasterly 150 feet; thence at a right angle southwesterly 550 feet; thence at a right angle northwesterly 150 feet to the point of beginning."

(b) Description of land necessary for the station at Laguna Honda:

"Commencing on the southwesterly boundary line at the second angle point northerly from the extreme southerly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract) said second angle point being 1,370 feet distant, more or less, westerly and at right angles from the most easterly boundary line and 370 feet distant, more or less, northerly and at right angles from the most southerly boundary line (if extended and produced westerly) of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract); thence running along the boundary line of said tract as per map adopted by the Board of Supervisors by Ordinance No. 807 (New Series) June 14th, 1909, N. $38^{\circ} 14' 41.6''$ E. 192.72 feet; thence N. $39^{\circ} 34' 18.4''$ W. 421.707 feet to a point on said boundary line; thence S. $17^{\circ} 24' 18.4''$ E. 499.28 feet distant and to the point of beginning."

Also lands described as follows:

"Commencing at a point N. $17^{\circ} 24' 18.4''$ W. 51.13 feet distant from the second angle point northerly from the extreme southerly boundary line, and on the southwesterly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract) as per map adopted by the Board of Supervisors by Ordinance No. 807 (New Series) June 14th, 1909, said second angle point being 1,370 feet, more or less, distant westerly and at right angles from the easterly boundary line and 370 feet, more or less, northerly and at right angles from the most southerly boundary line (if extended and produced westerly) of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract); thence running N. $17^{\circ} 24' 18.4''$ W. 33.63 feet distant; thence S. $45^{\circ} 42' 58''$ W. 175.21 feet; thence S. $44^{\circ} 17' 02''$ E. 30 feet; thence N. $45^{\circ} 42' 58''$ E. 160 feet to the point of beginning."

(c) Description of land to be acquired at southwest terminus of Market Street:

"Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Eureka Street, distant thereon one hundred and thirty-two feet, five and three-eighths inches ($132' 5\frac{3}{8}''$) southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth Street with the easterly line of Eureka Street; thence southerly and along said easterly line of Eureka Street ninety feet, ten and one-eighth inches ($90' 10\frac{1}{8}''$); thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety-seven degrees, forty-eight minutes and fifteen seconds ($97^{\circ} 48' 15''$) and running easterly along said deflected line two hundred and fifty-two feet four inches ($252' 4''$) to a point on the westerly line of Diamond Street, said point being one hundred and eighty-nine feet and three-eighths inches ($189' 0\frac{3}{8}''$) southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth Street with the westerly line of Diamond Street; thence northerly and along said westerly line of Diamond Street ninety feet ten and one-eighth inches ($90' 10\frac{1}{8}''$); thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety-seven degrees, forty-eight minutes and fifteen seconds ($97^{\circ} 48' 15''$) and running westerly along said deflected line two hundred and fifty-two feet four inches ($252' 4''$) to the easterly line of Eureka Street and point of commencement."

Being a part of Horner's Addition, Block 206.

"Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Diamond Street, distant thereon eighty-nine feet five inches ($89' 5''$) southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth Street with the easterly line of Diamond Street; thence southerly and along said easterly line of Diamond Street ninety feet, ten and one-eighth inches ($90' 10\frac{1}{8}''$); thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety-seven degrees, forty-eight minutes and fifteen seconds ($97^{\circ} 45' 15''$) and running easterly along said deflected line to a

point one hundred and thirty-five feet six inches ($135' 6''$) distant; thence running along a line curved to the left with a twelve hundred foot ($1200'$) radius, one hundred and seventeen feet nine and three-quarter inches ($117' 9\frac{3}{4}''$) to a point on the westerly line of Collingwood Street, said point being one hundred and forty feet, one and seven-eighths inches ($140' 17\frac{7}{8}''$) southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth Street with the westerly line of Collingwood Street; thence northerly and along the westerly line of Collingwood Street to a point one hundred and four feet, two and three-quarter inches ($104' 2\frac{3}{4}''$) distant; thence deflecting to the left an angle of one hundred and eight degrees one minute and thirty-three seconds ($108^\circ 1' 33''$) and running westerly along a line curved to the right (to which curved line said deflected line is tangent) with a radius of twelve hundred feet ($1200'$) to a point two hundred and fourteen feet, one inch ($214' 1''$) distant; thence westerly on a straight line tangent to said curved line forty-two ($42'$) feet to a point on the easterly line of Diamond Street and the point of commencement."

Being a part of Horner's Addition, Block 198.

"Commencing at the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth Street with the easterly line of Collingwood Street and running thence southerly along said easterly line of Collingwood Street to a point one hundred and twenty-four feet ($124'$) two and one-eighth inches ($2\frac{1}{8}''$) distant; thence deflecting to the left an angle of one hundred and six degrees, twenty-three minutes and forty seconds ($106^\circ 23' 40''$) and running easterly along a line curved to the left (to which curved line said deflected line is tangent) with a radius of twelve hundred feet ($1200'$) to a point two hundred and thirty-eight feet six and five-eighths inches ($238' 6\frac{5}{8}''$) distant; thence along a reverse curve to the right, with a radius of twenty feet ($20'$), forty-one feet and one and three-eighths inches ($41' 1\frac{3}{8}''$) to a point on the westerly line of Castro Street, distant thereon fifty-two feet three and three-quarters inches ($52' 3\frac{3}{4}''$) southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth Street with the westerly line of Castro Street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Castro Street fifty-two feet three and three-quarters inches ($52' 3\frac{3}{4}''$) to the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth Street with the westerly line of Castro Street; thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety degrees (90°) and running westerly along the southerly line of Seventeenth Street two hundred and fifty feet ($250'$) to the intersection of said southerly line of Seventeenth Street with the easterly line of Collingwood Street and the point of commencement."

Being a part of Horner's Addition, Block 197.

"Commencing at the intersection of the northerly line of Sev-

enteenth Street with the westerly line of Castro Street and running thence northerly and along said westerly line of Castro Street to a point thereon fifty-three feet, four and one-quarter inches ($53' 4\frac{1}{4}"$) distant; thence deflecting to the left an angle of one hundred and twenty-two degrees, twelve minutes and sixteen seconds, ($122^{\circ} 12' 16"$) and running southwesterly along said deflected line one hundred feet one and three-eighths inches ($100' 1\frac{3}{8}"$) to a point on the northerly line of Seventeenth Street, distant thereon eighty-four feet eight and one-half inches ($84' 8\frac{1}{2}"$) westerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Seventeenth Street with the westerly line of Castro Street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Seventeenth Street eighty-four feet eight and one-half ($84' 8\frac{1}{2}"$) to its intersection with the westerly line of Castro Street and the point of commencement."

Being a part of Horner's Addition, Block 200.

Description of Right of Way Strip from Eureka Street to Southwest Portal:

A strip of land 90 feet wide extending for 24 feet northwesterly and 66 feet southeasterly (both measured at a right angle) of a line parallel to the center line of said strip, which parallel line is described as follows:

"Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Eureka Street, and distant thereon 409.077 feet northerly from the monument line of Eighteenth Street (measured along the easterly line of Eureka Street); thence southwesterly at an angle of $82^{\circ} 11' 45"$ with said easterly line of Eureka Street 60.814 feet to a point of curve; thence running along a line curved to the left, the radius of which is 1,200 feet, degree $4^{\circ} 46' 34"$, central angle $28^{\circ} 51' 44"$, and length 604.489 feet to a point of tangency 174.484 feet northerly and at right angles from the monument line of Eighteenth Street, and 613.89 feet westerly and at right angles from the easterly line of Eureka Street; thence southwesterly along a line which deflects an angle of $36^{\circ} 40'$ with the monument line of Eighteenth Street 7,095.947 feet to a point of curve 54.588 feet (measured along said line if produced) easterly from a point on the southwesterly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract) if extended and produced S. $39^{\circ} 34' 18.4"$ E. 8 feet distant from the third angle point northerly from the southerly boundary line of said tract, said third angle point being 1,240 feet, more or less, westerly and at right angles from the easterly boundary line and 500 feet, more or less, northerly and at right angles from the southerly boundary line (if extended and produced) of said Relief Home Tract, as per map adopted by the Board of Supervisors by Ordinance No. 807 (New Series), June 14th, 1909; thence running along a line curved to the left, the radius of which is 5,729.65 feet; degree 1° central angle

15° 20' 30" and length 1,534.186 feet to a point of tangency; and running along a line tangent to preceding curve 1,237.72 feet to a point on the northeasterly boundary line and 81 feet southeasterly (measured along said boundary line) from the most northerly corner of land to be acquired for the southwesterly portal hereinbefore described."

(Maps referred to in above on file in office of Clerk of Board of Supervisors.)

Ordered referred to Lands and Tunnels Committee.

Title to Islais Creek Lands Not in City.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From City Attorney, advising that lands embraced within lines of Islais Creek Channel from Fourth avenue south to a point southwesterly from Eleventh avenue south, together with all of said creek within the Rancho Rincon de las Salinas y Potrero Viejo, is in private ownership and that City has no right, title or claim thereto.

Ordered referred to the Lands and Tunnels Committee.

Communication from United Railroads in Reply to Offer of Board of Supervisors to Settle Disputed Rights on Lower Market Street.

The following communication was presented and read:

San Francisco, October 4th, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

We are in receipt of your offer of settlement of date September 30th, 1912, with reference to disputed rights on lower Market street, given in reply to our letter to you upon the same subject dated September 21st, 1912. The offer of settlement is in most all important particulars agreed to. This being so, such differences as do exist should be speedily adjusted. Both the City and the Company desire to accomplish the same thing, namely: to give the people served by the Geary street and Sutter street lines a through route to the Ferry over the so-called outer tracks, but, admittedly the cars must be operated under a valid and legal right.

This seems to us to be a fair and reasonable requirement, and we feel your Honorable Board will look upon it in the same way. It certainly is neither fair nor reasonable to insist that the Company alone give up all its rights, and in return get an invalid right, or one which might be revoked at will, and the City still retain the

fruits of the agreement. We do not think your Honorable Board desires to do this, so that practically the only difference between us is one of form rather than substance. We certainly ought to be able to devise legal means to accomplish our joint purpose.

Referring to the second paragraph of your offer, it is suggested that the Company specifically waive all right of action against the City based upon Sec. 5 of Order 1514 (erroneously cited in your offer as 1415), granting a franchise to the Market Street Railway Company, which section contains the so-called "five block provision". We cannot assent to this proposal as drawn, but do consent to waive the provisions of Sec. 5 of said Order insofar as it relates to or affects the matter in dispute, namely, the municipal railway on Market street from the intersection of Geary street with Market street to the Ferry.

The third paragraph of your offer relates to the ownership and joint operation over the so-called outer tracks. We think the fairer plan is for the City to pay its share of the fair present value of the tracks and overhead equipment of the Sutter Street Railway Company on Market street, excepting the poles; the amount to be thus paid to be agreed upon between the parties or by arbitration; after commencement of operation, the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement to be borne equally between the Company and the City. We think this is fair, reasonable and equitable.

The fourth paragraph of your offer relates to the right to operate the Sutter street cars on Market street. As stated, the cars must be operated under a valid and legal right as hereinbefore stated.

The provisions of paragraphs 5, 6 and 8 are acceptable to the Company.

Referring to paragraph 7, relating to transfer, the Company is willing, under proper restrictions, to exchange transfers with the municipal railway at the intersection of Geary street with Divisadero and Fillmore streets, with the lines of the United Railroads, but can not include Larkin or any other cross-town line in the arrangement.

Referring to paragraph 9, we had thought the question of running the municipal railway on Pt. Lobos avenue upon the tracks of this Company had been eliminated from the discussion for the reason that your Honorable Board had changed the route of the municipal railway, and are not going to run your cars over our tracks at this point. Under these circumstances we feel that the provision should not be insisted upon, but should be left for future consideration and discussion. There are many other problems which will have to be considered in connection with the transportation situation, and this may well be left for future adjustment if found necessary.

May we hope for an early conference and speedy adjustment of these matters?

Yours truly,
UNITED RAILROADS OF SAN
FRANCISCO,
By Thornwell Mullally,
Assistant to the President.

Motion.

Supervisor Vogelsang moved that the above communication be referred to the City Attorney with instructions to prepare agreement.

Motion carried.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

Motor Runabouts.

Proposals for furnishing motor runabouts were received, opened and read, being as follows:

1. Studebaker Bros. Co., \$800, \$1250, \$1250.
2. Howard Automobile Co., \$1075, \$1250.
3. Oakland Motor Co., \$1200.

Ordered referred to *Supplies Committee*.

City Hall-Civic Center Bonds.

A proposal for the purchase of seven City Hall-Civic Center bonds of each year's maturity from 1917 to 1960 was received from the Bank of California in sum of \$329,936.60 and accrued interest, and referred to the *Finance Committee*.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the following resolution introduced was adopted:

Award of Contract, City Hall-Civic Center Bonds.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:
J. R. No. 434.

Whereas, pursuant to Journal Resolution No. 414, the Supervisors did on the 7th day of October, 1912, receive, open and consider sealed proposals for the purchase of City Hall Bonds to the amount of \$308,000.00, comprising seven bonds of each year's maturity from 1917 to 1960, inclusive; and

Whereas, a bid from the Bank of California was on said day received for the purchase of a set of said bonds offered for sale at a price therefor of \$329,936.60; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the said bid of the Bank of California (the same being the highest and best bid offered for said bonds) be and the same is hereby accepted, and the said bonds are hereby struck off and sold to the said Bank of California for the sum of \$329,936.60 and accrued interest at the date of delivery and in accordance with the terms of said Journal Resolution No. 414, the notice of sale given in pursuance to said Resolution and the bid submitted therefor; and that all other bids be rejected, and the Clerk of the Board is directed to return all checks and deposits to unsuccessful bidders.

Further Resolved, That the Finance Committee of this Board is hereby authorized and instructed to arrange for the delivery of the aforesaid bonds.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following reports were presented by their respective chairmen on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered filed:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, Chairman.

Public Health Committee, by Supervisor Caglieri, Chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, Chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee, by Supervisor Vogelsang, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolph Koshland, Chairman.

Telephone and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Hilmer, Chairman.

Welfare Committee, by Supervisor Payot, Chairman.

Relating to Oriental School.

Dr. Conduit, representing numerous property owners and residents living in the vicinity of the proposed Oriental School on Washington street west of Stockton street, was granted the privilege of the floor under suspension of the rules and addressed the Board, protesting against the construction of the Oriental School on the site purchased for it. He declared

that if the school was constructed there that 50 per cent of the property interests will be destroyed and that white tenants in the vicinity will be driven from adjacent buildings and the business of the white merchants in the neighborhood will be ruined. He declared that there is a constant war going on between the white school boys and the Chinese school boys in the neighborhood and the bringing of the Oriental School closer to the school of the white children would tend to greatly aggravate the trouble.

Mrs. Armstrong also addressed the Board, stating that she was at present residing in her home on property adjoining the lot recently purchased for the Oriental School and that if the school was erected there she would be driven from her home.

Motion.

Supervisor Bancroft moved that it be the sense of the Board of Supervisors that the Oriental School be constructed on the site purchased on Washington street west of Stockton street.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—8.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, Gianini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, Murdock, Nolan—8.

Referred to Board of Education.

Supervisor Payot moved that the matter be referred to Board of Education and that the architects be directed to suspend work on plans for two weeks.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Gianini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—12.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, McLeran, Murphy—4.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9721 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Townley Mill and Lumber Co., second payment, construction of booths, Department of Elections (claim dated June 30, 1912)\$1,274.19

Payor Fund.

Spring Valley Water Co., water, parks and squares (claim dated Aug. 24, 1912)\$2,213.35
Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

C. F. Weber & Co., furniture, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)\$ 807.75

Street Improvement Account, Public Building Fund, 1904.

Fay Improvement Co., final payment, street work, Howard street, from Second street westerly (claim dated Sept. 19, 1912).....\$2,214.04

Fay Improvement Co., additional, street work, Howard street, from Second street westerly (claim dated Sept. 19, 1912) 3,084.59

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Payot, Stratford & Kerr, stationery, Department of Elections (claim dated Sept. 17, 1912)\$1,577.51

Egan Bros., straw, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 12, 1912) 547.50

J. O'Keefe & Co, hay, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912) 2,088.99

Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)..... 608.41

Producers Hay Co., alfalfa and oats, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 1,752.76

State of California, maintenance of minors, state schools (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 668.88

The Children's Agency of the Associated Charities of S. Francisco, maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912) 3,821.21

Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vincent's Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)..... 1,917.61

Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 682.00

Catholic Humane Bureau, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 4,306.70

Sister Mary Caine, Supt. Mt. St. Joseph's I. C. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 1,067.00

The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 1, 1912) 728.20

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) 1,228.34

Albertinum Orphanage,
maintenance of minors
(claim dated Aug. 31,
1912) 536.30
Spring Valley Water Co.,
water for sprinkling
streets (claim dated Sept.
6, 1912) 1,155.92
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9722 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following
amounts be and the same are hereby
set aside, appropriated and authorized
to be expended out of the hereinafter
mentioned funds, for the following
purposes, to wit:

*For Paving, Repairing, Repairs to
Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.*

For resurvey of Excelsior
Homestead, Mission, Horn-
ers' and Western Addi-
tions, Bernal, Syndicate
and West End Homesteads,
during the months of Oc-
tober, November and De-
cember, 1912 \$12,000.00

For cleaning and repairs to
sewers during month of
October, 1912 12,000.00

For paying the city's portion
of improving the crossing
of Eighteenth avenue and
Quintara street 35.00

For paying the City's portion
of improving the crossing
of Nineteenth avenue and
Quintara street 5.00

For paying the City's por-
tion of construction of
sewer in crossing of Cap-
itol avenue and Farallones
street 55.00

For paying the City's portion
of construction of sewers
in the crossing of Capitol
avenue and Lobos street.. 55.00

For paying City's portion of
construction of sewer in
Capitol avenue and Lobos
street 419.00

*For Expense, Maintenance, Cleaning
Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 553.*

For maintenance, cleaning,
sweeping, sprinkling
streets during month of
October, 1912 \$27,000.00

*For Repairs, Etc., School Department
Buildings, Budget Item No. 551.*

For repairs, etc. to Colum-
bus School \$300.00
For equipping two new

rooms, Portola School 200.00
For removal of portable
building and equipment,
Spring Valley School. ... 250.00
For erection and equipment
of portable building, Noe
Valley School 250.00

*City Hall Civic Center Improvement
Fund, 1912.*

For payment to Bakewell &
Brown, architects, proposed
City Hall, as per recom-
mendation of Board of Pub-
lic Works \$25,000.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

For purchase of fifty regu-
lating valves for high pres-
sure hydrants at \$115.00
each \$5,750.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Board of Public Works to Contract for
Street Work on Howard Street, from
Fourth to Eighth Streets, and Appro-
priating \$53,000 Therefor.

Resolution No. 9723 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public
Works be and is hereby authorized
and directed to enter into contract
with G. W. McGinn & Co., for the con-
struction of granite curbs and a basalt
block pavement along Howard street
from Fourth street to Eighth street at
their bid price of \$50,832.00, and there-
is hereby set aside, appropriated and
authorized to be expended in payment
for same out of Budget Item No. 55,
"For paving of Howard street" the
sum of \$53,000, said amount to include
repair work, survey and inspection in-
cidental thereto; and the Board of
Public Works is hereby authorized and
permitted to incorporate a condition
in said contract for the paving of said
street that progressive payments shall
be made in the manner set forth in
specifications on file in the office of the
Board of Public Works, and in the
office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Boiler and Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 9724 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following revoca-
ble permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

Collins McCarthy Candy Co., 25-31
Beale street, 80 horsepower, for fur-
nishing steam.

E. C. Leach, 40 College avenue, 4
horsepower, for heating water and
sterilizing utensils.

Storage Tanks.

E. L. Hueter, north side of Bush street, 180 feet east of Jones street, capacity 2000 gallons.

Collins McCarthy Candy Co., 25-31 Beale street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Authorizing Payment of \$7,496.35 to Maria B. Dunn, Administratrix of Estate of Rose Bouwman, for Certain Land Required for City Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9725 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of \$7496.35 is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue 1912, in payment to Maria B. Dunn, administratrix of the estate of Rose Bouwman (deceased) in satisfaction of judgment and decree in condemnation proceedings in action entitled "City and County of San Francisco vs. Estate of Rose Bouwman (deceased)", Superior Court Records No. 41542, said action involving acquisition of land situate on the easterly line of Polk street, distant thereon 68 feet 6 inches northerly from the northerly line of Grove street; running thence northerly along said easterly line of Polk street 23 feet; thence at a right angle easterly 82 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 23 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 82 feet 6 inches to the said easterly line of Polk street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3, required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes:

For purchase of land.....	\$7475.00
For rebate of taxes current	
fiscal year allowed	18.85
Costs of suit	2.50

Total\$7,496.35

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Authorizing Payment of \$70,118.12 to Carpenters' Hall Association for Certain Lands Required for City Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9726 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of seventy thousand one hundred eighteen dollars and twelve cents (\$70,118.12) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond, Issue 1912, in payment to Carpenters' Hall Association as pur-

chase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Polk street, of dimensions 50 feet frontage on Fulton street by uniform depth of 120 feet. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, required as site for City Hall and Civic Center purposes.

For purchase of said land	
and improvements	\$70,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed	118.12

Total\$70,118.12

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Authorizing Payment of \$38,586.10 to Anna C. Meusdorffer for Certain Land Required for City Hall and Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9727 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of thirty-eight thousand, five hundred and eighty-six dollars and ten cents (\$38,586.10) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue 1912, in payment to Anna C. Meusdorffer as purchase price of a lot of land and improvements situate at intersection of the northerly line of Fulton street with the westerly line of Polk street, of dimensions 60 feet frontage on Polk street by a uniform depth of 100 feet. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, required as site for City Hall and Civic Center purposes.

For purchase of said land	
and improvements	\$38,500.00
Rebate on taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed	86.10

Total\$38,586.10

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Authorizing Payment of \$7516.96 to F. A. Blumberg for Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. 9728 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of seventy-five hundred sixteen dollars and ninety-six cents (\$7,516.96) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center bond issue, 1912, in payment to F. A. Blumberg as purchase price of a lot of land situate at the southerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 82 feet 6 inches westerly from the westerly line

of Polk street, of dimensions 25 feet by 95 feet, being a portion of Western Additional Block No. 67, required as site for City Hall and Civic Center purposes.

The purchase price of said land \$7,500.00
 Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed..... 16.96

\$7,516.96

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
 Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
 Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
 Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
 Pipe Line Permit, American Gasoline
 Company.

Resolution No. 9729 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revoc-
 able at will of the Board of Super-
 visors, is hereby granted to the Ameri-
 can Gasoline Company to lay a three
 (3) inch pipe line to commence at a
 point where the center line of Illi-
 nois street intersects with the center
 line of Tulare street, and thence in a
 northerly direction along Illinois
 street a distance of about seven hun-
 dred (700) feet to the property of the
 American Gasoline Company, located
 in Block No. 402, bounded by Marin,
 Kentucky, Army and Illinois streets,
 said pipe to be used to convey the
 petroleum and petroleum products;
 provided that this privilege is granted
 on condition that said American Gaso-
 line Company in opening and closing
 the streets for the laying of said pipe
 line therein shall act in accordance
 with the provisions of subdivision 9
 of section 9 of chapter 1 of article 6
 of the Charter, wherein the Board of
 Public Works is required to perform
 the work necessary in laying the
 aforesaid conduits and pipes.

Provided further, that said Ameri-
 can Gasoline Company, while exercis-
 ing such privilege, shall keep in good
 repair the street pavement over said
 pipe line.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
 Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
 Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
 Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Full Acceptance, Duncan Street.

Bill No. 2272, Ordinance No. 2045
 (New Series), entitled, "Provid-
 ing for full acceptance of the road-
 way of Duncan street from the west-
 erly line of Guerrero street to the
 easterly line of San Jose avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
 Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
 Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
 Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2273, Ordinance No. 2046
 (New Series), entitled, "Order-
 ing the performance of certain street
 work on Thirty-eighth avenue, be-
 tween Lincoln way and Irving street,
 Bernal avenue, between Coso and
 Shotwell streets, Precita avenue, be-
 tween Florida and Alabama streets,
 crossing of Army and Noe streets,
 Collingwood street from southerly line
 of Twentieth street to point 222 feet
 6 inches southerly therefrom, cross-
 ing of Woolsey and Goettingen street,
 and on Ratteck street from the south-
 erly line of Bosworth street south-
 westerly 190 feet."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
 Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
 Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
 Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND AC- COUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting
 to \$174,815.89 and numbered consecu-
 tively 26,647 to 27,028, inclusive, were
 presented, read and ordered *referred*
to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Super-
 visor Jennings, Chairman, reported in
 favor of allowing the demands hereto-
 fore read and referred, said Committee
 having duly examined and approved
 the same, and on his motion, said de-
 mands were so allowed and ordered
paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
 Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
 Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
 Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following resolution was
adopted:

Financial Statement.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:
 Resolution No. 9730 (New Series):

Resolved, That the following state-
 ment showing the financial condition
 of the City and County of San Fran-
 cisco be and is hereby approved and
 the Clerk is hereby directed to trans-
 mit a copy thereof to the State Con-
 troller:

*Financial Statement of the City and
 County of San Francisco, on the 1st
 day of October, 1912—*

Bonded debt at 3½ per	
cent interest	\$ 3,050,300.00
Bonded debt at 5 per	
cent interest	20,246,000.00
Bonded debt at 4½ per	
cent interest	3,781,000.00

Total Bonded Debt..\$ 27,077,300.00

Less Sinking Funds..	18,035.88
	<u>\$27,059,264.12</u>
<i>Value of Property—</i>	
Parks, Sewers and Improvements ..	\$ 15,226,400.00
Fire Department—Lots, improvements, apparatus and furniture..	5,612,700.00
Police Department—Lots, improvements, apparatus and furniture ..	392,000.00
Department of Electricity — Underground wires and apparatus	270,000.00
City Hall lot, Hall of Justice lot, Alms-house, Hospital and furniture and Library lots ..	6,631,500.00
Cemetery reservations..	590,000.00
Sundry lots ..	286,000.00
Channel street lots, Ninth to Eighteenth streets ..	120,000.00
School lots, improvements and furniture..	10,835,180.00
Garbage system lands..	445,850.00
Hetch Hetchy lands....	1,240,440.00
County Line Water Co.—Lands and properties ..	30,000.00
Geary Street Railway—Lands and improvements ..	757,968.00
Civil Center lands....	1,437,189.00
Total value of property ..	<u>\$ 43,875,227.00</u>
<i>Cash on Hand in City and County Treasury—</i>	
Interest on funds.....	\$ 174,993.09
Sinking Funds	18,035.88
Miscellaneous Funds...	5,046,191.92
Total City and County Funds ..	\$ 5,239,220.89
Total State Funds...	36,126.88
	<u>\$ 5,275,347.77</u>
<i>City and County—</i>	
Assessed value of real estate ..	\$301,196,140.00
Assessed value of improvements ..	146,581,097.00
Assessed value of personal property	49,576,705.00
	<u>\$497,353,942.00</u>
Money and solvent credits ..	13,075,374.00
Total assessment roll for municipal purposes ..	<u>\$510,429,316.00</u>
Taxes levied for City and County, per \$100.	\$2.05
Taxes levied for State,	

per \$100 .....	.044
	<u>\$2.094</u>
<i>Revenue on Assessment Roll—</i>	
City and County, \$510,-	
429,316, at \$2.05.....	\$ 10,463,800.98
State, \$510,429,316, at .044 ..	224,588.89
	<u>\$ 10,688,389.87</u>
Receipts from other sources than taxation, estimated at	\$ 2,517,000.00
<i>State Roll—</i>	
Assessed value of real estate ..	\$ 22,518,920.00
Assessed value of improvements ..	23,246,100.00
Assessed value of personal property	48,616,128.00
	<u>\$ 94,381,148.00</u>
Less assessed to banks.	38,454,905.00
	<u>\$ 55,926,243.00</u>
At \$.22 per \$100, State proportion of bond interest and redemption	\$ 123,037.73
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Daglieri, George E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.	
Passed for Printing.	
The following matters were passed for printing:	
Authorizations.	
On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:	
Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:	
<i>General Fund, 1912-1913.</i>	
J. W. Schouten & Co., lumber, repairs to school buildings (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912) ..	\$684.53
Dalziel Moller Co., hardware, etc., repairs to school buildings (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912) ..	796.28
John Galen Howard, consulting architect (claim dated Sept. 31, 1912) ..	525.00
John Galen Howard, consulting architect (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912) ..	650.00
Studebaker Bros. Co. of California, two motor runabouts, Department of Electricity (claim dated Sept. 3, 1912) ..	1,380.00
The San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Pound, for impounding, feeding, etc.,	

of animals (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	850.00	Contract 34, Section "A", rumping Station No. 2 (claim dated Oct. 2, 1912). \$	9,774.00
Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants (claim dated Oct. 2, 1912)	10,954.76	Contra Costa Construction Co., 2nd payment, hauling and laying pipe, Section 6 (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912) .	17,961.50
Spring Valley Water Co., water, public buildings (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	2,030.35	<i>Hall of Justice Bond Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
Roman Catholic Orphan As- ylum, maintenance of min- ors (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	1,216.62	Wittman, Lyman & Co., final payment, plumbing, City and County Jail (claim dated Sept. 20, 1912)	\$15,280.40
D. A. White, Chief of Pol- ice, contingent allowance (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	666.66	<i>Hospital Bond Fund, Series 1908.</i>	
Fay Improvement Co., street work, Howard street, Sec- ond to Fourth streets (claim dated Sept. 19, 1912)	1,400.66	The Turner Co., final pay- ment, heating service building, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 25, 1912)	\$ 1,064.60
Fay Improvement Co., street work, O'Farrell street, be- tween Jones and Leaven- worth streets (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912)	714.55	The Turner Co., final pay- ment, heating Ward Build- ing No. 1, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 25, 1912)	632.78
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., asphalt (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	2,831.34	The Turner Co., final pay- ment, heating Ward No. 2, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 25, 1912)	1,255.98
Barber Asphalt Co., asphalt (claim dated Aug. 12, 1912)	2,737.52	John G. Sutton Co., 1st pay- ment, plumbing, etc., S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 20, 1912)	4,650.00
Pacific Gas and Electric Co., lighting (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912)	33,848.16	<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Is- sue July 1, 1910.</i>	
<i>Polytechnic High School Bond Fund, 1910.</i>		F. Rolandi, 3rd payment, construction of car barn (claim dated Oct. 2, 1912)	\$22,922.72
Enterprise Electric Works, machine shop equipment, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Sept. 7, 1912)	\$535.00	Gruver & McCaffrey, 1st pay- ment, underground conduit (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912) .	2,240.17
<i>School Bond Fund, Series 1908.</i>		<i>Sewer Bond Fund, Series 1904.</i>	
Chas. E. Thomas Co., final payment, heating and ven- tilating, Lowell High School (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	8,912.50	State Construction Co., 3rd payment, sewers in Oak and Stanyon streets (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912)	\$ 6,905.03
O. C. Holt, final payment, general construction, John Swett School (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	4,968.00	Williams & Finnigan, 2nd payment, sewer in Steuart street (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912)	2,704.09
<i>Sewer Bond Fund, Series 1908.</i>		<i>Library Fund.</i>	
Contra Costa Construction Co., final payment for pumping, Section "C-2", North Point main (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	\$ 524.50	The Emporium, books, S. F. Public Library (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	\$ 679.74
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 4th payment, Section "M", North Point main (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912) .	12,742.16	<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912.</i>	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 1st payment, Section "N", North Point main (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912) .	2,131.20	Bakewell & Brown, 1st pay- ment, architectural ser- vices, City Hall (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	\$25,000.00
Daniel Contracting Co., 4th payment, Section "C-2", North Point main (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912)	11,795.25	Lange Investment Co., lot 47½ ft. x 120 ft., north line of McAllister street, 137½ ft. west of Larkin street (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912) .	28,426.34
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund, Series 1908.</i>		Michael A. McLaughlin, lot 18 4-12 ft. x 120 ft., south line of McAllister street, 165 ft. east of Polk street (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912) .	8,732.40
Caldwell & Co., 6th payment,			

*Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue
July 1, 1910.*

John R. Freeman, investigation, Municipal water supply (claim dated Sept. 25, 1912)	\$49,028.86
W. C. Hammatt, investigation, Municipal water supply (claim dated Sept. 17, 1912)	982.45

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For setting back hydrants...	\$ 600.00
For repairs to Police Department buildings during the month of October, 1912....	700.00
For repairs to Fire Department buildings during the month of October, 1912....	1,500.00
For repairs to other public buildings, other than schools, during month of October, 1912.....	1,300.00
For repairs to Fire Department stables, 10th and Division streets, by Public Building department, Board of Public Works, under direction of Consulting Board of Architects...	7,500.00
For paying city's portion of construction of sewer in Grove street from Masonic avenue to Ashbury street, in front of City property.	495.00
For paying City's portion of construction of sewer in crossing of Third and King streets	180.00
For paying City's portion of repaving of Twenty-second street opposite intersection of Vicksburg street	40.00
For paying City's portion of paving the crossing of Eighteenth avenue and Geary street	94.00
For paying City's portion of construction of granite curbs, paving, etc., on crossing of Seventh avenue and Geary street.....	91.50
For paying City's portion of connecting sewer and man-hole in crossing of San Jose avenue and Havelock street	165.00
For paying City's portion of construction of sewer in Seventeenth street between York and Hampshire	

streets, and in intersection of Seventeenth and York streets

400.00

For furniture for Tuberculosis Hospital, to be expended by the Supplies Committee under direction of the Board of Health.....

750.00

For Reconstruction, Repairs, Etc., to School Department Buildings, Budget Item No. 551.

For repairs to School Department buildings during the month of October, 1912....

\$ 5,500.00

For payment of outstanding indebtedness for repairs to school buildings

6,500.00

Board of Public Works to Contract for Repairs to Tuberculosis Hospital.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the repair of the Tuberculosis Hospital, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same the sum of \$8,800.00 out of Budget Item No. 549, "For paving, repaving, repairs to streets and for reconstruction and repairs to public buildings, etc.;" and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the repairs to said building that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Improving Sansome Street, from Bush to Pacific streets.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the improving of Sansome street from Bush street to Pacific street and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment for the same the sum of \$20,000.00 out of Budget Item No. 56, "For improvement of Sansome street"; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the improvement of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Improvement of California Street, from Drumm to Front Streets.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the improvement of California street from Drumm street to Front street, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment for the same the sum of \$7,000 out of Budget Item No. 57, "For Improvement of California street;" and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the improvement of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Improvement of Kearny Street, from Sacramento to Clay, and Washington to Columbus Avenue.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the improvement of Kearny street from Sacramento street to Clay street, and from Washington street to Columbus avenue, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment for same the sum of \$7,000.00 out of Budget Item No. 58, "For improvement of Kearny street"; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the improvement of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Paving Portions of Mission Street, Between, Crescent Avenue and Marshall Street.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the paving of portions of Mission street, between Crescent avenue and Marshall street, for which the City is liable, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same the sum of \$18,000.00 out of Budget Item No. 549, "For paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc."; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the paving of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Proposals for Sewers in Beach, Fillmore and Tonquin Streets, Between Laguna and Pierce Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9731 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Beach, Fillmore and Tonquin streets, between Laguna and Pierce streets, out of Sewer Construction Bonds, issue of 1904.

Further resolved, That a sufficient sum will be set aside by the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors for the construction of said sewers and appurtenances when bids for said construction shall have been received.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Proposals for Sewers for Bernal Heights District.

Also, Resolution No. 9732 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of a sewer and appurtenances necessary to carry the discharge from the Bernal Heights district to the main channel of Islais Creek, out of Sewer Construction bonds, issue of 1904.

Further resolved, That a sufficient sum will be set aside by the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors for the construction of said sewer and appurtenances when a sufficient amount is on deposit in the treasury from the sale of said Sewer Construction Bonds, issue of 1904.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Mayor to Enter Into Supplemental Lease with Whitcomb Estate Company for Additional Building Adjoining City Hall to Be Used as Detention Hospital.

Also, Resolution No. 9733 (New Series), as follows.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be authorized to enter into a lease with the Whitcomb Estate Company, supplemental to that certain lease heretofore entered into with said Whitcomb Estate Company for the lease of those premises occupied as a City Hall, and subject to the conditions contained in such original lease,

which supplemental lease shall provide for the erection of an additional building to be used as a detention hospital, according to plans and specifications approved by the Board of Public Health, and at an additional rent to be paid by the City and County of two hundred and twenty-five dollars a month, to be paid for out of Budget Item No. 40, fiscal year 1912-13.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Clinton Fireproofing Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of breaking heavy blocks of concrete in the lot at the southeast corner of Front and Commercial streets; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said Clinton Fireproofing Company, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Boiler, Oil and Garage Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boiler.

Bates, Borland & Ayer, junction of Southern Pacific right of way and Farragut avenue, 20 horsepower, for unloading cars.

Oil Storage Tank.

Sierra Investment Co., corner Market, Brady and Stevenson streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

City and County of San Francisco, east side of Kansas street, 300 feet south of Army street, capacity 10,000 gallons.

A. Mainzer, 528 Folsom street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Garage.

F. H. Howard, northeast corner of Geary and Buchanan streets.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 435.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company is hereby instructed to install arc lamps and single top gas lamps at the following locations, to wit:

Install Arc Lamps.

Corner of Woolsey and Hamilton streets.

Corner of Wayland street and College avenue.

Corner of Wayland and Hamilton streets.

Corner of Silliman and Dartmouth streets.

Corner of Meade avenue and Keith street.

Corner of Silver avenue and Somerset street.

Corner of Highland avenue and Andover street.

Corner of Silver avenue and Harvard street.

Corner of Newhall street and Kirkwood avenue.

Middle of block on Twenty-seventh street between Guerrero and Dolores streets.

Middle of block on Evans avenue between Keith and Lane streets.

Corner of San Jose avenue and Tingley street.

Corner of San Jose avenue and Garden Lane.

Corner of Garden Lane and San Jose avenue.

Corner of Cotter street and San Jose avenue.

Install Gas Lamps.

Northeast corner of Seventeenth and Noe streets.

West side of Fifteenth avenue, 240 feet south of Lincoln Way.

West side of Fifteenth avenue, 240 feet south of Irving street.

East side of Fifteenth avenue, 360 feet south of Irving street.

West side of Seventeenth avenue, 240 feet south of Lincoln Way.

East side of Seventeenth avenue, 360 feet south of Lincoln Way.

West side of Eighteenth avenue, 360 feet south of Lincoln Way.

West side of Nineteenth avenue, 440 feet south of Lincoln Way.

East side of Twentieth avenue, 240 feet south of Irving street.

East side of Twentieth avenue, 440 feet south of Lincoln Way.

West side of Thirteenth avenue, 240 feet south of Kirkham street.

Southwest corner of Forty-third avenue and Lincoln Way.

Southwest corner of Forty-fifth avenue and Kirkham street.

West side of Forty-fifth avenue 240 feet south of Judah street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden Hilmer; Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
Masquerade Ball Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:
J. R. No. 436.

Resolved, That the following named
are hereby granted permission, to hold
masquerade balls at the times and lo-
cations hereinafter set forth, without
payment of the usual license fee, pro-
vided the proceeds of said balls are
devoted to charitable purposes, to wit:

North End Athletic Club, at Gari-
baldi Hall, 440 Broadway. November
16, 1912.

Rincon Parlor No. 72, N. S. G. W.,
at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore
streets, October 12, 1912.

Court University Mound No. 232,
Foresters of America, at San Bruno
Avenue Improvement Club Hall, Oc-
tober 19, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was
passed for printing:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That J. Looney Co. is
hereby granted an extension of ninety
days' time from and after September
16, 1912, within which to complete
contract for plumbing at the Girls'
High School.

This extension is granted for the
reason that the said contractor is un-
able to continue his work until the
general contractor on the building is
further along with his work.

(Communication from the Board of
Public Works, filed September 25,
1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were
adopted:

Accepting Offer of Lange Investment
Company to Sell for \$28,426.34 Certain
Lands and Improvements Required for
Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
Resolution No. 9734 (New Series),
as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received
from Lange Investment Co. to convey
to the City and County of San Fran-
cisco certain land and improvements,
being a portion of Western Addition
Block No. 5, the said land being re-

quired for City Hall and Civic Center
purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said
parcel of land is offered is in accord-
ance with the appraised value thereof,
be it

Resolved, That the offer of Lange
Investment Co. to convey to the City
and County of San Francisco a good
and sufficient title to the following de-
scribed land, free of all incumbrances
including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements	\$28,363.97
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed.....	62.37

\$28,426.34

is hereby accepted, the said land being
described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the north-
erly line of McAllister street, distant
thereon 137 feet 6 inches westerly
from the westerly line of Larkin
street; running thence westerly along
said northerly line of McAllister
street 47 feet 6 inches; thence at a
right angle northerly 120 feet to the
southerly line of Redwood street;
thence at a right angle easterly along
said southerly line of Redwood street
47 feet 6 inches; thence at a right
angle southerly 120 feet to the said
northerly line of McAllister street and
point of commencement. Being a por-
tion of Western Addition Block No. 5.

The City Attorney is hereby directed
to examine the title to said land and
if the same is found to be vested in
the aforesaid owner, free from all in-
cumbrances, and that the taxes for
the current fiscal year are paid, and
that the so-called McEnerney title has
been procured or sufficient money re-
served for the procuring of same, to
report the result of his examination to
the Board of Supervisors, and also to
cause a good and sufficient deed to be
executed and delivered to the City and
County upon the payment of the agreed
purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden,
Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland,
Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy,
Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Offer of M. McLaughlin to Sell
for \$8,732.40 Certain Land Required for
Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9735 (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received
from Michael McLaughlin to convey to
the City and County of San Francisco
certain land, being a portion of West-
ern Addition Block No. 4, the said land
being required for City Hall and Civic
Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said
parcel of land is offered is in accord-
ance with the appraised value thereof,
be it

Resolved, That the offer of Michael

McLaughlin to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements\$8,708.35
 Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed..... 24.05

\$8,732.40

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 165 feet easterly from the easterly line of Polk street; running thence easterly along said southerly line of McAllister street 18 feet 4 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the northerly line of Ash street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Ash street 18 feet 4 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the said southerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Mayor to Sell at Public Auction Certain Shack Buildings on Starr King School Site.

Also, J. R. No. 437.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction all those certain buildings located on the following described school lot, the site of the Starr King School:

Commencing at the southeast corner of Twenty-fifth and Utah streets; thence running east 120 feet; thence south 100 feet; thence west 125 feet; thence north 100 feet to point of commencement. Being a portion of Potrero Nuevo Block No. 85.

(Communication from Board of Education, filed September 24, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,

Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
 Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Changing Grades, Dolores Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2274, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Dolores street, between the lines respectively 88.3 feet and 301.11 feet southerly from the southerly line of Thirtieth street."

Full Acceptance, Twenty-third Street, Between Diamond and Douglass Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2275, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Twenty-third street, between Diamond and Douglass streets."

Spur Track Permit.

Also, Bill No. 2276, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to J. P. Holland, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company in Quint street and Davidson avenue, running thence in a northerly direction to the southerly line of Arthur avenue."

Recommended.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and ordered recommended to Streets Committee:

Approving and Adopting Official Map of Crocker-Amazon Tract.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — entitled, "Approving and adopting the official map of the Crocker Amazon Tract."

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2277, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered Four Hundred and Eighty-five," the terms of which provide that the width of sidewalks on Surrey street, between Chenery street and Castro street, shall be eight (8) feet, and that any expense caused by the above change of walk widths shall be borne by the property owners.

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2278, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of the following street work to be done in the City and

County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," to wit:

That Fortieth avenue, between Balboa and Cabrillo streets, be graded to official line and grade.

That granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks, an asphalt pavement, brick cesspools and ironstone pipe culverts be constructed at the crossing of West Clay street and Twenty-fifth avenue.

Extension of Time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Daniel Contracting Company is hereby granted an extension of forty-five days' time from and after August 25, 1912, within which to complete contract for construction of Section "G" of the North Point main sewer, under contract No. 45.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was delayed by the construction of a division wall in the sewer, authorized by this Board by Resolution No. 18524 (Second Series).

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Recommend the Paving of Nineteenth Avenue, from Lincoln Way to Judah Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 438.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to recommend the paving of roadway of Nineteenth avenue between Lincoln Way and Irving street, and Nineteenth avenue between Irving and Judah streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
Award of Contract, Metal Document File Cases, County Clerk.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:

J. R. No. 439.

Resolved, That the contract for ten metal document file cases, for use of the County Clerk, is hereby awarded to the General Fireproofing Company for the sum of eight hundred (\$800.00) dollars as per proposal submitted August 26, 1912; that the bond to be furnished for the faithful performance of this contract is hereby fixed at the sum of two hundred (\$200.00) dollars; and that all other bids for the foregoing articles are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,

Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Finance Committee to Recommend an Additional Appropriation of \$2500 for Relief Home for Care of Sick, Disabled and Indigent.

Supervisor Payot presented:

J. R. No. 440.

Whereas, It has been represented to the Public Welfare Committee by the Superintendent of the Relief Home and by the directors of the San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau, that the Relief Home may not be able to provide food and shelter for the sick, disabled and indigent during the coming winter, and

Whereas, Acting on Resolution presented by Supervisor Koshland, and considering therewith a plan suggested by the San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau to provide for homeless and indigent persons who may be unable to procure assistance at the Relief Home and the City and County Hospital when conditions arise which make it impossible for the city institutions to accommodate all who may apply for relief, and

Whereas, The San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau submits to the City a plan for taking care of the sick, disabled, aged and convalescent men for the sum of fifty cents per day for ordinary cases and sixty cents per day for person afflicted with contagious diseases, be it

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be requested to recommend an additional appropriation of \$2500.00 to the fund of the Relief Home to carry out this proposed plan of relief.

Privilege of the Floor.

Mr. Anspacher, president of the San Francisco Co-operative Employment Association, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that Superintendent Wollenberg of the Relief Home has stated before the Public Welfare Committee that there was no more room at said institution for sick and indigent men and women who were daily making application for admittance. He declared further that as the winter drew nearer the need of caring for these helpless people was becoming more serious. He closed by saying that the appropriation asked for was not for the San Francisco Co-operative Employment Association, but for the Relief Home to enable it to care for the charges of the city where owing to lack of accommodation this could not be done at that institution.

M. Armstrong, representing the same association, also addressed the Board, stating that it was unfair for the city to expect charitable institu-

tions to bear the expense of the city's charges.

F. B. Cornish, representing the same institution, also addressed the Board, stating that the association was engaged in a work that should be properly done by the city itself, and for that reason it should not be looked upon as if the money was provided to maintain a private institution.

Harry R. Bogart, secretary of the San Francisco Co-operative Employment Association, addressed the Board, stating that there were eight times as many applicants for the City and County Hospital and Relief Home as there were accommodations for them and that this condition would grow worse as the winter set in. He declared that the association had agreed to care for city charges at the rate of 50 cents for the indigent and 60 cents for contagious disease cases. This price, he said, was the actual cost price and that the employment association was only doing it for the accommodation.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the above Resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—11.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Murphy—5.

Proposed Charter Amendment Relative to Organization of Fire Department.

The following entitled proposed Charter amendment presented on petition to the Board of Supervisors for submission to the electors for ratification, together with certificate of Registrar of Voters, were taken up and on motion said amendment was ordered submitted by the following vote:

Charter amendment, describing and setting forth a proposal to the qualified electors of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, to amend the Charter of said City and County by amending Section 1 and adding a new section to be known as Section 2 of Chapter IV of Article IX, relative to establishing a two platoon or two shift system in the San Francisco Fire Department, increasing the number of officers and members, and creating shifts and watches therefor.

Certificate of Registrar of Voters.

Communication—From Registrar of Voters, certifying that petition of qualified electors setting forth proposed Charter amendment relative to establishing a two-platoon or two-shift system in the San Francisco Fire Department, increasing the number of

officers and members and creating shifts or watches therefor, had been signed by the requisite number of qualified electors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Award of Contract, Motor Ambulance, Health Department.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland: J. R. No. 441.

Resolved, That the contract for one motor ambulance for use of the Department of Public Health is hereby awarded to the H. O. Harrison Company for the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for "Peerless" car, as per proposal submitted September 23, 1912; that the bond to be furnished for the faithful performance of this contract is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars; and that all other bids for the foregoing article are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Rejecting Bids, Metal Book Racks, Recorder.

Also, J. R. No. 442.

Resolved, That all bids received August 26, 1912, for three metal book racks for index volumes, for use of the Recorder, are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 443.

Resolved, That the Non A. Mes Association is hereby granted permission to hold a masquerade ball at Majestic Hall, Fillmore and Geary streets, October 12, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee, the proceeds being devoted to charitable purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Exhibit of San Francisco at Leipsic Exposition, 1913.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:
J. R. No. 444.

Whereas, An International Building Trade Exhibition is to be held in Leipsic in 1913, and

Whereas, Dr. E. G. Friedrich and Dr. E. Probst, representing the Managing Committee of said International Building Trade Exhibition, have visited the City and conferred with the Panama-Pacific Directors and the Exposition Committee of the Board of Supervisors, inviting this City to participate in the Leipsic Exhibition, and

Whereas, It will be of permanent benefit to San Francisco to fittingly participate in the 1913 Leipsic Fair, and

Whereas, The exhibitions of photographs, plans and maps of the public buildings and engineering projects of San Francisco are available without expense,

Be it Resolved, That the Exposition Committee be and is hereby directed to prepare a suitable display of photographs, drawings and such other exhibits as may be available to fittingly portray San Francisco's developments, and also said Committee shall take the necessary steps to have these exhibits installed when the Building Trade Exhibition shall open in Leipsic in 1913.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McIeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Declaratory Ordinance, Bond Issue, Acquisition Sutro Property, Twin Peaks Park Lands, Etc.

Supervisor Mauzy presented:

Bill No. 2279, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Determining and declaring that the public interest requires the acquisition of certain lands and improvements thereon for municipal purposes, to-wit: For the purpose of a public park and pleasure and recreation grounds and such other public purposes as may be determined by the Board of Supervisors; such lands being a portion of the "Sutro Property" located contiguous to Lincoln Park; and further, that the public interest requires the completion of certain permanent municipal building, to-wit, the County Jail and the San Francisco Hospital; also the acquisition of lands for a public aquatic park; and also the acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park; and that the cost thereof, in addition to the other expenses of the City and County will exceed the income and revenue provided for the City and County for any one year; and directing the Board

of Public Works to procure and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of cost of original construction and completion of such permanent municipal buildings and improvements, and the estimate of the cost of the acquisition of such lands.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby determined and declared that the public interest requires the acquisition by the City and County of San Francisco of the following lands and improvements and also the completion of the following permanent buildings and improvements:

PROPOSITION ONE.

The acquisition of certain lands, being a portion of the "Sutro Property," located in the City and County of San Francisco contiguous to and in the vicinity of Lincoln Park, and embraced in a certain offer of the heirs of Adolph Sutro to the City and County dated on or about August 22, 1912.

Together with the improvements thereon to be used for the purposes of a public park, and pleasure and recreation grounds, and such other public purposes as may be determined by the Board of Supervisors.

PROPOSITION TWO.

The completion of the permanent municipal buildings known as and to be used as the County Jail and the San Francisco Hospital.

PROPOSITION THREE.

The acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Van Ness avenue at its northerly termination to be used as a Public Aquatic Park.

Section 2. It is further determined and declared that the cost of the acquisition of the aforesaid lands and improvements and of the completion of the aforementioned buildings and improvements, or of any of the aforementioned buildings, improvements, or lands, in addition to the other expenses of the City and County will exceed the income and revenue provided for the City and County for any one year and will render it necessary to incur a bonded indebtedness therefor.

Section 3. The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to procure and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of cost of original construction and completion and acquisition of all the buildings and improvements described in the several propositions set forth in section one of this ordinance, and estimates of cost of the lands so set forth in section one of this Ordinance.

Section 4. This Ordinance is the

first of a series of Ordinances which will be adopted under and by virtue of which it is proposed that the municipal bonded indebtedness of said City and County will be incurred for the several purposes herein enumerated.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper for fourteen days and shall take effect immediately.

Amendment.

Supervisor *Giannini* moved to amend by inserting the following:

PROPOSITION FOUR.

The acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park.

Amendment carried.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon the above Bill, as amended, was *passed for printing*.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Ordering Construction of Twin Peaks Tunnel and Acquisition of Lands Necessary Therefor.

On motion of Supervisor *Mauzy*: Resolution No. 9736 (New Series).

Whereas, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, did on August 19th, 1912, pass and adopt its Resolution Number 9609 (New Series) declaring its intention to order the acquisition in fee simple of the lands in said Resolution and hereinafter described for and as being necessary and convenient for the construction of a tunnel or tunnels in said City and County, and for the construction of a portal or portals and an entrance or entrances thereto, and also declaring its intention to order the acquisition of an easement or right of way for, and as being necessary and convenient for the construction of a tunnel or tunnels under the lands in said Resolution and hereinafter described and describing in said Resolution the exterior boundaries of the two (2) districts of land to be affected or benefited by said acquisition, and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof; and

Whereas, The Board of Public Works of said City and County of San Francisco did thereupon cause notices of the passage of said Resolution to be posted and published for ten (10) days in the manner and as required by law; and

Whereas, No objections have been made or filed against said acquisition, work or improvement and more than

ten (10) days have elapsed after the expiration of the time of the publication of said notice of the passage of said Resolution of Intention, and the Board of Supervisors has acquired jurisdiction to order said acquisition as proposed in said Resolution to be made and done.

Resolved, That said work and improvement be done and said acquisition be made as aforesaid, and as specified and specifically described in said Resolution of Intention Number 9609 (New Series).

And the Board of Supervisors do hereby order the acquisition in fee simple of the lands hereinafter described for, and as being necessary and convenient for the construction of a tunnel or tunnels in said City and County, and for the construction of a portal or portals and an entrance or entrances thereto, and that the lands deemed necessary and convenient and hereby ordered to be taken and acquired therefor and for said purpose are described as follows: All that real property situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows:

First. Commencing at a point 864.93 feet distant southerly and at right angles from the center line of Taraval street (if extended and produced) and 564.31 feet distant easterly and at right angles from the center line of Twelfth avenue (if extended and produced); thence northeasterly along a line deflected 36° 46' 13" to the right from a line parallel with Twelfth avenue to a point 550 feet distant; thence at a right angle southeasterly 150 feet; thence at a right angle southwesterly 550 feet; thence at a right angle northwesterly 150 feet to the point of beginning.

Second. Commencing on the southwesterly boundary line at the second angle point northerly from the extreme southerly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract), said second angle point being 1,370 feet distant, more or less, westerly and at right angles from the most easterly boundary line and 370 feet distant, more or less, northerly and at right angles from the most southerly boundary line (if extended and produced westerly) of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract); thence running along the boundary line of said tract, as per map adopted by the Board of Supervisors by Ordinance No. 807 (New Series), June 14th, 1909, N. 38° 14' 41.6" E. 192.72 feet; thence N. 39° 34' 18.4" W. 421.707 feet to point on said boundary line, thence S. 17° 24' 18.4" E. 499.28 feet distant and to the point of beginning.

Third. Commencing at a point N.

17° 24' 18.4" W. 51.13 feet distant from the second angle point northerly from the extreme southerly boundary line, and on the southwest-erly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract) as per map adopted by the Board of Supervisors by Ordinance No. 807 (New Series), June 14th, 1909; said second angle point being 1,370 feet, more or less, distant westerly and at right angles from the easterly bound-ary line and 370 feet, more or less, northerly and at right angles from the most southerly boundary line (if extended and produced westerly) of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract), thence running N. 17° 24' 18.4" W. 33.63 feet distant; thence S. 45° 42' 58" W. 175.21 feet; thence S. 44° 17' 02" E. 30 feet; thence N. 45° 42' 58" E. 160 feet to the point of beginning.

Fourth. Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Eureka street, distant thereon one hundred and thirty-two feet, five and three-eighths inches (132' 5 $\frac{3}{8}$ ") southerly from the inter-section of the southerly line of Seven-teenth street with the easterly line of Eureka street; thence southerly and along said easterly line of Eureka street ninety feet, ten and one-eighth inches (90' 10 $\frac{1}{8}$ "); thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety-seven de-grees, forty-eight minutes and fifteen seconds (97° 48' 15") and running easterly along said deflected line two hundred and fifty-two feet four inches (252' 4") to a point on the westerly line of Diamond street, said point being one hundred and eighty-nine feet and three-eighths inches (198' 0 $\frac{3}{8}$ ") southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Dia-mond street; thence northerly and along said westerly line of Diamond street ninety feet ten and one-eighth inches (90' 10 $\frac{1}{8}$ "); thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety-seven de-grees, forty-eight minutes and fifteen seconds (97° 48' 15") and running westerly along said deflected line two hundred and fifty-two feet four inches (252' 4") to the easterly line of Eureka street and point of commence-ment.

Being part of Horner's Addition, Block 206.

Fifth. Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Diamond street, distant thereon eighty-nine feet five inches (89' 5") southerly from the in-tersection of the southerly line of Sev-enteenth street with the easterly line of Diamond street; thence southerly and along said easterly line of Dia-mond street ninety feet, ten and one-eighth inches (90' 10 $\frac{1}{8}$ "); thence de-flecting to the left an angle of ninety-

seven degrees, forty-eight minutes and fifteen seconds (97° 48' 15") and run-ning easterly along said deflected line to a point one hundred and thirty-five feet six inches (135' 6") distant; thence running along a line curved to the left with a twelve hundred foot (1200') radius, one hundred and seven-teen feet nine and three-quarters inches (117' 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ ") to a point on the westerly line of Collingwood street, said point being one hundred and forty feet, one and seven-eighths inches (140' 1 $\frac{7}{8}$ ") southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Collingwood street; thence northerly and along said westerly line of Collingwood street to a point one hundred and four feet, two and three-quarters inches (104' 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ ") distant; thence deflecting to the left an angle of one hundred and eight degrees one minute and thirty-three seconds (108° 01' 33") and running westerly along a line curved to the right (to which curved line said deflected line is tan-gent) with a radius of twelve hundred feet (1200') to a point two hundred and fourteen feet, one inch (214' 1") distant; thence westerly on a straight line tangent to said curved line forty-two feet (42') to a point on the east-erly line of Diamond street and the point of commencement.

Being a part of Horner's Addition, Block 198.

Sixth. Commencing at the inter-section of the southerly line of Seven-teenth street with the easterly line of Collingwood street and running thence southerly along said easterly line of Collingwood street to a point one hun-dred and twenty-four feet (124') two and one-eighth inches (2 $\frac{1}{8}$ ") distant; thence deflecting to the left an angle of one hundred and six degrees, twenty-three minutes and forty sec-onds (106° 23' 40") and running east-erly along a line curved to the left (to which curved line said deflected line is tangent) with a radius of twelve hundred feet (1200') to a point two hundred and thirty-eight feet six and five-eighths inches (238' 6 $\frac{5}{8}$ ") distant; thence along a reverse curve to the right, with a radius of twenty feet (20') forty-one feet (41') one and three-eighths (1 $\frac{3}{8}$ ") to a point on the westerly line of Castro street, distant thereon fifty-two feet three and three-quarters inches (52' 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ ") southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Castro street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Castro street fifty-two feet three and three-quarters inches (52' 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ ") to the intersection of the southerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Castro street; thence deflecting to the left an angle of ninety degrees

(90°) and running westerly along the southerly line of Seventeenth street two hundred and fifty feet (250') to the intersection of said southerly line of Seventeenth street with the easterly line of Collingwood street and the point of commencement.

Being a part of Horner's Addition, Block 197.

Seventh. Commencing at the intersection of the northerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Castro street and running thence northerly and along said westerly line of Castro street to a point thereon fifty-three feet, four and one-quarter inches (53' 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ ") distant, thence deflecting to the left an angle of one hundred and twenty-two degrees, twelve minutes and sixteen seconds (122° 12' 16") and running southwesterly along said deflected line one hundred feet one and three-eighths inches (100' 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ ") to a point on the northerly line of Seventeenth street, distant thereon eighty-four feet eight and one-half inches (84' 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ") westerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Seventeenth street with the westerly line of Castro street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Seventeenth street eighty-four feet eight and one-half inches (84' 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ") to its intersection with the westerly line of Castro street and the point of commencement.

Being a part of Horner's Addition, Block 200.

And the Board of Supervisors do hereby order the acquisition of an easement or right of way for, and as being necessary and convenient for the construction of a tunnel or tunnels under the lands next hereinafter described. The lands deemed necessary and convenient to be taken therefor and hereby ordered to be taken and acquired therefor, and for said purposes are described as follows:

Being an easement and right of way for a subterranean or sub-surface tunnel or tunnels under, beneath and through that certain real property situate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and described as follows, to wit:

A strip of land 90 feet wide extending for 24 feet northwesterly and 66 feet southeasterly (both measured at a right angle) of a line parallel to the center line of said strip, which parallel line is described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Eureka street and distant thereon 409.077 feet northerly from the monument line of Eighteenth street (measured along the easterly line of Eureka street); thence southwesterly at an angle of 82° 11' 45" with said easterly line of Eureka street 60,814 feet to a point of curve;

thence running along a line curved to the left, the radius of which is 1,200 feet, degree, 4° 46' 34", central angle 28° 51' 44", and length 604,489 feet to a point of tangency 174,484 feet northerly and at right angle from the monument line of Eighteenth street, and 613.89 feet westerly and at right angles from the easterly line of Eureka street; thence southwesterly along a line which deflects an angle 36° 40' with the monument line of Eighteenth street 7,095.947 feet to a point of curve 54,588 feet (measured along said line if produced) easterly from a point on the southwesterly boundary line of the Relief Home Tract (formerly Alms House Tract) if extended and produced S. 39° 34' 18.4" E. 8 feet distant from the third angle point northerly from the southerly boundary line of said tract, said third angle point being 1,240 feet, more or less, westerly and at right angles from the easterly boundary line and 500 feet, more or less, northerly and at right angles from the southerly boundary line (if extended and produced) of the said Relief Home Tract, as per map adopted by the Board of Supervisors by Ordinance No. 807 (New Series) June 14th, 1909, thence running along a line curved to the left, the radius of which is 5,729.65 feet; degree 1°, central angle 15° 20' 30" and length 1,534.186 feet to a point of tangency; and running along a line tangent to preceding curve 1,237.72 feet to a point on the northeasterly boundary line and 81 feet southeasterly (measured along said boundary line) from the most northerly corner of the parcel of land "FIRST" hereinbefore described. Saving, excepting and excluding therefrom all public streets, avenues, alleys and ways therein included and contained.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Proposed Charter Amendments.

The following proposals to amend Charter were presented and read by the Clerk:

Add to Article II, Chapter II, Section 1 (relating to powers of Board of Supervisors) three new subdivisions to be numbered 38, 39 and 40, to read as follows:

38. To provide for and regulate the purchase, storage and distribution of all supplies for the various offices and departments.

39. To prescribe the forms in which demands against the Treasury shall be made and presented, and the forms in which warrants shall be drawn by the Auditor and delivered for the payment thereof.

40. To prescribe a uniform system of accounting for the various offices and departments.

Amend Article IV, Chapter V, Section 3 to read as follows:

On request of the Assessor or Tax Collector the City Attorney shall commence and prosecute action for the collection of taxes.

Amend Article V, Chapter VII, Section 1 to read as follows:

Section 1. The Justices of Peace shall have and exercise all the powers conferred upon them by the general laws of the State and shall be elected for the term and in the manner therein prescribed. They shall receive such compensation, and may appoint such clerks, deputies and employees as may be prescribed by such general laws.

Amend Article VIII, Chapter X, Section 4, relating to the pensioning of the family of any officer, member or employee of the Police Department who may be killed in the performance of his duty. Also, amend Article IX, Chapter VII, Section 5, relating to the pensioning of any officer, member or employee of the Fire Department who may be killed in the performance of his duty.

Ordered referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Display of Flags, Liberty Bell Day.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 445.

Whereas, The Mayor and City Council of Philadelphia have been petitioned to permit the Liberty Bell to be transported to San Francisco under proper escort for exhibition at the Panama-

Pacific International Exposition in 1915, and

Whereas, Friday, October 11th, has been designated by the Board of Education as Liberty Bell Day, and on that day the teachers and pupils of our schools will join in the singing and circulation of a memorial seconding the efforts of those who have already petitioned the officials of Philadelphia to temporarily loan the Liberty Bell to this City,

Be it Resolved, That the American flag be unfurled on all schools and buildings on Friday, October 11th, and that our citizens be respectfully asked to join in the demonstration as a mark of the reverence we have for Liberty Bell, one of the most historic relics of the nation.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot. Vogelsang—16.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Payot and ordered *referred to the Welfare Committee*:

Bill Board Ordinance.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the erection, construction and maintenance of billboards and bulletin sign boards and the business of bill posting and bulletin sign painting and all out-door advertising; and imposing a license fee upon such business."

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:10 o'clock p.m., adjourned, to meet Thursday evening, October 10, 1912, to consider proposed Charter amendments.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, October 14, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 10,
1912, 8 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Cal., Thursday evening, October 10, 1912, 8 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of considering proposals to amend the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of the previous meeting was, on motion, laid over until next meeting.

Report of the Judiciary Committee on Proposal to Amend Charter.

His Honor the Mayor stated the purpose of the meeting, and the Clerk thereupon proceeded and read the following report:

October 10, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your Committee on Judiciary reports as follows:

In favor of Charter Amendment No. 1, except that the position of Secretary of the Fire Commissioners should be excepted.

In favor of Amendment No. 2, provided the increase of salary of the officers shall not begin until the end of the term of the incumbents and of the employees, July 1, 1913.

In favor of Amendment No. 4.

In favor of Amendment No. 5.

In favor of Amendment No. 6.

In favor of Amendment No. 7.

In favor of Amendment No. 8.

In favor of Amendment No. 9.

In favor of Amendment No. 10.

In favor of Amendment No. 11.

In favor of Amendment No. 13, with a slight change and the joining of Amendment No. 41 with No. 13.

In favor of Amendment No. 14 in the form submitted by T. V. Cator.

In favor of Amendment No. 15, except that the salary of extra clerks be made \$100 per month, and other changes to prevent a conflict with Amendment No. 1.

Amendment No. 16 to be dropped, being a duplicate of No. 14.

Amendment No. 17 to be dropped, being a duplicate of No. 15.

In favor of Amendment No. 18, provided it is changed to read as follows:

Section 1½. On the expiration of the terms of office of the Police Judges holding such office on November 26, 1912, their successors shall be appointed by the three Judges of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco who have been longest in continual service.

Such appointees shall be removable in the same manner as elective officers and not otherwise.

Respectfully,

D. C. MURPHY.

R. McLERAN.

A. VOGELSANG.

Privilege of the Floor.

John E. McDougald, Treasurer, was granted the privilege of the floor and requested permission to withdraw his letter recommending that the deputies of his office be included in Amendment No. 1. He declared that he had changed his mind since writing the letter and was now convinced that it would be the best public policy to have the employees of that office directly responsible to the Treasurer.

Motion.

Supervisor Murphy moved that Treasurer be permitted to withdraw his communication, but that the amendment stand as recommended by Judiciary Committee.

Motion carried

CHARTER AMENDMENT PROPOSALS.

Whereupon, the following proposed Charter Amendments were taken up and, after consideration, disposed of as follows:

Charter Amendment No. 1. Providing that Section 11 of Article XIII of the said Charter be amended to read as follows:

Section 11. The provisions of this article shall apply to the following offices and departments of the City and County: The County Clerk, the Assessor, the Tax Collector, the Sheriff, the Auditor, the Recorder, the Coroner, the Clerks and Stenographers of the Justices' and Police Courts, the Board of Public Works, the Police Department, the Fire Department, the Board of Election Commissioners, the Board of Health, the Department of Electricity, and all boards and departments controlling public utilities, but the following deputies, clerks and employees in said offices and departments shall be exempted therefrom: The chief deputy of the County Clerk, the chief deputy and the deputy designated as the cashier of the Assessor, the chief deputy and the cashier of the Tax Collector, four deputies of the Sheriff designated as the Under Sheriff, the chief bookkeeper, the attorney, and the cashier, the Deputy Auditor, the chief deputy and the deputy designated as the cashier of the Recorder, the chief deputy and the autopsy physician of the Coroner, the City Engineer, the Secretary of the Board of Public Works, the City Architect, the Registrar of the Board of Election Commissioners, the Justices' Clerk, the Chief of Police, the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, the Chief of the Department of Electricity, all physicians appointed by the Board of Health. All officers, courts, boards and heads of departments vested in this Charter with the power to appoint deputies, clerks, stenographers or employees in any of the offices or departments of the City and County mentioned in this section shall make such appointments in conformity with the rules and provisions prescribed by this Article, and any appointments not so made shall be void.

Any person who has served in any position in the office of the Assessor, the Coroner, the Recorder, the County Clerk, the Sheriff or in the office of the Justices' Clerk for a period of one year continuously prior to the approval of this amendment and who shall be actually employed in any of said offices at such time is hereby declared to be appointed within the provisions of Article XIII of this Charter to the position to which he may be assigned and shall be entitled to all the benefits of said Article thereafter.

Amendment.

Supervisor Hayden moved to amend by inserting the words, "Board of Supervisors" after "Department of Electricity" on line sixteen; and "Clerk of the Board of Supervisors" after "Department of Electricity" on line thirty-

nine in first paragraph; also by inserting "or Board of Supervisors" after "Justices' Clerk" on line five of the second paragraph of Amendment No. 1.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan—9.

Noes—Supervisors Jennings, Murphy, Vogelsang—3.

Absent—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Mauzy, McCarthy, Payot—6.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Vogelsang explained his vote by stating that in his opinion legislative bodies are not in same position as other bodies and its members should have control over employees.

Privilege of the Floor.

Joseph Hayes, representing the Recorder's Office, was granted the privilege of the floor and objected to the exemption of the deputy cashier of the Recorder's office from the proposed amendment. He declared that the duties of cashier were performed by any of the deputies in the office and not entirely by the deputy bearing the title of "Deputy Cashier".

Charles M. Stoltz, of the Recorder's Office, was also granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, declaring that it was the "Recorder's" wish that all of his deputies be included in the amendment and that there be no discrimination in the case of the deputy cashier.

Amendment.

Supervisor Vogelsang moved to amend by striking out the words "and the deputy designated as cashier" in line twenty-six, Section 11, of proposed amendment.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—14.

Privilege of the Floor.

E. A. Walcott, President of the Civil Service Commission, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that at first he was under the impression that the Treasurer's deputies should be placed under Civil Service regulations, except the deputy cashier and one confidential man, but that he has been convinced that it would be a better policy to permit the Treasurer to exercise control over his own employees.

Treasurer's Deputies Exempted.

Whereupon, *Supervisor Koshland*

moved that the Treasurer's deputies be omitted from the proposed Charter Amendment No. 1.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Murdock,
Nolan—9.

Noes—Supervisors Hayden, McLaren,
Murphy, Vogelsang—4.

Absent—Supervisors Andrew J. Gal-
lagher, Giannini, Mauzy, McCarthy,
Payot—5.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. C. Saulman was granted the privi-
lege of the floor and addressed the
Board. He declared that if the
amendment was adopted that thirty-
eight copyists in the County Clerk's
office would be made a perman-
ent charge on the city. He declared
that twenty-two of these clerks are
now working on McEnerney Titles, but
that this work would soon cease, owing
to expiration of McEnerney Act. Four
Court-room clerks and four bailiffs now
made necessary by such act would be-
come a permanent charge on the tax-
payers, amounting in all to over \$20,000
unnecessary expense.

Harry I. Mulcrevy, County Clerk,
also addressed the Board, stating that
sixteen of the copyists employed to as-
sist on McEnerney Title work were em-
ployed daily on the floor doing deputy
work and that it was necessary that
they be retained at such work owing
to enormous increase in business of
the County Clerk's office. The work
of the Courts in San Francisco has
increased 100% in ten years and San
Francisco has done more business
through its County Clerk's Office since
the fire than Los Angeles has done in
all its history. He declared that his
present force enabled him to enter,
docket and record all judgments within
twenty-four hours after same were
handed down and said that nothing
should be done to hamper this work.
He stated that work on the McEnerney
Titles was a little behind, but that
such work was not urgent and deputies
worked on it when not busy on more
pressing work.

Adopted.

Whereupon, Charter Amendment
No. 1, as amended, was adopted by the
following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hil-
mer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mc-
Leran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogel-
sang—13.

Absent—Supervisors Andrew J. Gal-
lagher, Giannini, Mauzy, McCarthy,
Payot—5.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 2:

The Clerk proceeded and read the
following proposed amendment:

That Section 1 of Chapter IV of
Article IV of the Charter amended to
read as follows:

Section 1. There shall be an Asses-
sor of the City and County who shall
be an elector of the City and County
at the time of his election and who
must have been such for at least five
years next preceding such time. He
shall be elected by the people and hold
office for four years. He shall receive
an annual salary of eight thousand
dollars, which shall be in full compen-
sation for all his services. He may
appoint a chief deputy who shall re-
ceive an annual salary of twenty-four
hundred dollars; one deputy who shall
be designated to act as cashier, who
shall receive an annual salary of
eighteen hundred dollars; eight depu-
ties who shall each receive an annual
salary of eighteen hundred dollars;
eighteen deputies who shall receive an
annual salary of twelve hundred dol-
lars, and during four months of the
year, not more than one hundred depu-
ties who shall each be paid at the rate
of not more than one hundred dollars
a month during the time of their em-
ployment.

That Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter
VI of Article IV of the Charter be
amended to read as follows:

Section 1. There shall be a Cor-
oner of the City and County, who shall
be an elector of the City and County
at the time of his election, and who
must have been such for at least five
years next preceding such election.
He shall be elected by the people, and
hold office for four years. He shall
receive an annual salary of five thou-
sand dollars. He shall perform such
duties as may be prescribed by law or
ordinance. He shall have the control
and management of the morgue of the
City and County under such ordi-
nances as the Supervisors may adopt.

Section 2. He may appoint an
Autopsy Physician, who shall receive
an annual salary of twenty-four hun-
dred dollars, a chief deputy, who
shall receive an annual salary of
twenty-four hundred dollars, one depu-
ty who shall receive an annual salary
of eighteen hundred dollars, eight depu-
ties who shall receive an annual sal-
ary of fifteen hundred dollars, two
deputies who shall each receive an
annual salary of twelve hundred dol-
lars, and one deputy who shall receive
an annual salary of nine hundred dol-
lars.

That Section 1 of Chapter VII of
Article IV of the Charter be amended
to read as follows:

Section 1. There shall be a Re-

corder of the City and County, who shall be an elector of the City and County at the time of his election, and who must have been such for at least five years next preceding such election. He shall be elected by the people and shall hold office for four years. He shall receive an annual salary of five thousand dollars. He may appoint a chief deputy, who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-four hundred dollars; five deputies who shall each receive an annual salary of eighteen hundred dollars, and one of whom shall be designated to act as cashier; ten deputies who shall each receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars, one of whom shall be designated to act as machinist, and one deputy who shall receive an annual salary of twelve hundred dollars. He may also appoint as many deputies to act as copyists as he may deem necessary, who shall each receive not more than six cents for each one hundred words actually written, but no such deputy shall be paid a greater compensation at this rate than amounts in the aggregate to one hundred and twenty-five dollars a month.

That Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter V of Article V of the Charter be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The County Clerk shall be elected by the people and shall hold office for four years. He shall have all the powers conferred and shall perform all the duties imposed upon the County Clerks of counties by the general laws of the State, and in addition thereto shall attend and act as Clerk of the Police Court, keep the dockets and registers thereof and take charge of and safely keep all books, papers and records which may be filed or deposited in his office pertaining to the Police Court. He shall receive an annual salary of six thousand dollars.

Section 2. To aid him in the discharge of his official duties the County Clerk may appoint a chief deputy, who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-four hundred dollars; one deputy, who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-one hundred dollars, and who shall be designated to act as Chief Register Clerk; six deputies, who shall each receive an annual salary of eighteen hundred dollars; thirty deputies who shall each receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars; and thirty-eight deputies who shall each receive an annual salary of twelve hundred dollars.

That Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter VI of Article V of the Charter be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The Sheriff shall be elected by the people, and he shall hold

office for four years. He shall receive an annual salary of eight thousand dollars, which shall be in full compensation for all official services required of him by law; but said salary shall be exclusive of the compensation received by him from the State for the delivery of prisoners to the State prisons, and insane persons to the State asylums for the insane. He shall have all the powers conferred, and shall discharge all the duties imposed upon the Sheriffs of counties by the general laws of this State.

Section 2. He may appoint the following deputies, who shall each respectively receive the following annual salaries: One deputy designated to act as Under Sheriff and one designated to act as cashier, each twenty-four hundred dollars; one deputy designated to act as bookkeeper, one designated to act as attorney, one designated to act as Superintendent of Jails, and one designated to act as Chief Jailer, each eighteen hundred dollars; seventeen deputies, each fifteen hundred dollars; twenty-nine deputies, each twelve hundred dollars; twelve deputies, each nine hundred dollars, one of whom shall be designated to act as Matron, and another of whom shall be designated to act as stenographer; twenty-two deputies designated as guards, each six hundred dollars.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. C. Saulman was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, raising the objection that five offices were included in the one amendment. He believed that it would be better if the section of the Charter relating to each department was amended by itself.

Motion.

Supervisor Koshland moved to strike out the last part of Section 2 of Amendment, relating to County Clerk's Office, and insert in lieu thereof the words "and such other deputy clerks as may be approved by the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors, who shall fix their compensation.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Aye—*Supervisor Koshland*—1.

Noes—*Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang*—12.

Absent—*Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Mauzy, McCarthy, Payot*—5.

Amendment.

Supervisor Murphy moved to amend by fixing salary at \$5000.

Amendment carried by the following vote:

Ayes—*Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-*

eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—14.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above proposed charter amendment, as amended, was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
phy, Nolan, Vogelsang—14.

Introduced by *Charles Wesley Reed.*

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 3.

The following proposed amendment was read by the Clerk:

Amend Art. VII, Chap. I, as follows:

Article VII.

Public Schools and Libraries.

Chapter I.

Board of Education—Directors—Salary—Term.

Section 1. The School Department shall be under the control and management of a Board of Education composed of twelve School Directors, who shall be appointed by the Mayor. They shall receive no salary, must be residents and citizens of the City and County of San Francisco at the time of appointment, and be over the age of twenty-five years. The term of office of the Directors shall be six years, but the terms of office of those first appointed shall be so arranged that two Directors shall retire each year.

President—Secretary—Salary.

Section 2. The Board shall elect one of its members as President; and a Secretary, who shall receive an annual salary not to exceed four thousand dollars, to be fixed by the Board. They shall serve at the pleasure of the Board. The Secretary shall perform such duties as may be assigned to him by the Board.

Section 3. The Board shall meet at least once a week and at such other times as it may determine. It shall establish rules for its proceedings; but the concurrent vote of a majority of its members shall be necessary to transact business. In every instance where a power is exercised under this article by the Board the vote thereon shall be taken by ayes and noes and entered in the minutes of the Board.

CHAPTER II.

SCHOOLS.

School Department.

Section 1. The School Department shall comprise all the public schools of the City and County and shall include primary, grammar and high

schools and may include evening, deportment, technical, cosmopolitan and normal schools.

Night Schools.

Section 2. Adults shall be entitled to free instruction in the evening schools; but no child under sixteen years of age shall be admitted to such schools.

CHAPTER III.

Powers of the Board of Education.

Section 1. The Board of Education shall have the powers conferred by the general laws of the State, and in addition thereto shall have power:

Establish and Change Schools.

1. To establish and maintain public schools as provided in this Article, and to change, modify, consolidate or discontinue the same as the public welfare may require.

Teachers — Salaries — Promotion and Dismissal.

2. To employ such teachers and other subordinates as may be necessary to carry into effect its powers and duties; to fix, alter and approve their salaries and compensation; to promote, transfer and dismiss teachers, but no teacher in the departments at the time of the adoption of this charter, or who shall be hereafter appointed shall be dismissed from the department except for incompetence, immorality, insubordination or unprofessional conduct, upon written charges made to the Board of Education by the Superintendent of Schools or upon sworn charges made by any citizen. Charges against teachers shall be heard by the Board of Education at which time the accused shall have the right to defend in person or by counsel, and to produce witnesses in her or his behalf. The Board of Education shall make rules for the trial of such teachers, and when rendered its judgment shall be final, and not subject to review by any other tribunal.

All appointments to positions as teacher shall be for a probationary period of not less than two years, and shall not become regular except upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and approval of the Board of Education.

The Board of Education shall have power to make appointments of experienced teachers to the department, who at the time of their appointment may not be residents of the City and County of San Francisco.

The Board of Education shall make rules for the promotion of teachers, which shall be based on merit. Nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent the Board from removing

teachers holding special certificates or serving a probationary term.

All subordinates employed by the Board of Education shall be subject to the Civil Service Regulation of Article XIII of the Charter, except teachers, the Superintendent of School and Deputy Superintendents.

Certificates.

3. To grant, renew and for causes mentioned in Section 1, Subdivision 2, of this chapter, to revoke teachers' certificates.

Rules and Regulations.

4. To establish and enforce all necessary rules and regulations for the government and efficiency of the schools, and for carrying into effect the School System; to remedy truancy, and to compel the attendance at school of children between the ages of six and fifteen years.

Investigate Charges.

5. To investigate charges against any person connected with or in the employ of the School Department, and to take testimony in such investigations.

Hold and Lease Property.

6. To receive, to take on lease and to hold in trust for the City and County any real estate belonging to or claimed by the School Department. To hold in trust all personal property that may have been or may hereafter be acquired by the School Department.

Actions.

7. To sue in the name of the City and County for lots, lands and property belonging to or claimed by the School Department. To prosecute and defend all actions at law or special proceedings or suits in equity concerning the enjoyment and possession of such lots, lands and property. To require the services of the City Attorney in all actions, suits and proceedings by or against the Board of Education.

Disbursement of Moneys—Segregation of Fund.

8. To establish regulations for the disbursement of all moneys belonging to the School Department or to the Common School Fund, and to secure strict accountability in the expenditure thereof; to provide for the prompt payment, not later than the fifth day of every month, of all salaries due and allowed officers, teachers and employes of the School Department. For this purpose the Auditor shall annually segregate all moneys received from the State School Fund and the State School Tax, all moneys received from the State High School Tax, and in addition to the foregoing, so much of the money

appropriated in the annual tax levy by the Board of Supervisors as shall make a total sum equal to the total of the annual teachers' salary roll, as fixed by the Board of Education. The money thus segregated shall be designated the Teachers' Salary Fund and shall be expended for no other purpose than in payment of teachers' salaries. Any balance of the Teachers' Salary Fund remaining unexpended at the close of the fiscal year shall be carried over and made a part of the same fund for the next fiscal year.

Demands to Be Filed and Signed—Salary Roll.

9. All demands, except for salaries payable out of the Common School Fund, shall be filed with the Secretary of the Board of Education, and after being approved by the Board shall be sent to the Auditor. The certificate of the Secretary of the approval of the Board shall be competent evidence of the fact. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Board to make up the entire monthly salary roll of the School Department, and after the same shall be approved by the Board of Education, that fact shall be certified to by the endorsement of a majority of the Board of Education and the Secretary of the Board. The salary roll so endorsed shall be made in duplicate and one each shall be transmitted to the Auditor and to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, not later than the third day of every month, after the same shall be approved in writing by the Auditor, and filed with the Treasurer. The Secretary of the Board shall issue to each person entitled thereto a salary demand on the Treasurer in substantially the following form:

San Francisco, January 1, 1912.

Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco.

Please pay to Jane Smith or order the sum of one hundred dollars, salary for the month of December, 1911, as shown by the salary roll heretofore filed with you.

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE
CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN
FRANCISCO.

By
Secretary.

It shall be competent for the Treasurer to pay any such salary demand when endorsed by the person entitled thereto as shown by the salary roll on file, provided the salary roll shall have been audited by the Auditor.

It shall be competent for the Auditor to audit and the Treasurer to pay any individual salary warrant endorsed by a majority of the Board of Edu-

cation and the Secretary of the Board of Education.

Leasing of School Property.

10. To lease to the highest responsible bidder for the benefit of the Common School Fund, for a term not exceeding thirty-five years, any real property of the School Department not required for school purposes; but no lease shall be made except after advertisement for bids for at least sixty days in the official newspaper and one other daily newspaper of general circulation published in the City and County, and by an affirmative vote of at least three members of the Board of Education and approved by an ordinance of the Board of Supervisors, passed by a vote of at least fifteen of its members, and approved by the Mayor; and provided that at the expiration of the term of said lease all buildings and improvements erected shall revert to and become the property of the School Department of the City and County.

11. To receive and manage property or money acquired by bequest or donation in trust for the benefit of any school educational purpose or school library; to carry into effect the terms of any bequest not in conflict with the general laws of this Charter; and to sell such personal property as shall no longer be required for use in the schools. All moneys realized by such sales shall be at once paid into the treasury to the credit of the Common School Fund.

Proposal for Supplies—Provisions Governing Proposals.

Section 2. The Board shall annually, before the first day of May, make a list of supplies estimated to be required by the School Department for the ensuing fiscal year, stating in clear and explicit terms the quantity and kind of articles needed and how and when they shall be delivered, and shall invite proposals for furnishing the same by advertising therefor for at least ten days in the official newspaper.

The provisions of Article II, Chapter III, of this Charter, in regard to the advertising for proposals, the affidavit and security accompanying the same, the presentation and opening of proposals, the awarding of contracts and the security for the performance thereof, shall, so far as the same can be made applicable, apply to all proposals and contracts made, awarded or entered into for furnishing supplies to the School Department. Any contract made in violation of any provision of this Article shall be void.

Annual Report to Supervisors.

Section 3. The Board shall, during

each year, transmit to the Supervisors a report, in writing for the preceding fiscal year, stating the number of schools within its jurisdiction, the length of time they have been kept open, the number of pupils taught in each school, the average daily attendance of pupils in all the public schools, the number, names and salaries of teachers, the dates of their appointments and the character of the certificates held by them, the amount of money drawn from the treasury by the Department during the year, distinguishing the State fund from all others, the purpose for which such money has been expended, with particulars, and such other information as may be required by the State Superintendent, the Supervisors or the Mayor.

Schedule of Salaries.

Section 4. The Board shall between the first and twenty-first days of June of each year, adopt a schedule of salaries for the next ensuing fiscal year for teachers and all employes of the School Department.

CHAPTER IV.

Superintendent of Schools—Appointment—Salary—Qualification.

Section 1. The Superintendent of Common Schools shall be appointed by the Board of Education, and shall hold office at the pleasure of the Board, provided that it shall be competent for the Board of Education to enter into a contract of employment with a superintendent for not more than four years. The Superintendent shall receive a salary of not more and seven thousand five hundred dollars a year to be fixed by the Board of Education. The Superintendent must be entitled to teach in all the grammar grades of the Public Schools of the City and County and need not reside in the City and County of San Francisco at the time of his appointment, it being the design of this section that the most competent educator available anywhere shall be secured to superintend the education of the school children of the City and County of San Francisco, provided that the Superintendent now in office shall serve out his term at his present salary.

Deputy Superintendent.

Section 2. The Superintendent may appoint one Deputy Superintendent for each eight thousand school children in average daily attendance, who shall receive an annual salary to be fixed by the Board of Education, not to exceed four thousand dollars. The Deputies shall hold office at the pleasure of the superintendent, and may reside anywhere at the time of the appointment,

but the superintendent may, with the approval of the Board of Education, make a contract of employment with any deputy for not more than four years.

Duties of Superintendent.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Superintendent:

(1) To discharge the duties imposed by the General Laws of the State.

(2) To enforce all rules and regulations of the Board of Education, and to see that no religious or sectarian books or teachings are allowed in the schools.

(3) The Superintendent shall be the executive official of the Board of Education and all rules and orders of the Board for the management of schools shall be issued by him.

(4) To recommend to the Board of Education such courses of study, changes and improvement in the School Department as he may think desirable, or make recommendations to the Board of Education in regard to the appointment, promotion, or transfer from one school to another, retirement or dismissal of teachers.

(5) To report annually on or before the first day of July each year, all matters pertaining to the condition and progress of the public schools of the City and County during the fiscal year, with such recommendations as he may deem proper.

(6) To report to the Board once a month upon the standing of schools examined by him or his deputies.

City Board of Examination.

Section 4. The Superintendent and his deputies shall constitute the City Board of Examiners and shall have power, subject to the approval of the Board of Education:

To Examine Applicants.

1. To examine applicants and to prescribe a standard of efficiency which shall entitle the person examined to receive:

a. A high school certificate, valid for six years, which shall authorize the holder to teach any primary, grammar or high school in the City and County.

b. A City certificate, grammar grade, valid for six years, which shall authorize the holder to teach any primary or grammar school in the City and County.

c. A city certificate, primary grade, valid for two years, which shall authorize the holder to teach any primary school in the City and County. They shall report the result of the examination to the Board of Education, and the Board shall thereupon issue to the successful candidates the certificates to which they shall be entitled.

d. To recommend applicants for special certificates valid for a period not to exceed six years, upon such special studies as may be authorized by the Board of Education.

Appointment of Teachers Without Examination.

2. To prescribe that holders of diplomas from accepted institutions of learning, of which the University of California and Leland Stanford Jr. University shall be two, may be appointed to positions in the Department without examinations, after having had not less than two years professional training.

3. The Board of Education shall have power to appoint experienced teachers to the Department who at the time of their appointment may be non-residents of the City and County of San Francisco.

4. To recommend to the Board of Education the revocation of any certificate previously granted by the Board for incompetency, immorality, insubordination or unprofessional conduct.

Recommend City Certificates.

5. To recommend the granting of City Certificates, and the renewal thereof, in the manner provided for the granting and the renewal of County Certificates by the County Boards of Education in section seventeen hundred and seventy-five of the Political Code.

CHAPTER V.

School Tax Levy--Annual Estimate for Current Expenses.

Section 1. The Board of Education shall, on or before the first Monday of April in each year, report to the Board of Supervisors an estimate of the amount of money which shall be required during the ensuing fiscal year, for the purpose of meeting the current annual expenses of the School Department, specifying the amount required for supplies to be furnished to pupils; for the supplies needed for the maintenance of schools, laboratories and manual training shops for the repairing and furnishing of buildings; for leasing rooms; for the Teachers' Salary Fund; for the salaries of the Superintendent, the Deputy Superintendents, and all other persons employed in the School Department; and for other expenditures necessary for the administration of the public schools.

Section 2. The Supervisors at the time and in the manner of levying and collecting other City and County taxes shall levy and cause to be collected for the Common School Fund a tax which shall produce when added to the funds received from the State and

from other sources, a revenue sufficient to meet the current annual expenses of the School Department.

Estimate for Permanent Improvements. School Building Tax.

Section 3. The Board of Education shall annually at the time of making its estimate to the Board of Supervisors of the current annual expenses of the School Department, make also a separate estimate to be designated, "Estimate of School Buildings and Grounds." In said Estimate of School Buildings and Grounds, the Board of Education shall report to the Board of Supervisors the amount of money necessary for any or all of the following purposes, which shall be accurately named in said estimate:

1. For acquiring and improving grounds for school purposes.

2. For constructing and equipping school buildings.

3. For the repair, improvement, remodeling or alteration of any school building already erected. It shall be the duty of the Board of Supervisors at the time of and in the manner of levying and collecting other City and County taxes to levy a special tax to be known as the "School Building Tax" and the same shall be sufficient to meet the needs of the School Department in accordance with the Estimate of the School Buildings and Grounds as reported by the Board of Education. Said School Building Fund shall not exceed one-half mill on each dollar of assessed valuation of taxable property in the City and County, and shall not be included within any limits of taxation elsewhere established in this Charter. Said School Building tax shall be expended and applied under the control of the Board of Education for any or all of the purposes set forth in the Estimate of School Buildings and Grounds and for no other purpose.

Extraordinary Expenditures.

Section 4. In case of extreme emergency or great calamity such as disaster from fire, earthquake, riot or public enemy, the Board of Education may, with the approval of the Mayor and Supervisors, incur extraordinary expenditures, in excess of the annual estimates for the repair and construction and furnishing of school houses injured or destroyed. The Supervisors may, by ordinance, cause to be transferred to the Common School Fund for moneys in any other fund not otherwise appropriated, sufficient money to liquidate such expenditures, and provide for the same in the next tax levy of the City and County.

CHAPTER VI.

School Houses and Lots—New School Houses—Plans and Estimates.

Section 1. When any locality in the City and County is unprovided with sufficient accommodations, the Board of Education shall have authority to make plans and specifications for a new school house, and may secure the services of a special architect skilled in school construction to draw such plans and specifications.

The Board may let a contract for the building of such school houses whenever there shall be available funds to pay for the same, said contract to have the approval of the City Attorney as to its form and legality endorsed thereon.

Section 2. Whenever any school house, building, fence or other property belonging to or under the control of the Board of Education needs repairing, alteration or improvement, the Board of Education may cause the same to be done by day's labor, provided, the cost thereof shall not exceed two hundred and fifty dollars; otherwise by contract, under plans and specifications drawn by the Architect of the Board. The Board of Education may call upon the Board of Public Works for the services of an architect, in case it shall be deemed advisable not to engage a special architect of its own.

CHAPTER VII.

Pensions.

The Board of Education shall be empowered by a unanimous vote of all its members, upon the written recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, to award pensions to teachers upon the following terms and conditions:

1st. The teacher to be pensioned must have taught in the schools of the City and County of San Francisco not less than twenty-five years, and must be disabled from teaching by reason of illness or must have attained the age of sixty-five years.

2nd. If the teacher is pensioned by reason of illness and afterwards recovers said teacher shall be at the service of the Board of Education.

3rd. If the teacher to be pensioned has taught twenty-five years and has attained the age of sixty-five years, said teacher shall not be retired on pension unless he, or she, shall be incapacitated from teaching, it being the design of that section that only teachers who are unable to teach efficiently by reason of illness or superannuation shall be pensioned.

4th. The amount of pension to which a teacher is entitled shall be one-half of the average wages that

same teacher has received while teaching in the Department, said average to be attained by dividing the total of the annual salary received by the number of years that the teacher has taught in the City and County of San Francisco.

5th. The Board of Supervisors shall annually apportion in the tax levy a sum sufficient to pay all pensions awarded by the Board of Education in addition to other moneys needed by the school system of the City and County.

6th. The Board of Education shall be empowered to make rules to carry out the purposes of this Chapter and Article.

CHAPTER VIII.

On Public Library and Reading Rooms to be the same as Chapter VII. in the Charter without change.

The amendments to Article VII. shall take effect upon their ratification by the Legislature.

Privilege of the Floor.

A. *Roncovieri*, Superintendent of Schools, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, requesting to be advised as to the reason that caused the Judiciary Committee to recommend that the office of the Superintendent of Schools be made appointive rather than elective. He believed that such action was unprogressive, inasmuch as the slogan of "Progress" was "Let the People Rule." If, he said, it was based on the belief that the schools of San Francisco were inferior to any other schools in the United States, as stated by Charles Wesley Reed, and the election of Superintendents tended to make them inferior, then there might be some reason for the proposed amendment, but, he maintained, the schools of San Francisco can hold their own with any of the schools in the United States.

Miss Fitzgerald, school teacher, representing the Kate Kennedy Club, stated that our schools compared favorably with those of other cities of the United States and that our method of selection of teachers was fifty years in advance of any other city in the country. She declared in favor of the selection of the Superintendent of Schools by vote of the electors rather than appointment by the Board of Education. She believed that if the Superintendent of Schools was the creature of the Board of Education that it would be tantamount to a revocation of the Kate Kennedy decision.

Prof. Pryor, representing the teachers of the public schools, declared that in the school history of San Francisco the poorest Superintendents were those who were appointed and the best were

those who held their office by the will of the people. He mentioned the names of Swett, Denman and Langdon as Superintendents who had been selected by vote of the people and had proven their worth.

Prof. McCarthy, representing the school teachers, also favored the proposition that the Superintendent of Schools should be elected by the people.

Amendment.

Whereupon, Supervisor Hayden submitted the following amendment presented by the teachers and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 1, Chap. IX, Article —, as follows:

Superintendent of Schools and Board of Superintendents.

CHAPTER IV.

Superintendent of Schools—Salary and Term of Office.

Section 1. The Superintendent of Schools of the City and County of San Francisco shall be elected by the qualified electors thereof at each regular gubernatorial election. He shall be by virtue of his office, a member of the Board of Education. He shall receive an annual salary of \$5000. He shall be subject to recall and removal from office by vote of the qualified electors of the City and County in such a manner as this Charter or General Law shall provide for the recall and removal of other elected officers. The incumbent of the office of Superintendent of Schools of the City and County of San Francisco at the time of the approval of this amendment by the Legislature of the State of California shall be and continue to be the Superintendent of Schools of the City and County of San Francisco, provided for by the Constitution and Laws of the State of California and by this charter, until the next succeeding regular gubernatorial election and shall during said time receive an annual salary of \$4000. As a member of the Board of Education, the Superintendent shall have a right to vote, except upon any charges preferred by him.

Motion.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher moved as a substitute for the whole that the entire matter, including Supt. Hayden's amendment, be recommitted to the Judiciary Committee, and that representatives of school teachers be granted a hearing.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, the Board at the hour of 11:45 p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, October 14, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17..

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of October 7, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Settlement of Controversy Relative to Use of Outer Tracks on Lower Market Street.

The following communication was presented and read by the Clerk:

October 14, 1912.

Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco, Cal.:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of your communication under date of October 9th, as follows:

"Please be advised that the Board of Supervisors on Monday adopted a motion made by Supervisor Vogelsang, requesting you to prepare a draft of settlement with the United Railroads of San Francisco; said proposed settlement to follow the provisions of the Koshland resolution which was adopted previously."

The resolution above referred to is as follows:

1. The United Railroads to dismiss appeal from the decision of the Superior Court forfeiting the Sutter Street Railway franchise, and to stipulate forfeiture of said franchise.

2. The United Railroads to specifically waive all right of action against the City based upon Section 5 of Order No. 1415, granting a franchise to the Market Street Railway Company, which section contains the so-called "five blocks provision."

3. The outer tracks, with overhead equipment, from Sutter street to the Ferry to revert to the possession of the City. In which case the Sutter street cars may run thereon without cost of rental; or, the city will buy the outer tracks and then charge either a monthly rental to the United Railroads for the use of said outer tracks, or charge the United Railroads one-half of

the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement.

4. The city will give permit to the United Railroads for running Sutter street cars through to the Ferry on the outer tracks, said permit to hold good till the date of expiration of original, nor forfeited, franchise.

5. The city to have the right to string its wires for the operation of its cars on Market street from Geary street to the Ferry upon the poles of the United Railroads without any charge or compensation therefor.

6. The electric current used from the United Railroads to be paid for in proportion to use by respective parties.

7. Transfers to be exchanged under proper restrictions at the intersection of the Municipal Railway with the Divisadero, Fillmore, Larkin, and possibly other street lines of the United Railroads.

8. All Municipal Railway cars to run through to the Ferry upon the outer tracks from Kearny street.

9. The City to have the right to operate its Municipal Railway on Point Lobos avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads, if, and when, it so desires upon payment of proportionate cost of construction and maintenance.

Upon receipt of the above I immediately conferred with the law department of the United Railroads and the Sutter Street Railway Company and found them willing to agree to all of the terms of the above resolution with the exception of Sections 3 and 7, which they modify. In reference to Section 3 the Sutter Street Railway Company agrees to sell to the City a one-half interest in the outer tracks and equipments, the value of which is to be fixed by a representative of the City and a representative of the company, who shall have the right to choose a third in case they cannot agree, but, in any event, the companies agree that the cost to the city shall not exceed \$25,000.00.

The United Railroads agrees to transfer at Divisadero and Fillmore streets, as those roads intersect the Geary Municipal Street Railroad, but does not agree to issue transfers at the intersection of Geary and Larkin streets.

In regard to Section 1, the agreement is to ask the Supreme Court of the State of California to affirm the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco in the case of People vs. Sutter Street Railway Company, adding to the judgment of affirmance a modification in the following words: "Except as such street railway may and shall be maintained and operated by defendant, Sut-

ter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, in accordance with the terms of the said ordinance adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to compromise and settle this litigation, which ordinance is known as Order No. —, passed by the Board of Supervisors October 14, 1912, and approved by the Mayor of said City and County of San Francisco, October —, 1912.”

This modification follows the judgment of the Superior Court wherein the Sutter Street Railway Company is excluded from the franchise and privilege of maintaining the outer or any street railway tracks on Market street, or any part thereof from the City Front to Sutter street, and from maintaining or operating a street railway track thereon and from maintaining or operating a street railroad on Market street or any part thereof, from the City Front to Sutter street.

In my judgment this places the city in a stronger position than if the appeal of the Sutter Street Railway Company was merely dismissed, for this makes the judgment in the Sutter street case a final judgment by the court of last resort.

After conferring with the two companies interested, I took the matter up individually with many members of the Board of Supervisors, and it was the consensus of opinion that I should transmit to the Board a modified agreement which does not strictly comply with the terms of the resolution transmitted to me, but which seems to meet the desires of the Board.

It will be remembered that when the Board of Supervisors, in July, 1908, had under consideration the applications of the Sutter Street Railway Company for a temporary permit to operate cars propelled by electricity upon the outer tracks on lower Market street, the Board, on October 26, 1908, adopted the following resolution:

“Resolution No. 2857 (New Series), offering to the Sutter Street Railroad Company, subject to certain conditions, a permit to maintain and operate cars by an overhead trolley over the tracks of said company on Market street, between Sansome and Sutter streets and the Ferry, for the unexpired term, to-wit, November 14, 1929, of the franchise granted to said company by Order No. 1525, approved November 14, 1879.

Whereas, Various mercantile and civic organizations and numerous property owners have petitioned the Board of Supervisors to grant to the Sutter street Railroad Company a temporary overhead trolley permit over the outer tracks of said company on lower Market street; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Sutter Street Railroad Company be and is hereby offered a permit to maintain and operate cars by an overhead trolley over the tracks of said company on Market street, between Sansome and Sutter streets and the Ferry for the unexpired term, to-wit: To November 14, 1929, of the franchise granted to said company by Order No. 1525, approved November 14, 1879; provided, however, that before such permit shall be granted, that said Sutter Street Railroad Company and said United Railroads of San Francisco shall file with the Board of Supervisors a stipulation in writing, agreeing to grant the municipal authorities a right of way for a municipally owned and operated street railroad over said tracks of said Sutter Street Railroad Company on Market street in common with said Sutter Street Railroad Company and said United Railroads of San Francisco, said stipulation to be approved as to form by the City Attorney.”

Subsequent to that time, after the failure of the Sutter Street Railway Company to accept a temporary permit which would permit the use of the outer tracks by the Geary Street Railroad when operated, the Board of Supervisors on February 28, 1910, directed the City Attorney to request the Attorney General to bring an action for annulment of the franchise of the Sutter Street Railway Company. In accordance with that direction the Attorney General of the State of California granted permission to commence an action in quo warranto in the name of the People of the State of California vs. Sutter Street Railway Company to forfeit the franchise theretofore held by that company on Market street from Sansome street to the city front. The Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, on the 24th day of November, 1911, ordered judgment in favor of the plaintiff in accordance with the prayer of the complaint; on January 31, 1912, defendant, Sutter Street Railway Company, gave notice of intention to move for a new trial; on June 29, 1912, the Superior Court denied the motion of the Sutter Street Railway Company for a new trial and on the same date defendant gave notice of appeal from the order denying defendant's motion for a new trial; on the 24th of August, 1912, the transcript on appeal was filed.

By the resolution of the Board of Supervisors above mentioned, the policy of the Board has been declared in favor of a settlement in the existing controversy between the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads on the one hand, and the City and County of San Francisco on the

other hand, and I have endeavored, in accordance with the request of the Board, to prepare a settlement which would carry out the wishes of the Board. With the minor exceptions as to paragraphs three and seven of that resolution, I have prepared such a settlement which is agreed to by the railroad companies. In my judgment the rights of the city are fully protected, for the modifications above mentioned agree with the policy of your Board declared in October, 1908, wherein the principal point at issue was the grant of right to the Municipal Railroad to run to the city front over the so-called outer tracks of the Sutter Street Railway Company.

In addition, substantial other concessions are secured to the City by this settlement and I recommend

1st. That the agreement offered by the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads to the City and County of San Francisco be accepted;

2nd. That an ordinance embodying the terms of such settlement be adopted by your Honorable Board;

3rd. That the City Attorney be directed to stipulate with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads that the ordinance of your Honorable Board be carried into effect by moving an affirmation of the judgment in the case of the People of the State of California vs. the Sutter Street Railway Company as modified by the agreement hereinabove mentioned. And further, that the Attorney General of the State of California be requested by your Honorable Board to consent to become a party to such stipulation.

Respectfully,

PERCY V. LONG,

City Attorney

Whereupon the following matters were presented, read by the Clerk and adopted:

Agreement Prepared by City Attorney.

Resolution No. 9737 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, On the 30th day of September, 1912, the Board of Supervisors made the following offer of settlement to the United Railroads of San Francisco with reference to disputed rights on lower Market street and with regard to the construction and operation of a municipal street railway, to-wit:

Resolution No. 9720 (New Series).

Be it Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors hereby makes the following offer of settlement to the United Railroads Company with reference to disputed rights on lower Market street; and with regard to the con-

struction and operation of the Municipal Street Railway:

1. The United Railroads to dismiss appeal from the decision of the Superior Court forfeiting the Sutter Street Railway franchise, and to stipulate forfeiture of said franchise.

2. The United Railroads to specifically waive all rights of action against the city based upon Section 5 of Order No. 1415 granting a franchise to the Market Street Railway Company, which section contains the so-called "five blocks provision."

3. The outer tracks, with overhead equipment, from Sutter street to the Ferry to revert to the possession of the City. In which case the Sutter street cars may run thereon without cost of rental; or the City will buy the outer tracks and then charge either a monthly rental to the United Railroads for the use of said outer tracks, or charge the United Railroads one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement.

4. The City will give permit to the United Railroads for running Sutter street cars through to the Ferry on the outer tracks, said permit to hold good till the date of expiration of original, now forfeited, franchise.

5. The City to have the right to string its wires for the operation of its cars on Market street from Geary street to the Ferry upon the poles of the United Railroads without any charge or compensation therefor.

6. The electric current used from the United Railroads to be paid for in proportion to use by respective parties.

7. Transfers to be exchanged under proper restrictions at the intersection of the Municipal Railway with the Divisadero, Fillmore, Larkin, and possibly other street lines of the United Railroads.

8. All Municipal Railway cars to run through to the Ferry upon the outer tracks from Kearny street.

9. The City to have the right to operate its Municipal Railway on Point Lobos avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads, if, and when, it so desires, upon payment of proportionate cost of construction and maintenance.

And Whereas, The United Railroads of San Francisco and the Sutter Street Railway Company have agreed to the following:

1st. The Sutter Street Railway Company will consent to an affirmation by the Supreme Court of the State of California of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco in the case of The People of the State of California, *ex rel*

D. S. O'Brien v. The Sutter Street Railway Company, which judgment was rendered on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book 51, page 471, said judgment of affirmance to include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court by adding after the words "from maintaining or operating a street railway on Market street or any part thereof from the City Front to Sutter street" the words "except as such street railway may and shall be maintained and operated by defendant, Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, in accordance with the terms of the stipulation entered into between the parties as follows":

2nd. The United Railroads waiving its rights to object to the use of Market street from Geary street to the City Front under the provisions of Section 5 of Order 1514 of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco and under the provisions of Section 499 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and hereby consenting to the operation of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street.

3rd. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, and the City and County of San Francisco, through its municipal street railway, to have joint ownership and use of the outer tracks and overhead equipment on Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon payment by the City of one-half of the cost of construction of said outer tracks and overhead equipment, it being understood and agreed that each of the parties to the agreement shall be liable and shall pay one-half of the value of maintenance, repair and replacement of said outer tracks and overhead equipment after joint operation shall have commenced. Said value to be determined by a representative of the City and a representative of the railway who shall, in the event of a disagreement, select a third party to act as arbitrator, it being agreed that in no event shall the City pay more than Twenty-five Thousand (25,000) Dollars for its half interest. It is further agreed that at the expiration of the privilege herein granted to the Sutter Street Railway Company the said railway shall receive from the City fifty (50) per cent of the value of its one-half interest in said tracks and equipment, said value to be determined in the same manner as the present determination is to be arrived at.

4th. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, accept and is

hereby granted the privilege to operate its railroad over the outer tracks with electricity by means of the overhead trolley system for the period of years up to and including the 14th day of November, 1929. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, agreeing that it will not attempt to operate any cars over said outer tracks other than those now regularly operated on Sutter street, such other cars as the Board of Supervisors may, by ordinance, permit to be run. The time schedule and rights of way of the Sutter street cars on Market street and the United Railroads cars on Kearny street at the intersection of Geary street and at the intersection of Market street to be settled by agreement between the superintendent of the Sutter Street Railway and the United Railroads on the one hand and the superintendent of the Municipal Street Railway on the other and in case of disagreement the two to select a third person to act as arbitrator.

5th. The City and County of San Francisco will have the right to string its wires for the operation of the cars of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front upon the poles of the United Railroads without any charge or compensation therefor.

6th. The electric current made use of from the United Railroads by the Municipal Street Railway to be paid for by the City and County of San Francisco in proportion to its use.

In arriving at the charge for current the car miles operated over the joint tracks will be multiplied by the number of kilowatt hours per car mile used by these cars, and the product in turn, multiplied by the price per kilowatt hour, which will be the cost price to the United Railroads. If this exceeds the price paid by the City for street railway purposes the United Railroads will base its charge upon the same price as that paid by the City.

7th. Transfers to be exchanged, under proper restrictions, at the intersection of the Municipal Street Railway with the Divisadero and Fillmore lines of the United Railroads, City to have option to abrogate this arrangement.

8th. The cars of the Municipal Street Railway will run through to the City Front upon the tracks to be constructed on Market street from Kearny street to Sutter street and thence upon Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon the so-called outer tracks heretofore constructed by the Sutter Street Railway Company.

9th. It is understood and agreed by the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads on their part that this agreement shall cover the loops at the City Front.

10th. The City and County of San Francisco to have the right to operate its municipal street railway from Point Lobos avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads when it so desires upon the payment of an equal proportion for the cost of construction of the tracks and appurtenances used by such railways jointly.

11th. No word or expression in this agreement shall be construed as granting the Sutter Street Railway, or its assigns a right on Market street beyond November 14th, 1929.

12th. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to be a waiver on the part of the Board of Supervisors of its right to regulate street railroad operation in the City and County of San Francisco.

Be it resolved, That the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco is hereby authorized and requested to execute an agreement with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco whereby the City and County of San Francisco binds itself to perform on its part all that it is required to do under the terms of the agreement hereinabove set forth and whenever such agreement so executed by the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco and the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco shall have been filed with the Board of Supervisors then and in that event the City Attorney shall be and he is hereby requested, directed and authorized to enter into such agreement and stipulation as will carry out the purpose and intent of this resolution. And as a part of such stipulation and agreement upon the conditions and terms aforesaid the City Attorney is authorized, directed and requested to consent to the affirmation by the Supreme Court of the State of California and the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco as modified by the agreement hereinbefore set forth in the case of The People of the State of California v. The Sutter Street Railway Company.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Directing City Attorney and Requesting Attorney General to Enter Into Stipulations for Settlement of Litigation.

Also, Resolution No. 9738 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, By resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, the City Attorney was directed to prepare a settlement between said City and County on the one hand and the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco on the other, wherein and whereby existing controversies and litigation in which the City is interested, involving the rights to use the tracks constructed and claimed by the Sutter Street Railway Company and the right of the United Railroads of San Francisco to object to the use of Market street from Geary street to the City Front by a municipal street railway; and

Whereas, A settlement has been agreed upon between the parties hereto under which and by which the rights of all the parties herein mentioned (Market street from Geary street to the City Front) have been agreed upon and defined; and

Whereas, There is pending in the Supreme Court of the State of California an appeal on the part of the Sutter Street Railway Company in the case of the People of the State of California vs. the Sutter Street Railway Company, which said action was begun at the request of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco; and

Whereas, In the agreement entered into between the parties herein mentioned it is provided that a judgment of affirmance be consented to, which said judgment of affirmance will include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco by adding after the words "the Sutter Street Railway Company is excluded from the franchise and privilege of maintaining the outer or any street railway tracks on Market street, or any portion thereof, from the City Front to Sutter street and from maintaining or operating a street railway track thereon and from maintaining and operating a street railroad on Market street or any part thereof, from the City Front to Sutter street" the words "except as such street railway may and shall be maintained and operated by defendant, the Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, in accordance with the terms of the stipulation entered into between the parties hereto;" and

Whereas, The City Attorney has recommended the settlement of such litigation in accordance with the terms of the agreement heretofore authorized by this Board. Now, therefore, be it

Ordained, That the City Attorney is directed and hereby ordered to enter into such stipulation with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco as will carry into effect the agreement

hereinabove mentioned, and the Attorney General of the State of California is hereby requested to join in such stipulation and to give his consent to the judgment of affirmance mentioned.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the following bill was introduced and *passed for printing* under suspension of the rules:

Granting Sutter Street Railway Company Permission to and Including November 14, 1929, to Operate an Overhead Trolley System on Lower Market in Accordance With the Terms and Agreements This Day Authorized.

Bill No. 2280, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Granting to the Sutter Street Railway Company or its assigns permission to maintain cars and an overhead trolley over the tracks jointly owned by the City and County of San Francisco and said company or its assigns on Market street, between Sansome and Sutter streets and the Ferry, for the unexpired term, to wit, from November 14, 1929, and the franchise granted to said company by Order No. 1525, approved November 14, 1879.

Whereas, On the 14th day of October, 1912, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco by resolution agreed with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco as follows:

1st. The Sutter Street Railway Company will consent to an affirmance by the Supreme Court of the State of California the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco in the case of The People of the State of California *ex rel* D. S. O'Brien *v.* The Sutter Street Railway Company, which judgment was rendered on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book 51, page 471, said judgment of affirmance to include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court by adding after the words "from maintaining or operating a street railway on Market street or any part thereof from the City Front to Sutter street" the words "except as such street railway may and shall be maintained and operated by defendant, Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, in accordance with the terms of the stipulation entered into between the parties as follows":

2nd. The United Railroads waiving its right to object to the use of Market street from Geary street to the City

Front under provisions of Section 5 of Order 1514 of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco and under the provisions of Section 499 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and hereby consenting to the operation of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street.

3rd. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, and the City and County of San Francisco, through its Municipal Street Railway, to have joint ownership and use of the outer tracks and overhead equipment on Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon payment by the City of one-half of the cost of construction of said outer tracks and overhead equipment, it being understood and agreed that each of the parties to the agreement shall be liable and shall pay one-half of the value of maintenance, repair and replacement of said outer tracks and overhead equipment after joint operation shall have commenced. Said value to be determined by a representative of the City and a representative of the Railway who shall, in the event of a disagreement, select a third party to act as arbitrator, it being agreed that in no event shall the City pay more than Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars for its half interest. It is further agreed that at the expiration of the privilege herein granted to the Sutter Street Railway Company the said Railway shall receive from the city fifty (50) per cent of the value of its one-half interest in said tracks and equipment, said value to be determined in the same manner as the present determination is to be arrived at.

4th. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, accept and is hereby granted the privilege to operate its railroad over the outer tracks with electricity by means of the overhead trolley system for the period of years up to and including the 14th day of November, 1929. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, agreeing that it will not attempt to operate any cars over said outer tracks other than those now regularly operated on Sutter street, and such other cars as the Board of Supervisors may, by ordinance, permit to be run. The time schedule and rights of way of the Sutter street cars on Market street and the United Railroads cars on Kearny street at the intersection of Geary street and at the intersection of Market street to be settled by agreement between the Superintendent of the Sutter Street Railway and the United Railroads on the one hand and the Superintendent of the Municipal Street Railway on the other and in

case of disagreement the two to select a third person to act as arbitrator.

5th. The City and County of San Francisco will have the right to string its wires for the operation of the cars of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front upon the poles of the United Railroads without any charge or compensation therefor.

6th. The electric current made use of from the United Railroads by the Municipal Street Railway to be paid for by the City and County of San Francisco in proportion to its use.

In arriving at the charge for current the car miles operated over the joint tracks will be multiplied by the number of kilowatt hours per mile used by those cars, and the product in turn, multiplied by the price per kilowatt hour, which will be the cost price to the United Railroads. If this exceeds the price paid by the City for street railway purposes the United Railroads will base its charge upon the same price as that paid by the City.

7th. Transfers to be exchanged, under proper restrictions, at the intersection of the Municipal Street Railway with the Divisadero and Fillmore lines of the United Railroads, the City to have the option to abrogate this arrangement.

8th. The cars of the municipal street railway will run through to the City Front upon the tracks to be constructed on Market street from Kearny street to Sutter street and thence upon Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon the so-called outer tracks heretofore constructed by the Sutter Street Railway Company.

9th. It is understood and agreed by the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads on their part that this agreement shall cover the loops at the City Front.

10th. The City and County of San Francisco to have the right to operate its Municipal Street Railway from Point Lobos avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads when it so desires upon the payment of an equal proportion of the cost of construction of the tracks and appurtenances used by such railways jointly.

11th. No word or expression in this agreement shall be construed as granting the Sutter Street Railway, or its assigns, a right on Market street beyond November 14, 1929.

12th. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to be a waiver on the part of the Board of Supervisors of its rights to regulate street railroad operation in the City and County of San Francisco.

Now, therefore, be it ordained by

the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Sutter Street Railway Company or its assigns is hereby granted permission to maintain and operate cars by an overhead trolley over the tracks jointly owned by said company and the City on Market street between Sansome and Sutter Streets to the City Front, for the unexpired term, to wit, to November 14, 1929.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect from and after the date of its approval by the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.—17.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy.—1.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were presented, read and ordered filed:

Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee, by Supervisor Murdock, chairman.

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee, by Supervisor Mauzy, chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolph Koshland, chairman.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$29,432.62 and numbered consecutively 27,029 to 27,549, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

CONSIDERATION OF MAYOR'S VETO.

Repealing Section 7 of Ordinance No. 1958 (New Series), Relating to Bureau of Efficiency.

Bill No. 2197, Ordinance No. 1970 (New Series), entitled, "Repealing Section 7 of Ordinance No. 1958 (New Series), approved July 9, 1912, relating to Bureau of Efficiency," returned by his Honor, the Mayor, without his approval and subsequently ordered referred to the Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee, and returned by said committee with the recommendation that the Mayor's veto be sustained, was taken up, and the vote by which said bill was passed was reconsidered.

Veto Sustained.

The question being "Shall Bill No. 2197, Ordinance No. 1970 (New Series), finally pass, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor, the Mayor?" the roll was called, with the following result:

Ayes—None.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Whereupon, the chair declared the motion lost and the Mayor's veto sustained.

Refused Passage.

The following bill, heretofore referred to the Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee, and returned by said committee with the recommendation that same be passed for printing, was taken up and refused passage by the following vote:

Prohibiting Use of City's Motor Vehicles Outside of City Limits.

Bill —, Prohibiting the use of motor vehicles owned by the City and County of San Francisco outside of the limits of such city and county.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Jennings, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—7.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan, Vogelsang—10.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Authorizations.

Supervisor Jennings presented:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Geo. F. Bartlett, transporta-

tion, Hetch Hetchy investigation (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)

\$ 743.75
Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue, 1910.

Dyer Bros., punching, repainting, etc., of beams, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912) \$1,480.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

Louis H. Mooser, appraisements Civic Center lands (claim dated Sept. 11, 1912) \$590.00
Hall of Justice Bond Fund, 1908.

General Electric Construction Company, final payment, electric work, City and County Jail (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912) \$806.00

Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.

Judson Manufacturing Company, first payment, steel frame, Islais Creek Incinerator (claim dated Oct. 9, 1912) \$5,150.00

McLean, Haggans & Aden, fourth payment, general construction Islais Creek Incinerator (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912) 1,898.87

Sewer Construction Account, Bond Fund, 1904.

State Improvement Company, first payment, Ocean avenue sewer (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912) \$ 808.65

Karl Ehrhart, first payment, Woolsey street sewer (claim dated Oct. 7, 1912) 1,815.49

C. J. Harney, first payment, Brannan street sewer (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912) 1,085.63

Hospital Fund, 1908.

Pacific Fire Extinguisher Company, first payment, heating and ventilating San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912) \$ 600.00

J. H. Eisenhart, final payment, bake oven, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Sept. 28, 1912) 924.00

Roebeling Constructing Company, additional metal furring, etc., San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Sept. 24, 1912) 651.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

T. W. McClenahan, second payment, construction, Ashbury Heights pump house (claim dated Oct. 9, 1912) \$2,261.59

Michael Murphy, eleventh payment, hauling and laying cast iron high-pressure mains, section 4 (claim dated Oct. 5, 1912) 4,172.45

School Bond Fund, 1908.

Palace Hardware Company, extra hardware, Lowell

High School (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912)	\$ 881.50
Palace Hardware Company, in full, hardware, Lowell High School (claim dated Sept. 23, 1912)	2,912.00
Palm Vacuum Cleaning Company, final payment, vacuum cleaning, Grattan School (claim dated Sept. 13, 1912)	620.00
Palm Vacuum Cleaning Company, final payment, vacuum cleaning, Lincoln School (claim dated Sept. 13, 1912)	887.00

General Fund, 1912-13.

H. S. Crocker Company, directories, Budget Item No. 29 (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912)	\$ 522.00
Spring Valley Water Company, water for sprinkling streets (claim dated Aug. 5, 1912)	881.44
Wold & Kahn, first payment, general construction, Engine House No. 46 (claim dated Sept. 23, 1912)	4,962.00
O. C. Holt, third payment, general construction, Engine House No. 28 (claim dated Oct. 8, 1912)	2,250.00
Fay Improvement Company, sixth payment, street work, Howard street, Second to Fourth (claim dated Sept. 19, 1912)	1,500.00
Fay Improvement Company, final payment, street work, Howard street, Second to Fourth (claim dated Sept. 19, 1912)	1,500.00
Associated Oil Company, fuel oil, Fire Department (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	670.17
J. O. Keefe & Co., hay, Fire Department (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	1,897.76
Producers' Hay Company, grain, Fire Department (claim dated Sept. 27, 1912)	1,590.89
Associated Oil Company, fuel oil, Fire Department (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	512.00
Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	1,229.87
Peter Caubu, milk, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	643.50
Sherry-Freitas Company, groceries, Relief Home (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	1,423.56
Producers' Hay Company, grain, Police Department (claim dated Sept. 27, 1912)	507.48
Dakin Publishing Company,	

reproducing maps for Recorder (claim dated Oct. 9, 1912)	700.50
<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.</i>	

Van Ness Company, for land for Civic Center purposes on easterly line of Van Ness avenue, from Grove to Fulton street, and of irregular depth	\$384,342.63
Margaret L. Bradley and Annie L. Wallace, for land for Civic Center purposes, southwest corner of Polk and Grove streets	70,104.88

Amendment.

Supervisor Jennings moved to amend by striking out item of \$4,172.45 in payment to Michael Murphy.
Amendment carried.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the above resolution, as amended, was *passed for printing.*

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing:*

Appropriations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

<i>For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 549.</i>	
For paying city's portion of construction of sewer in San Jose avenue, from Santa Ynez avenue to Havelock street, in front of city property	\$ 460.00
For paying city's portion of construction of sewer in San Jose avenue, from the northerly line of Santa Ynez avenue to a point 135 feet southerly from the southerly line thereof	305.00
For setting back curbs in Ninth street, from Market street to Howard street	2,250.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

For completion of construction of Ashbury Heights pump house	\$27.00
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City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

For purchase from Bernard G. Healy, for Civic Center purposes, lot 25 x 120, on northerly line of Fulton street, 150 feet west of Polk street	\$1,016.36
For purchase from Margaret L. Bradley and Annie L. Wallace, for Civic Center	

purposes, lot $110\frac{1}{2} \times 137\frac{1}{2}$ feet, southwest corner of Polk and Grove streets.... 70,104.88
 For purchase from Van Ness Company, for Civic Center purposes, lot on easterly line of Van Ness avenue, running from Grove to Fulton street, and of irregular depth 384,342.63

Urgent Necessities.

For Tax Collector, for expenses in the matter of the Stockton street tunnel.... \$200.00
 Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$13,800.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910, under the direction of the City Engineer, for continuing investigation of water supply and perfecting the rights of San Francisco in re the Sierra water supply, to be expended as follows:

For further investigation of the claims of the Spring Valley Water Company in re the volume of water in the Alameda system \$1,400.00
 For engineers' appraisal of Spring Valley water system 3,500.00
 For investigation of claims of the Turlock-Modesto irrigation district 500.00
 For construction of a telephone line between Hamilton and Portulaca, and between Portulaca and Eleanor 1,500.00
 For construction of roads in the vicinity of Priest's Hill 2,500.00
 For the purchase of gauging apparatus and other scientific instruments 5,000.00
 For investigation of McCloud project 500.00

Resolved Further, That the City Engineer is hereby authorized and directed to expend out of Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910, not to exceed \$200.00 per month for the construction of trails, roads and other necessary work to maintain the rights of the city at the Early intake designated in the Freeman report.

Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocation permits are hereby granted:

Boilers—M. Forlatti, 599 Bay street, eight-horse power, for boiling soap; Marron Bros., 121-123 Wilnot street, four-horse power, for sterilizing milk utensils and pasteurizing milk.

Extension of Time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That F. W. McClenahan & Company are hereby granted an extension of fourteen days' time from and after September 12, 1912, within which to complete Contract No. 32, general construction of Ashbury Heights Pump House in connection with the Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection; and be it

Further resolved, That the advertising fees for printing this Resolution are hereby remitted:

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 446.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Theo. M. Mikkelsen to maintain a stable for three horses in premises situate on the northerly line of Twenty-seventh street, 240 feet easterly from the easterly line of Sanchez street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Mauzy *indefinitely postponed*:

Declaratory Ordinance, Bond Issue, Acquisition Sutro Property, Twin Peaks Park Lands, Etc.

Bill No. 2279, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Determining and declaring that the public interest requires the acquisition of certain lands and improvements thereon for municipal purposes, to-wit: For the purpose of a public park and pleasure and recreation grounds and such other public purposes as may be determined by the Board of Supervisors; such lands being a portion of the "Sutro Property" located contiguous to Lincoln Park; and further, that the public interest requires the completion of certain permanent municipal building, to-wit, the County Jail and the San Francisco Hospital; also the acquisition of lands for a public aquatic park; and also the acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park; and that the cost thereof, in addition to the other expenses of the City and County will exceed the income and revenue provided for the City and County for any one year; and directing the Board of Public Works to procure and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of cost of original construction and completion of such permanent municipal buildings and

improvements, and the estimate of the cost of the acquisition of such lands.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby determined and declared that the public interest requires the acquisition by the City and County of San Francisco of the following lands and improvements and also the completion of the following permanent buildings and improvements:

PROPOSITION ONE.

The acquisition of certain lands, being a portion of the "Sutro Property," located in the City and County of San Francisco contiguous to and in the vicinity of Lincoln Park, and embraced in a certain offer of the heirs of Adolph Sutro to the City and County dated on or about August 22, 1912.

Together with the improvements thereon to be used for the purposes of a public park, and pleasure and recreation grounds, and such other public purposes as may be determined by the Board of Supervisors.

PROPOSITION TWO.

The completion of the permanent municipal buildings known as and to be used as the County Jail and the San Francisco Hospital.

PROPOSITION THREE.

The acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Van Ness avenue at its north-easterly termination to be used as a Public Aquatic Park.

PROPOSITION FOUR.

The acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park.

Section 2. It is further determined and declared that the cost of the acquisition of the aforesaid lands and improvements and of the completion of the aforementioned buildings and improvements, or of any of the aforementioned buildings, improvements, or lands, in addition to the other expenses of the City and County will exceed the income and revenue provided for the City and County for any one year and will render it necessary to incur a bonded indebtedness therefor.

Section 3. The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to procure and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of cost of original construction and completion and acquisition of all the buildings and improvements described in the several propositions set forth in section one of this ordinance, and estimates of cost of the lands so set forth in section one of this Ordinance.

Section 4. This Ordinance is the first of a series of Ordinances which

will be adopted under and by virtue of which it is proposed that the municipal bonded indebtedness of said City and County will be incurred for the several purposes herein enumerated.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper for fourteen days and shall take effect immediately.

Substitute Bill Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the following substitute for the foregoing was introduced by Supervisor Mauzy and passed for printing by the following vote:

Bill No. 2281, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

Determining and declaring that the public interest requires the acquisition, construction or completion of certain municipal improvements and the acquisition of lands, as follows: (1) the acquisition of certain lands and improvements thereon, being a portion of "Sutro Property" located contiguous to Lincoln Park; (2) the completion of certain municipal buildings known as the San Francisco Hospital and County Jail; (3) the acquisition of certain lands for a public aquatic park; (4) the acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park; (5) the construction of a fire and police signal system (including buildings) and the acquisition of lands therefor; declaring that the cost thereof, in addition to the other expenses of the City and County will exceed the income and revenue provided for the City and County for any one year; and directing the Board of Public Works to procure and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of cost of original construction and completion of such permanent municipal buildings and improvements, and the estimate of the cost of the acquisition of such lands.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section. 1. It is hereby determined and declared that the public interest requires the acquisition, construction or completion of certain municipal improvements and the acquisition of lands as follows:

PROPOSITION ONE.

The acquisition of certain lands, being a portion of the "Sutro Property," located in the City and County of San Francisco contiguous to and in the vicinity of Lincoln Park, and embraced in a certain offer of the heirs of Adolph Sutro to the City and County dated on or about August 22, 1912.

Together with the improvements thereon to be used for the purposes of

a public park, and pleasure and recreation grounds, and such other public purposes as may be determined by the Board of Supervisors.

PROPOSITION TWO.

The completion of the permanent municipal buildings known as and to be used as the County Jail and the San Francisco Hospital.

PROPOSITION THREE.

The acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Van Ness avenue at its northerly termination to be used as a Public Aquatic Park.

PROPOSITION FOUR.

The acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park.

PROPOSITION FIVE.

The construction and completion of a fire and police signal system, including the necessary buildings, and the acquisition of lands therefor.

Section 2. It is further determined and declared that the cost of the acquisition of the aforesaid lands and improvements and of the completion of the aforementioned buildings and improvements, or of any of the aforementioned buildings, improvements, or lands, in addition to the other expenses of the City and County will exceed the income and revenue provided for the City and County for any one year and will render it necessary to incur a bonded indebtedness therefor.

Section 3. The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to procure and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of cost of original construction and completion and acquisition of all the buildings and improvements described in the several propositions set forth in section one of this Ordinance, and estimates of cost of the lands so set forth in section one of this Ordinance.

Section 4. This Ordinance is the first of a series of Ordinances which will be adopted under and by virtue of which it is proposed that the municipal bonded indebtedness of said City and County will be incurred for the several purposes herein enumerated.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper for fourteen days and shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Install and Remove Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:

J. R. No. 447.

Resolved. That the Pacific Gas & Electric Company is hereby instructed to install arc lamps at the following locations, to wit:

Install Arc Lamps.

1 arc lamp on Twenty-eighth avenue opposite No. 2559.

1 arc lamp at corner of Twenty-seventh avenue and Taraval street.

1 arc lamp at corner of Twenty-fifth avenue and Taraval street.

1 arc lamp at corner of Twenty-third avenue and Taraval street.

1 arc lamp on Nineteenth avenue on pole No. 205.

1 arc lamp on Nineteenth avenue on pole No. 185.

1 arc lamp at corner of Twenty-sixth avenue and Irving street.

1 arc lamp at corner of Twelfth avenue and Moraga street.

1 arc lamp at corner of Ninth avenue and Ortega street.

1 arc lamp at corner of Forty-fourth avenue and Kirkham street.

Also, to remove triple top gas lamps and install one single top gas lamp at each of the following locations, to wit:

Northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Dolores streets.

Southwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Dolores streets.

Northwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Mersey streets.

Southeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Chattanooga streets.

Northwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Chattanooga streets.

South side of Twenty-fourth street 125 feet west of Chattanooga street.

Northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Church streets.

Southwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Church streets.

North side of Twenty-fourth street 125 feet west of Church street.

Southeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Vicksburg streets.

Northwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Vicksburg streets.

South side of Twenty-fourth street 125 feet west of Vicksburg street.

Northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Sanchez streets.

Southwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Sanchez streets.

North side of Twenty-fourth street 110 feet west of Sanchez street.

South side of Twenty-fourth street 220 feet west of Sanchez street.

North side of Twenty-fourth street 330 feet west of Sanchez street.

South side of Twenty-fourth

street 440 feet west of Sanchez street.

Northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Noe streets.

Southwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Noe streets.

North side of Twenty-fourth street 110 feet west of Noe street.

South side of Twenty-fourth street 220 feet west of Noe street.

North side of Twenty-fourth street 330 feet west of Noe street.

South side of Twenty-fourth street 440 feet west of Noe street.

Northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Castro streets.

Southwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Castro streets.

North side of Twenty-fourth street 110 feet west of Castro street.

South side of Twenty-fourth street 220 feet west of Castro street.

North side of Twenty-fourth street 330 feet west of Castro street.

South side of Twenty-fourth street 440 feet west of Castro street.

Northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Diamond streets.

Southwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Diamond streets.

North side of Twenty-fourth street 110 feet west of Diamond street.

South side of Twenty-fourth street 220 feet west of Diamond street.

North side of Twenty-fourth street 330 feet west of Diamond street.

South side of Twenty-fourth street 440 feet west of Diamond street.

Northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Douglass streets.

Southwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Douglass streets.

North side of Twenty-fourth street 105 feet west of Douglass street.

Southeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Homestead streets.

Motion.

Supervisor Nolan moved that resolution be recommitted to Lighting and Rates Committee:

Motion *lost* by following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan—8.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland,
Murdock, Murphy, Payot—8.

Absent—Supervisors McCarthy, Vo-
gelsang—2.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution was adopted, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hil-
mer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland,
Mauzy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—12.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gal-
lagher, Hayden, McLeran, Nolan—4.

Absent—Supervisors McCarthy, Vo-
gelsang—2.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution was adopted, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hil-
mer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland,
Mauzy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—12.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gal-
lagher, Hayden, McLeran, Nolan—4.

Absent—Supervisors McCarthy, Vo-
gelsang—2.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gal-
lagher, Hayden, McLeran, Nolan—4.

Absent—Supervisors McCarthy, Vo-
gelsang—2.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 448.

Resolved, That the following named organizations are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the hereinafter named times and locations, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls be devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to wit:

Precita Parlor No. 187, N. S. G. W., at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, on October 26, 1912.

Catalpa Club and Auxiliary, at Cotillion Hall, 159 Church street, on October 25, 1912.

Anna Kalljoinsen Lodge No. 4, Daughters of Norway, at Cotillion Hall, 159 Church street, on November 23, 1912.

South San Francisco Parlor No. 157, N. S. G. W., at Masonic Opera House, Railroad and Newcomb avenues, on November 2, 1912.

Hermann's Sons, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, on February 1, 1913.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Offer of Van Ness Company to Sell for \$384,342.63, Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

Resolution No. 9739 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from the Van Ness Company (a corporation), to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of the Van Ness Company (a corporation), to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes: For the purchase of said land and improve-

ments	\$383,728.48
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed	614.15
	<u>\$384,342.63</u>

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Grove street with the easterly line of Van Ness avenue; running thence northerly along said easterly line of Van Ness avenue 275 feet to the southerly line of Fulton street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fulton street 246 feet 4 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle westerly 62 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 137 feet 6 inches to the northerly line of Grove street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Grove street 184 feet to the said easterly line of Van Ness avenue and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and improvements and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title have been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Offer of Margaret L. Bradley and Annie L. Wallace to Sell for \$70,104.88, Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9740 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Margaret L. Bradley and Annie L. Wallace to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 68, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Margaret L. Bradley and Annie L. Wal-

lace to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements	\$70,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed	104.88
	<u>\$70,104.88</u>

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the intersection of the southerly line of Grove street with the westerly line of Polk street; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Polk street 137 feet 6 inches to the center line of Ivy street; thence westerly along said center line of Ivy street 110 feet 9½ inches; thence at a right angle northerly 137 feet 6 inches to the southerly line of Grove street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Grove street 110 feet 9½ inches to the said westerly line of Polk street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 68.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owners, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2282, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Vallejo street, between the westerly line of Baker street and the easterly line of Lyon street; crossing of Anza street and Sixteenth avenue; crossing of Carl and Willard streets."

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.
Also, Bill No. 2283, Ordinance No.

— (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Miguel street, between Arlington street and the Southern Pacific Railroad right of way; crossing of Clifford street and Upper Terrace; crossing of Geary street and Fifteenth avenue; crossing of Geary street and Sixteenth avenue; crossing of Geary street and Seventeenth avenue."

Fixing Width of Sidewalks, Ocean Avenue.

Also, Bill No. 2284, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, "Regulating the widths of sidewalks," approved December 18, 1903, by amending Section 218 thereof, the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Ocean avenue.

Accepting Deeds for Opening Streets in Subdivision 4, Bay View Tract.

Also, Bill No. 2285, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting a deed of lands in Subdivision No. 4, Bay View Tract, from Bay View Land Company (a corporation), for the opening of Ignacio avenue, Ingerson avenue and Gilroy street, and declaring that portion of Ignacio avenue, Ingerson avenue and Gilroy street, covered by said deed, to be open, public streets."

Approving and Adopting Official Map, Subdivision 4, Bay View Tract.

Also, Bill No. 2286, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting the Official Map of Subdivision No. 4, Bay View Tract."

Approving and Adopting Official Maps of Crocker-Amazon Tract.

Also, Bill No. 2287, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Approving and adopting official maps of Crocker-Amazon Tract."

Approving and Accepting Deeds for Lands for Drainage Purposes on Crocker-Amazon Tract.

Also, Bill No. 2288, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting a deed to lands in the Crocker-Amazon Tract from the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation) to the City and County of San Francisco, for drainage purposes."

Approving and Accepting Deed to Lands for Opening Streets in Crocker-Amazon Tract.

Also Bill No. 2289, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled, "Approving and accepting deeds to lands in the Crocker-Amazon Tract from the Crocker Estate Company (a corporation) to the City and County of San Francisco, for the opening of the following named streets, to wit:

Rolph, Morse, Curtis, Newton, London, Paris, Lisbon, Madrid, Edinburgh,

Vienna, Athens, Moscow, Seville, Munich, Cordova and Naple streets, and declaring said streets covered by said deed to be open, public streets."

Spur Track Permit.

Also, Bill No. 2290, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to Nat Raphael, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the spur track serving the property of the Blinn Estate at the northwest corner of Second and Brannan streets, at a point 50 feet, more or less, southerly from the southerly line of Brannan street; thence running northerly, crossing Brannan street, curving to the right with a curve having a radius of 235 feet to the westerly curb line of Second street; thence continuing northerly and parallel to the westerly line of Second street to a point 50 feet, more or less northerly from the northerly line of North Park."

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9741 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Staples street in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office October 4, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Also Resolution No. 9742 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Harrison street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office on October 4, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,

McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9743 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Surrey street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office October 4, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9744 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Cabrillo street in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office October 4, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Also, Resolution No. 9745 (New Series), Declaring that it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on Aztec street, between Coso avenue and Shotwell street, at the certain points and elevations above City base, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed October 9, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Order Certain Street Work.

Also, J. R. No. 449.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to recommend the ordering of the following street work, to wit:

The grading and paving of the roadway of Church street, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets.

The grading and paving of the road-

way of Church street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Refuse to Issue Permits for Opening of Streets.

Also, J. R. No. 450.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to refuse to grant any permit to make any excavation exceeding 50 feet in length in any street that has been paved within two years from the date of application for such permit, without the recommendation of this Board.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Award of Contract, Motor Runabout, Superintendent of Street Repairs.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland: J. R. No. 451.

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering one motor runabout for use of the Superintendent of Street Repairs is hereby awarded to the Studebaker Corporation of America for the sum of eight hundred (\$800.00) dollars; and that all other bids for the foregoing article are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Caglieri and ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee:

Board of Public Works to Cause Removal of Wooden Structures Along Embarcadero.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be earnestly requested to proceed without delay to secure the removal of all wooden structures erected and maintained along the Embarcadero in violation of the Building Laws of the City and County of San Francisco.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

**Board of Public Works to Investigate
Character of Street Work Being Done in
Residence Tracts.**

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
J. R. No. 452.

Whereas, It has come to the notice of the Board of Supervisors, through newspapers and otherwise, that numerous tracts of land in the City and County of San Francisco are being subdivided for residential purposes, and being laid out in streets, plazas, and street work of certain character is being performed in advance of the filing of maps by the promoters of these subdivisions, and

Whereas, It has frequently occurred in the past that tracts were subdivided and street work completed before the Board of Public Works or Board of Supervisors were notified of the kind and character of street work installed, and

Whereas, This practice is conducive to much confusion and some abuses by the installation of streets, curbs and service mains which do not conform to the specifications exacted by ordinance, and which were found to be inadequate after these tracts were partially or wholly populated, and

Whereas, These tracts now under process of sub-division and improvement are being prepared for sale with concrete curbs, concrete gutters, sewers, water pipes, gas mains, poles for lighting and other necessities, without specifications being filed with the Board of Public Works or the Board of Supervisors and without request for inspection of these improvements, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works instruct the City Engineer and the City Architects to cause an inspection to be made of the several sub-divisions, and ascertain the character and adequacy of street work, sewers, curbs, gutters, water mains, gas mains and poles, and report thereon to the Board of Supervisors so that the promoters of these tracts may be advised as to whether their work is suitable and will conform to the future interests of the City, and so as to avoid possible refusal to accept the streets so provided in the tracts under subdivision.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Mayor to Issue Proclamation for Tuberculosis Sunday.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland,
J. R. No. 453.

Whereas, In accordance with a nation-wide movement inaugurated three

years ago by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, October 27, 1912, has been designated as Tuberculosis Sunday.

Whereas, On this day an unprecedented campaign of education as to the means of preventing tuberculosis is to be carried on,

Whereas, This movement has the cordial support of the President of the United States, of the Governors of several States, and the Mayors of a large number of cities, and the indorsement of Cardinal Farley, and of approximately one hundred thousand churches and religious societies, and innumerable organizations, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of San Francisco to lend their hearty aid and co-operation in this campaign for the dissemination of information calculated to induce every one to do his or her part toward the prevention and eradication of this dread disease.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Proposed Charter Amendments.

Supervisor Hayden presented:

Communication—From City Beautiful Convention, submitting following proposed amendment to Charter:

Amend Section 1, Article XIV, enlarging powers of Park Commission.

Add new chapter to Charter creating City Planning Commission.

Ordered referred to the *Judiciary Committee*.

Relative to District Option in Matter of Saloon Licenses.

M. Black was granted the privilege of the floor and presented a petition of 15,000 alleged qualified electors for a Charter Amendment permitting District Option in matter of saloon licenses.

Petition ordered *filed* and referred to Registrar for verification of signatures.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Departments to Prohibit Use of City Automobiles Except on Official Business, and Requiring Approval of Mayor to Leave City.

J. R. No. 454.

Resolved, That all departments of the Municipal Government are requested to take action prohibiting the use of the City's automobiles excepting for official business, and in case it be found necessary to send a machine

out of the County, to first secure the approval of the Mayor.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Fixing Date of Charter Amendments Election.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:
J. R. No. 455.

Resolved, That Tuesday, December 10, 1912, be and the same is hereby fixed as the date of holding a proposed election on Charter Amendments, and that the Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to request Bion J. Arnold and Dr. Delos F. Willcox to come to San Francisco for the purpose of consulting with the Board relative to proposed amendments affecting traction matters, and that all other resolutions in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Speeding of Street Railway Cars.

Supervisor Hocks declared that it had been called to his attention that the street railway cars on Market street, between Noe and Church streets, were in the habit of running from thirty to thirty-five miles an hour in violation of the law, and requested that the matter be given attention.

Ordered referred to Public Utilities Committee.

Report of Public Utilities Committee on Extensions of Water Service.

The following report was presented and read by the Clerk:

San Francisco, October 14, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

Your Joint Committee on Extension of Water Service to districts at present insufficiently or entirely unsupplied, begs to report:

That it has held two meetings together with the City Engineer's Department, and with representatives of the Spring Valley Water Company.

That it recommends the immediate construction of such extensions at a cost of about \$220,000, which will be sufficient to give adequate domestic service and incidental fire protection to all districts now in need.

That when this work is completed, it will recommend further appropriations to give greater fire protection

in these districts, and finally will recommend a plan for a complete service to all portions which are likely to be soon occupied for residence purposes.

That all of said extensions be declared to be a necessary part of the Lake Eleanor and Tuolumne distributing system and that the cost of such construction be paid out of the Water Construction Fund, bond issue 1910.

That the Board of Works be directed to immediately prepare plans and specifications for this work, and that the Finance Committee of this Board take such steps as may be necessary to provide funds by sale of bonds should moneys now in said Water Construction Fund be insufficient for such construction.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG,
BYRON MAUZY,
PAUL BANCROFT,
GEO. E. GALLAGHER,
ANDREW J. GALLAGHER,
GUIDO E. CAGLIERI,
D. C. MURPHY.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Board of Public Works Directed to Prepare Plans and Specifications for Extensions of Water Service.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang: Resolution No. 9746 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to immediately prepare plans and specifications for the extension of water service to the outlying districts of the City and County of San Francisco in accordance with Plan 1 of the City Engineer's report, dated August 14, 1912.

That all of said extensions are hereby declared to be a necessary part of the distributing system of the Lake Eleanor and Tuolumne River Water Supply.

That the cost of such construction be paid out of the Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 5:00 p. m. adjourned to meet on Tuesday evening, October 15, 1912, at 7:30 p. m., to consider proposed Charter amendments.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, October 21, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

City and County of San Francisco.

Tuesday Evening, October 15, 1912.

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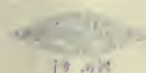


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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 15,
1912, 7:30 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Cal., Tuesday evening, October 15, 1912, 7:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of considering proposals to amend the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of the previous meeting was, on motion, laid over until next meeting.

Announcement.

Supervisor Murphy announced that the Judiciary Committee had decided to give a public hearing at 3:30 p. m., October 16, 1912, in the matter of Charter Amendment No. 3, relating to the School Department, after which meeting committee will be prepared to report.

Report of the Judiciary Committee on
Proposals to Amend Charter.

His Honor the Mayor stated the purpose of the meeting, and the Clerk thereupon proceeded and read the following report:

San Francisco, October 15th, 1912.
To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

Your Judiciary Committee reports as follows upon proposed Charter amendments:

In favor of—

Amendment No. 4, providing for the purchase of lands for Civic Center purposes, and the exchange of land belonging to the City for the same purpose and introduced by the Building Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Amendment No. 5, providing for the expenditure of an additional five hundred dollars for the celebration of Admission Day, introduced by Supervisor Hayden.

Amendment No. 6, providing that all employes of the City shall be residents thereof, with certain exceptions. Introduced by the Advisory Committee.

Amendment No. 7, providing for an increase above fifteen per cent of the bonded indebtedness of the City for the purpose of a water supply. Introduced by the Advisory Committee.

Amendment No. 8, providing the method for removal of elected officers except Supervisors. Introduced by the Advisory Committee.

Amendment No. 9, providing qualifications for public office. Introduced by the Advisory Committee.

Amendment No. 10, providing for a one-dollar tax levy with a proviso that by a vote of fourteen Supervisors a special tax may be levied for certain purposes therein specified, and amending the printed copy of the amendment in certain particulars. Introduced by the Advisory Committee.

Amendment No. 11, providing for authority to the Supervisors to submit to the voters a proposition to issue bonds of the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of creating a "revolving fund"; said fund to be used to facilitate the construction and improvement of streets and tunnels. Introduced by the Advisory Committee.

Amendment No. 13, providing for the closing of streets in that portion of the City required by the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company; this amendment to be combined with amendment No. 41, that gives to the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company temporary possession and control of Lobos Square. Introduced by the Advisory Committee and approved by the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company.

Amendment No. 14, providing for additional power for the Election Commission, to read as follows:

Section 6. The Board shall have power to make rules and regulations concerning discipline and leaves of ab-

sence and vacations without loss of pay; provided, that vacations without loss of pay shall be allowed only to persons who have been employed in the department continuously for twelve months, and shall be for a period not to exceed fifteen days.

The Board shall have power to direct that its office or such other place of registration as it may deem necessary be opened for the registration of voters or other necessary work at times other than the regular office hours provided for by this Charter, and to make such regulations as to hours of work of employes during night work as efficiency may require; provided that no employe shall be required to work more than eight hours in any one day.

Introduced by Supervisor Murphy at request of Election Commission.

Amendment No. 15, providing for an increase of the powers of the Election Commission, and an increase of the salaries of the employes, except that your Committee recommends a change from the printed copy of the amendment so as to exclude the Registrar of Voters from the provisions of the Civil Service, and that the extra clerks employed shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month. Introduced by Supervisor Murphy at the request of the Election Commission.

Amendments Nos. 16 and 17 are eliminated, being duplicates of amendments Nos. 14 and 15.

Your Committee further reports that, in regard to amendments Nos. 3 and 31, providing for a reorganization of the School Department, it has not reached a conclusion, but will hold a public hearing upon that matter, Wednesday, October 16, 1912, at 3:30 p. m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors.

Your Committee has not rendered a decision with regard to Amendment No. 19, providing for License Taxes; Amendment No. 20, providing for acquisition of Public Utilities; Amendment No. 22, providing for a reorganization of the Civil Service Commission, nor any of the remaining Amendments submitted to it, and respectfully asks for further time in which to consider them. Respectfully,

D. MURPHY,

R. McLERAN,

ALEXANDER T. VOGELSANG,
Judiciary Committee.

Purchase and Exchange of Lands for Civic Center Purposes.

The following amendment, introduced by Building Committee, was taken up:

Charter Amendment No. 4.

Add a new section to Article II,

Chapter II, to be numbered Section 10, to read as follows:

Section 10. The Board of Supervisors may acquire land in the district bounded by Market street, Golden Gate avenue and Franklin street, for the purpose of establishing a Civic Center, and when it appears to the advantage of the City and County so to do it may acquire land in excess of the actual requirements, and may dispose of any such excess in exchange for other lands within such district or for the purpose of acquiring additional lands or for the erection of structures thereon. It may convey to the State of California a parcel of land in such district for the purpose of the erection of a State Building thereon and in consideration therefor may receive from the State any parcel of land in such district now owned by the State; and with the consent of the Board of Trustees of the Public Library and Reading Rooms it may exchange parcels of land with the said Board of Trustees, and upon such exchange said Board is hereby authorized to relinquish control of such land as may have been heretofore set apart for its use. It may authorize the erection of an auditorium by the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, or of an opera house, museum, or other structure, provided the ownership of such structure shall always be vested in the municipality.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—11.

Appropriations for Celebration of Holidays.

The following amendment, submitted by Supervisor Hayden, was taken up:

Charter Amendment No. 5.

Amend Subdivision 18, of Section 1 of Chapter II of Article II to read as follows:

18. To allow not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars in any year for the celebration of the anniversary of our National Independence, not to exceed one thousand dollars in any year for the celebration of the anniversary of the Admission of the State of California into the Union, and not to exceed five hundred dollars in any year for the observance of Memorial Day.

Motion.

Supervisor Murphy moved the adoption of above amendment.

Refused adoption by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher,

Hayden, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—9.

Noes—Supervisors Jennings, Koshland—2.

Absent—Supervisors Bancroft, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, McCarthy, Nolan, Payot—7.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Koshland explained his vote by saying that he did not believe such matters should go in the Charter.

Notice of Reconsideration.

Before the result of said vote was announced *Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher* changed his vote from *aye* to *no* and gave notice of reconsideration.

Employees of City Shall be Residents—Exceptions.

The following amendment introduced by Advisory Conference on Charter Amendments, was taken up:

Charter Amendment No. 6.

Amend Article XVI, Section 2, to read:

Section 2. All persons appointed to office, position or employment under the City and County must be citizens of the United States, and must, during their respective terms of office or employment actually reside in the City and County, and must have so resided for the period of one year next preceding their appointment; provided, that positions requiring expert or technical training may, by resolution of the Supervisors approved by the Mayor, be exempted from this condition, and there shall be imposed in lieu thereof a certification of training and experience. Positions whose duties are performed outside the City and County shall not be subject to the requirements of this section. All provisions of the Charter in conflict with this section are hereby repealed.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. C. Saulman was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, suggesting the changing of the word "positions" to the word "appointees," in line sixteen, as being more grammatically correct.

Amendment.

Supervisor Murdock moved that amendment be corrected as suggested. Motion carried.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above amendment, as corrected, was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—11.

Providing for an Increase Above 15 Per Cent of Bonded Indebtedness of City.

The following amendment, intro-

duced by the Advisory Committee on Charter Amendments, was taken up:

Charter Amendment No. 7.

Amend Article XII, Section 9.

Section 9. No indebtedness shall be incurred which, together with the existing bonded indebtedness of the City and County, shall exceed, at any one time fifteen per centum of the assessed value of all real and personal property in the City and County; provided, that bonds issued for the acquisition of a water supply or for the construction of works appertaining thereto shall be excluded when computing such existing bonded indebtedness.

Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved to amend by inserting the words "or other self-sustaining public utilities" after the words "of a water supply" on the ninth line thereof.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher,—2.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—11.

Absent—Supervisors Giannini, Hilmer, McCarthy, Nolan, Payot—5.

Amendment.

Supervisor Murphy moved to amend by inserting the words "Panama-Pacific Exposition and for the" in front of the word "acquisition" in the sixth line.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—12.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher.

Absent—Supervisors Giannini, Hilmer, McCarthy, Nolan, Payot—5.

Adopted.

Whereupon the above amendment as amended was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—13.

Method of Removal of Elected Officers Except Supervisors.

The following amendment, introduced by the Advisory Committee on Charter Amendments, was taken up:

Charter Amendment No. 8.

To amend Article XVI, Sections 18 and 20.

Section 18. Any elected officer except Supervisors may be suspended by the Mayor and removed by the Supervisors for cause. The Mayor shall ap-

point some person to discharge the duties of the office during the period of such suspension.

Section 20. The Mayor may remove any appointed officer by filing with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors a notice of such removal, with a statement of his reasons therefor; provided, that members of the Civil Service Commission may be removed only in the same manner as elected officers.

Motion.

Supervisor Hayden moved to amend by striking out all in Section No. 20 following the word "therefor."

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks—4.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Jennings Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—11.

Absent—Supervisor Giannini.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. C. Saulman was granted the privilege of the floor, addressed the Board and objected to the elimination of clause providing for "removal for cause" in the matter of appointed officers. He declared that it had been established in the "Bannerman case" that when a person has a fixed term he is entitled to a trial before removal.

Recommended.

Whereupon, the above amendment was, on motion of Supervisor Vogelsang, *recommended to the Judiciary Committee.*

Appropriations for Celebration of Holidays.

Reconsideration.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved the reconsideration of Charter Amendment No. 5.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—11.

Noes—Supervisors Jennings, Koshland—2.

Absent—Supervisors Giannini, Hilmer, McCarthy—3.

Adopted.

Whereupon, Charter Amendment No. 5 was adopted on motion of Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Murphy, Vogelsang—10.

Noes—Supervisors Jennings, Koshland, Murdock—3.

Absent—Supervisors Giannini, Hilmer, McCarthy, Nolan, Payot—5.

Qualifications for Public Office.

The following amendment, introduced by the Advisory Committee on Charter Amendments, was taken up:

Charter Amendment No. 9.

Article XVI, Section 1½.

No political, religious or partisan qualification shall hereafter be required for election or appointment to any office under the City and County. The right to hold any office or position shall not be limited to sex. Any provision of this Charter in conflict with this section is hereby repealed.

Adopted on motion of Supervisor Murphy by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—13.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, the Board at the hour of 10:20 o'clock p. m. adjourned to meet Thursday evening, October 17, 1912, at 7:30 p. m.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 17,
1912, 8 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Cal., Thursday evening, October 17, 1912, 8 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of considering proposals to amend the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph being absent Supervisor Murdock was called to the chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of the previous meeting was, on motion, laid over until next meeting.

Introduced by Advisory Conference on Charter Amendments, E. A. Walcott, secretary.

Charter Amendment No. 10.

Amend Section 11 of Chapter 1 of Article II, to read:

Section 11. On or before the first Monday in September in each year, the Supervisors shall levy the amount of taxes for City and County purposes required to be levied upon all property

not exempt from taxation. The amount so levied shall not exceed the rate of one dollar on each one hundred dollars' valuation of the property assessed and the proceeds of such tax with revenues from sources other than taxation (and not contributed for specific purposes) shall constitute the current funds of the municipality and all current expenses shall be paid from such funds; provided that by the vote of fourteen Supervisors a special tax may be levied for any or all of the following purposes:

(a) For the support of the public schools, including primary, secondary, trades and technical schools, and other educational purposes for which moneys are specifically appropriated;

(b) For the construction of and repairs to public buildings;

(c) For the acquisition or construction of any of the public utilities covered by Article XII or for extension of the fire protection system;

(d) For the acquisition of lands for municipal purposes;

(e) For the construction of tunnels, subways, bridges, viaducts, convenience stations and other permanent structures;

(f) For the construction, repairs and cleaning of sewers and for grading, paving, and repaving and repairs to streets.

The Supervisors are empowered to submit to the voters an ordinance levying a tax for a specific purpose, such tax to be collected in annual installments for a period not exceeding ten years; and if a majority of the voters voting thereon at any general or special election shall vote in favor thereof, such tax shall be levied and collected each year in accordance with the terms of such ordinance.

No moneys collected from a tax levied for a specific purpose shall be devoted to any other purpose than that for which it was levied; provided that any surplus remaining after the completion of the work for which it was levied may be transferred to the fund for the redemption of the bonded debt.

Amendment.

Supervisor Murphy moved to amend by inserting the following words after the word "amount" in line six of Section 11, to wit: "so levied, exclusive of the State tax and the tax to pay the interest and principal of the bonded debt, and the tax to pay for the maintenance and improvement of the parks, squares and public grounds of the city and County, shall not exceed the rate of"

Amendment.

Supervisor Jennings moved to amend by providing as follows:

"(g) For increases in salaries or increases in number of officials or employees voted at any municipal, special or general election."

Adopted.

Whereupon, Charter Amendment No. 10, as amended, was *adopted* by the following vote on motion of Supervisor Murphy:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Maury, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Closing Streets.

Charter Amendment No. 13.

Amend Article II, Chapter II, by adding a new subdivision to Section 1, to be numbered 37.

37. The Board of Supervisors shall pass such ordinances governing the use and closing of streets, the erection, use, alteration, demolition and control of buildings and structures of every nature and description; the installation, use and control of plumbing, water, gas, steam, sewerage and other pipes and instrumentalities; the use and control of electric light, power, and other wires, conduits, generating, transmitting and other apparatus; the erection and maintenance of steam boilers, steam, gas, and other engines and apparatus; the maintenance and control of fire and police protection, and governing any and every other matter necessary, proper or expedient for the safety, convenience and welfare of the public within that portion of the City and County of San Francisco which has been or may be selected as the site for the holding of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. The provisions hereof, and the ordinances adopted hereunder, shall supersede all conflicting provisions of this Charter, and all conflicting provisions of any ordinance heretofore passed, so far as the same apply to the site herein specified, until the first day of January, 1917; provided, that no ordinance passed by virtue of any provision herein contained shall be operative outside of the limits of the site hereinabove specified.

Amend Article XIV by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 13, and to read as follows:

Section 13. Notwithstanding anything in this Article contained, the Board of Park Commissioners are hereby authorized and directed to transfer to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company (a corporation organized under the laws of the State of California March 22, 1910), the exclusive possession, use, management and control of Lobos Square, such management, control, possession and use

to be for the purposes of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition and to terminate not later than one year after the closing of such exposition.

Charter Amendment 13 and 41 Combined.

Supervisor Murphy stated that Amendments 13 and 41 were identical in subject matter and moved that they be combined as above in Amendment 13.

Motion carried.

Adopted.

Whereupon, Amendment No. 13 was, on motion of Supervisor Murphy, *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Powers of Election Commission.

The following amendment, introduced by Supervisor Murphy, was taken up:

Charter Amendment No. 14.

That Chapter I of Article XI be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 6 and to read as follows:

Section 6. The Board shall have power to make rules and regulations concerning discipline and leaves of absence and vacations without loss of pay for the employes of the Department. The Board shall have power to direct that its office or such other places of registration as it may deem necessary be opened for the registration of voters or other necessary work at times other than the regular office hours provided for by this Charter and to make such regulations as to hours of work by employes during night work as efficiency may require; provided that no employe shall be required to work more than eight hours in any one day.

Adopted.

The foregoing amendment was read by the Clerk and, on motion of Supervisor Murphy, *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Increasing Powers of Election Commission.

The following amendment, introduced by Supervisor Murphy, was taken up:

Charter Amendment No. 15.

That Section 2 of Chapter I of Article XI be amended to read as follows:

Section 2. No member of the Board, nor Registrar, nor Deputy Registrar shall, during his term of office be a

member of any convention, the purpose of which is to nominate candidates for office nor hold any other municipal office until one year after he shall cease to be a member of said Board, or to be such Registrar or Deputy Registrar; nor act as officer of any election or primary election; nor take part in any election except to vote, and when acting as Election Commissioner, at which time he shall perform only such official duties as may be required of him by law and by this Charter.

That Section 3 of Chapter I of Article XI be amended to read as follows:

Section 3. The Commission shall organize within ten days after their appointment by choosing one of their number President. In case of failure to agree, he shall be selected by lot. He shall hold office for one year and until his successor is chosen. The Board shall appoint a Registrar of Voters, who shall be Secretary of the Board and shall keep a record of its proceedings and shall execute all orders and enforce all rules and regulations adopted by the Board. The Registrar of Voters shall receive an annual salary of thirty-six hundred dollars.

That Section 4 of Chapter I of Article XI be amended to read as follows:

Section 4. The Board shall appoint a Chief Deputy Registrar at an annual salary of twenty-four hundred dollars; a Chief Clerk at an annual salary of twenty-four hundred dollars; four Deputies at an annual salary of eighteen hundred dollars; eight Experienced Clerks at an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars; a Storekeeper-Mechanic at an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars; a Stenographer-Typewriter at an annual salary of twelve hundred dollars; and such extra clerks as may be necessary for the conduct of the department at a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars a month. There shall be no discrimination on account of sex in the salaries paid to employes of the Department.

All persons appointed to positions under the provisions of Sections 3 and 4 of this Chapter and Article, except the Registrar of Voters, shall be subject to the provisions of Article XIII of this Charter; provided, that all persons who were on July 1, 1912, holding positions and employed in the Department of Elections by appointment under the provisions of Section 3 or 4. Chapter I of Article XI, Article XIII, or Section 35 of Article XVI of this Charter, shall without further Civil Service examination, be appointed respectively to the positions

herein provided for, which positions are equivalent to the positions then filled by them.

Adopted by the following vote:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Amendments Nos. 16 and 17.

Supervisor Murphy stated that Amendments 16 and 17 were the same as 14 and 15, and suggested that they be stricken out.

So ordered.

Appointment of Police Judges.

The following amendment, introduced by Advisory Conference on Charter Amendments, was taken up:

Charter Amendment No. 18.

That a new section be added to Article V, Chapter VIII, of the Charter to be numbered 1½ to read as follows:

Section 1½. On the expiration of the terms of office of the Police Judges holding such office on November 26, 1912, their successors shall be appointed by the Mayor. Such appointees shall be revocable in the same manner as elective officers, and not otherwise.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. C. Sculman was granted the privilege of the floor, and stated that he was of the opinion that no power could be delegated by the Charter to constitutional officers. He declared that Section 1½ will be in conflict with Section 1 if the latter is not repealed.

Motion.

Supervisor Jennings moved that appointments be made by the Mayor instead of the Superior Judges.

Motion.

Supervisor A. J. Gallagher moved that the question of appointment by either the Mayor or the Superior Judges be laid on the table.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hilmer, Mauzy, Nolan—5.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—10.

Absent—Supervisors Hayden, Hocks, McCarthy—3.

Recommended.

Supervisor Murphy moved that the amendment be recommended to the committee with instructions to prepare amendment providing for appointment by Mayor.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—11.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hilmer, Mauzy—4.

Sale of Relief Home Lands.

The following amendments were taken up and disposed of as follows:

Charter Amendment No. 28.

Add new section to Chapter II of Article II, to read as follows:

Section 10. The Board of Supervisors, in the manner provided in the preceding section, may sell a portion of the Relief Home Tract not adapted to public use, being a portion of the Rancho San Miguel and generally described as lying southerly and westerly from the lands of the Spring Valley Water Company. The proceeds arising from such sale shall be used exclusively for the purchase of other lands adjoining such Relief Home Tract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Official Advertising.

Charter Amendment No. 29.

Section 2 of Chapter III of Article II shall read as follows:

Section 2. The Board of Supervisors may, in its discretion, contract for doing all or any portion of the advertising required by the City and County.

All contracts for official advertising shall be let annually in like manner by the Supervisors to the lowest responsible bidder publishing a daily newspaper in the City and County which has a bona fide daily circulation of at least eight thousand copies, and has been in existence at the time of letting such contract for at least two years. In inviting proposals therefor, such advertising shall not be classified, and no proposal shall be acted upon which offers to do such advertising at different rates for different portions thereof.

Such advertising shall be construed to mean the advertising and publication of all official reports, orders, ordinances, messages, resolutions, notices inviting proposals, and all notices of every nature relating to City work. No part or kind of such advertising shall be charged or contracted for at a higher rate than any other part or kind of the same is charged or contracted for, except in the case of delinquent tax list.

The advertising of the delinquent tax list shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder on a separate bidding from all other official advertising.

No board, department or officer shall make any publication which is not ex-

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pressly authorized by this Charter or by the Supervisors.

The Board of Supervisors may cause to be printed a weekly newspaper, to be called the "Municipal Record," wherein shall be published all matters of municipal interest. All or any portion of the official advertising (excepting the advertising of the delinquent tax list) required or authorized by this Charter, or required or authorized by the Board of Supervisors, may be published in the Municipal Record in lieu of being published in a daily newspaper. Whenever, in this Charter, a publication is required in a daily newspaper for a period of one week or less than seven days, one publication in the Municipal Record shall be equivalent thereto; when such publication is required in a daily newspaper for a period of more than one week or seven days and not more than two weeks or fourteen days, two publications in the Municipal Record shall be equivalent thereto; when such publication is required in a daily newspaper for a period of more than two weeks or fourteen days, three publications in the Municipal Record shall be equivalent thereto; provided that notices inviting proposals shall be published at least three days prior to date fixed for receiving the same. The newspaper authorized to publish the Bills and Ordinances of the Board of Supervisors shall be known and designated as the "Official Newspaper."

Adopted by the following vote:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

City Attorney to Prosecute Actions for Collection of Taxes.

Charter Amendment No. 30.

That Section 3 of Chapter V of Article IV be amended so as to read as follows:

On request of the Assessor or the Tax Collector the City Attorney shall commence and prosecute actions for the collection of taxes.

Adopted by the following vote:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Notice of Reconsideration.

Supervisor Vogelsang gave notice of reconsideration of above amendment at a future meeting.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board, at the hour of 10:30 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, October 21, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of October 14, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Appointment of Foreman Gateman for Auxiliary Water Supply System.

The following matters were presented by his Honor the Mayor, and read by the Clerk:

City and County of San Francisco.
Board of Fire Commissioners.

October 21, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor.

Dear Sir: We respectfully call your attention to the following resolution adopted by this Board at a regular meeting held on October 18, 1912, and request that you take the necessary action in the matter:

Whereas, The services of an additional employee, viz., an assistant foreman gateman, are very essential in connection with the auxiliary high pressure water system for fire protection purposes under the control of this department; therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to investigate as to the necessity for this position, and if he find the same to be necessary, that he recommend to the Board of Supervisors to authorize, by proper ordinance, the appointment of said assistant foreman gateman and to fix the compensation therefor at \$120.00 per month.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS.
FRANK T. KENNEDY, Secretary.

Mayor's Office, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 21st, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Cal.

Gentlemen: I have this day received copy of a resolution of the Board of Fire Commissioners of this City and County, asking that I recom-

mend that your Honorable Board authorize the appointment, in that department, of an assistant foreman gateman, whose services are to be rendered in connection with the auxiliary high pressure water system for fire protection purposes.

I beg leave to inform you that I have made investigation as to the necessity for the employment of such assistant foreman gateman, and find that such employee is necessary to the operation of that portion of the high pressure fire protection system now ready for operation.

I, therefore, respectfully request that you authorize the Board of Fire Commissioners of this City and County to employ an assistant foreman gateman, at the monthly salary of \$120.00.

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

Privilege of the Floor.

Thos. R. Murphy, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, was granted the privilege of the floor and explained the necessity of the proposed appointment. He declared that it was impracticable for the men at Engine House No. 40 to perform the duties of foreman-gateman and that the position was contemplated in plan for operation of system and was absolutely necessary.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the following Bill was introduced under suspension of the rules and *passed for printing*:

Bill No. 2297, Ordinance No. — (New Series), authorizing the Board of Fire Commissioners to appoint an additional employee, viz.: an assistant foreman gateman, and fixing his compensation.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 11. The Board of Fire Commissioners is hereby authorized to appoint an additional employee in connection with the operation of the Auxiliary High Pressure Water Supply for Fire Protection, to wit: an assistant foreman gateman, at a compensation of one hundred and twenty dollars a month.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor A. J. Gallagher—1.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Relative to the Purchase of the Plant of the Spring Valley Water Co.

The following communications were presented by his Honor the Mayor,

read and ordered *spread at length in Journal*.

Mayor's Office, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 21st, 1912.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors,
San Francisco, Cal.

Gentlemen: I beg to hand you herewith copies of communications exchanged between the Spring Valley Water Company and myself "Regarding the Purchase of Works by the City", which are self-explanatory and will serve to keep your records complete in the pending negotiations.

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

Request for Map Showing Land to Be Retained.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 1st, 1912.

Spring Valley Water Company, 375 Sutter street, San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your communication, dated September 14th, 1912, has been under consideration by the Board of Supervisors and myself, since its receipt.

Will you, at this time, please send me map showing specifically outlines and location of tracts of land which you propose retaining?

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Request for Permission to Establish Gauging Stations.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 8th, 1912.

Spring Valley Water Co., 375 Sutter street, San Francisco, Cal.

Gentlemen: The City would like to establish a gauging station in Alameda Creek, and also gauging stations on the coast streams of San Gregorio and Pescadero, and I write these few lines asking for permission to establish these stations at points to be selected by City Chief Engineer O'Shaughnessy, acting in conjunction with your chief engineer.

Very respectfully yours,
(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

Establishment of Gauging Stations.

Executive Department, Spring Valley Water Company, 375 Sutter Street.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 11, 1912.

Honorable James Rolph, Jr., Mayor,
City and County of San Francisco, New City Hall, San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir: I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of October 8th, with reference to permission to establish gauging stations for the measurement of water in the Alameda, San Gregorio and Pescadero Creeks.

I enclose herewith copy of letter written a few days ago to the City

Engineer with reference to the same subject. As explained therein, some time ago, we commenced the installation of a gauging station at the Sunol dam in Alameda Creek. We have also commenced the installation of stations on the coast streams. The records of these stations will be available to the City Engineer, or, if the City desires to establish stations of its own, I beg to extend the co-operation of our Chief Engineer in the establishment of such stations.

Very respectfully yours,
(Signed) S. P. EASTMAN.

Map of Tracts of Land to Be Retained.
Executive Department, Spring Valley Water Company, 375 Sutter Street.
San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 12, 1912.
Honorable James Rolph, Jr., Mayor,
City and County of San Francisco, New City Hall, San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir: With reference to your letter of October 1st, requesting a map, showing the outlines and locations of tracts of land which the Company proposes to retain, I beg to transmit herewith a map upon which is delineated the desired information.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) S. P. EASTMAN.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 14th, 1912.
Mr. S. P. Eastman, Vice-President and Manager, Spring Valley Water Company, 375 Sutter Street, San Francisco.

Dear Sir: I am, this day, in receipt of your esteemed favor of the 12th instant, handing me, therewith, a map showing the outlines and locations of tracts of land which your Company proposes to retain, surrounding the Merced Lakes, for which I thank you.

Very respectfully yours,
(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

Request for Detailed Reports as to Valuation of Spring Valley Water Company's property.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 16th, 1912.
Spring Valley Water Co., 375 Sutter Street, San Francisco, Cal.

REGARDING THE PURCHASE OF WORKS BY THE CITY.

Gentlemen: Referring again to your communication, dated September 14th, 1912, which is under consideration by the City, you state that the J. G. White & Co. valuation exceeds sixty million dollars in their partial report, and that this report is "the most exhaustive and detailed that has ever been made", and the further statement, in your communication, that "later a most exhaustive examination made by disinterested engineers has demonstrated the capacity of the undeveloped sources to be greater than ever here-

tofore claimed by the Company", makes it appear proper that I request from you details of these reports for our information and consideration.

I trust you will be able to favor me with these at an early date, and beg to remain,

Very respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

Necessity of City Acquiring Lake Merced Lands.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 19th, 1912.
Spring Valley Water Company, 375 Sutter Street, San Francisco, California.

REGARDING THE PURCHASE OF WORKS BY THE CITY.

Gentlemen: I am directed by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to make reply to your communication of September 14th, 1912, wherein you propose to sell to the City your properties, excepting lands surrounding Lake Merced, upon the terms mentioned in such communication.

The utility of Lake Merced for emergency water supply throughout the long autumn would be too seriously impaired by diverting so much of the surrounding lands to residential purposes or other purposes inconsistent with the use of the lands for a water supply.

As presently advised, the City authorities cannot see their way clear to recommend any plan of acquiring your properties which involves the elimination of so much watershed, regardless of price.

After opportunity is afforded the City to examine and analyze the inventory and appraisal of your properties made by J. G. White & Co., a copy of which you were, on October 16th, 1912, requested to furnish, it may be possible that some elements may be found having greater value to the Company than to the City, which can be safely excluded, under fair terms, without impairing the value of the plant for a municipal water supply and service.

The Board of Supervisors, as well as myself, are extremely desirous that some satisfactory plan may be arrived at by which your properties may be acquired by the City, and that an amicable adjustment may be made as expeditiously as possible.

The necessities of the outlying districts for the extension of the water mains is urgent. The growth of the City is being retarded for lack of proper water facilities in the unserved sections.

We express the hope that, after further consideration, you will see your way clear to accept the offer submitted.

to you in our communication of August 9th last. We are convinced that the City's offer is fair to both the Company and the City.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Acquisition of Lands for Telegraph Hill Park.

Supervisor Hayden presented:

Communication—From Outdoor Art League, requesting support of Supervisors in matter of acquiring certain lands on Telegraph Hill for park purposes.

Ordered referred to Lands and Tunnels Committee.

Hearing at Washington Relative to Use of Hetch Hetchy Valley as Source of Water Supply.

The Clerk presented:

Communication—From Department of the Interior, notifying that oral hearing will be held before the Secretary of the Interior in Washington, D. C., on November 25, 1912, at 10:30 a. m., instead of November 27, 1912, as heretofore announced in the matter of use of Government lands in Hetch Hetchy Valley and Yosemite National Park for water supply purposes.

Ordered referred to Public Utilities Committee.

Removal of Shacks, etc., at Water Front.

Also, Communication—From Outdoor Art League, urging removal of shacks, billboards, etc., from water front.

Ordered referred to Public Buildings and Welfare Committee.

Request for Hearing in Matter for Bonding City for Telegraph Hill Park.

Also, Communication—From Outdoor Art League, requesting that an opportunity be given women of San Francisco to present their view in matter of bonding city for acquisition of lands on Telegraph Hill.

Ordered referred to Lands and Tunnels Committee.

Completion of Geary Street Municipal Road out Point Lobos Avenue.

Also, Communication—From Richmond Central Improvement Club, for the early completion of the main line of the Geary Street Municipal road out Point Lobos avenue.

Ordered referred to Public Utilities Committee.

Protest Against Compromise of Dispute in re Use of Outer Tracks on Lower Market Street.

Also, Protest—From Public Ownership Association, against adoption of the ordinance containing proposed compromise with United Railroads in matter of use of outer tracks on Lower Market street.

Ordered filed. Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher voting in the negative.

Endorsement of Solution of Dispute of Question of Use of Outer Tracks on Lower Market Street.

Also, Communication—From Downtown Committee, thanking Board for its solution of the dispute relative to use of outer tracks of Lower Market street.

Read and ordered filed.

Relative to Consolidation Amendment to Constitution.

Also, Communication—From Civic League of Improvement Clubs of San Francisco, calling attention to unjust attacks on good name of San Francisco by city officials of Oakland in antagonizing proposed Consolidation Amendment to Constitution, and requesting that Board of Supervisors resent such attacks in the name of the City and County of San Francisco.

Ordered referred to Publicity and Interurban Relations Committee.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

To Sell Telephone System to City.

The consideration of proposals to sell a telephone system to the City and County of San Francisco to be acted upon this day in accordance with the provision of Resolution No. 9698 (New Series), was taken up.

The Clerk proceeded and read:

Resolution No. 9698 (New Series):
Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco does hereby solicit offers for the sale to said City and County of San Francisco of any existing public utility, to-wit: A telephone system for the use of said City and County and its inhabitants.

Any owner or owners of such telephone system are hereby invited to submit proposals or offers in writing to the Board of Supervisors for the sale of the same to the City and County of San Francisco, and such proposals shall be filed with the Clerk of said Board at any time prior to the 21st day of October, 1912.

And it is hereby announced and declared to be the purpose and intention of said Board of Supervisors to consider any and all proposals or offers that may be made for the sale of said described public utility to the said City and County on said 21st day of October, 1912, and before submitting proposition to the electors for the acquisition by original construction or condemnation of said described public utility in order that the electors may have the benefit of acquiring the same at the lowest possible cost thereof.

Section 2. The Clerk of the Board

of Supervisors is hereby directed to publish in the official newspaper for the period of ten days a notice in substantially the following form:

"Notice soliciting offers for the sale to the City and County of San Francisco of any existing public utility, to-wit: A telephone system.

"Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco, September 24, 1912.

"To all owners of any existing public utility, to-wit: A telephone system.

"You are hereby solicited and invited to submit to the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, prior to the 21st day of October, 1912, an offer or offers in writing, to sell to the said City and County any existing public utility, to-wit: A telephone system, and that said Board of Supervisors will consider any and all such offers that may be submitted on the 21st day of October, at its regular meeting on said day.

"This notice is given in compliance with the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco and of Resolution No. 9698 (New Series), adopted September 23, 1912, and your attention is called to said Resolution for further particular."

Section 3. The Clerk of said Board is hereby directed to cause a copy of the aforesaid notice to be mailed to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and Bay Cities Home Telephone Company, addressed to them at their respective places of business in San Francisco, California.

Adopted—Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, September 23, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Gianini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved, San Francisco, September 25, 1912.

JAS. ROLPH, JR., Mayor.

Report of Clerk.

Thereupon the following report was presented, read by the Clerk and ordered spread at length in the Journal:

San Francisco, October 21, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

I beg leave to report that I have complied with the requirements of Resolution No. 9698 (New Series), and have published the notice therein set forth, and on September 25, 1912, mailed copies thereof to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and to the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company.

That no offer to sell to the City any telephone system, nor any communica-

tion relating thereto had been received by me or by this Board.

Respectfully,

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk Board of Supervisors.

Auction Sale of Lease of Brenham Place Lot.

In compliance with Journal Resolutions Nos. 394 and 405 and public notice heretofore given, his Honor Mayor Rolph proceeded with the auction sale of the lease of the Brenham Place lot with the result that said lease was finally struck off and awarded to Jos. Hagen at a rental of \$50 per month for a period of twenty years, certified check in sum of \$500 presented to Clerk to insure execution of lease.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were presented, read and ordered filed:

Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee, by Supervisor Murdock, chairman.

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Gianini, chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee, by Supervisor Mauzy, chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolf Koshland, chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9747 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Geo. F. Bartlett, transportation, Hetch Hetchy investigation (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912) \$ 743.75

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue, 1910.

Dyer Bros., punching, repainting, etc., of beams, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912) \$1,480.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

Louis H. Mooser, appraise-

ments Civic Center lands
(claim dated Sept. 11, 1912) \$590.00
Hall of Justice Bond Fund, 1908.

General Electric Construc-
tion Company, final pay-
ment, electric work, City
and County Jail (claim
dated Oct. 3, 1912)..... \$806.00

Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.

Judson Manufacturing Com-
pany, first payment, steel
frame, Islais Creek Incin-
erator (claim dated Oct. 9,
1912)..... \$5,150.00

McLean, Haggans & Aden,
fourth payment, general
construction Islais Creek
Incinerator (claim dated
Oct. 3, 1912)..... 1,898.87

*Sewer Construction Account, Bond
Fund, 1904.*

State Improvement Company,
first payment, Ocean ave-
nue sewer (claim dated
Oct. 4, 1912)..... \$ 808.65

Karl Ehrhart, first payment,
Woolsey street sewer
(claim dated Oct. 7, 1912) 1,815.49

C. J. Harney, first payment,
Brannan street sewer
(claim dated Oct. 4, 1912) 1,085.63

Hospital Fund, 1908.

Pacific Fire Extinguisher
Company, first payment,
heating and ventilating San
Francisco Hospital (claim
dated Oct. 1, 1912)..... \$ 600.00

J. H. Eisenhart, final pay-
ment, bake oven, San Fran-
cisco Hospital (claim dated
Sept. 28, 1912)..... 924.00

Roebling Constructing Com-
pany, additional metal fur-
ring, etc., San Francisco
Hospital (claim dated Sept.
24, 1912)..... 651.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

T. W. McClenahan, second
payment, construction, Ash-
bury Heights pump house
(claim dated Oct. 9, 1912) \$2,261.59

School Bond Fund, 1908.

Palace Hardware Company,
extra hardware, Lowell
High School (claim dated
Oct. 4, 1912)..... \$ 881.50

Palace Hardware Company,
in full, hardware, Lowell
High School (claim dated
Sept. 23, 1912)..... 2,912.00

Palm Vacuum Cleaning Com-
pany, final payment, vac-
uum cleaning, Grattan
School (claim dated Sept.
13, 1912)..... 620.00

Palm Vacuum Cleaning Com-
pany, final payment, vac-
uum cleaning, Lincoln
School (claim dated Sept.
13, 1912)..... 887.00

General Fund, 1912-13.

H. S. Crocker Company, di-
rectories, Budget Item No.
29 (claim dated Oct. 4,
1912)..... \$ 522.00

Spring Valley Water Com-
pany, water for sprinkling
streets (claim dated Aug. 5,
1912)..... 881.44

Wold & Kahn, first payment,
general construction, En-
gine House No. 46 (claim
dated Sept. 23, 1912)..... 4,962.00

O. C. Holt, third payment,
general construction, En-
gine House No. 28 (claim
dated Oct. 8, 1912)..... 2,250.00

Fay Improvement Company,
sixth payment, street work,
Howard street, Second to
Fourth (claim dated Sept.
19, 1912)..... 1,500.00

Fay Improvement Company,
final payment, street work,
Howard street, Second to
Fourth (claim dated Sept.
19, 1912)..... 1,500.00

Associated Oil Company, fuel
oil, Fire Department (claim
dated Sept. 30, 1912)..... 670.17

J. O. Keefe & Co., hay, Fire
Department (claim dated
Oct. 1, 1912)..... 1,897.76

Producers' Hay Company,
grain, Fire Department
(claim dated Sept. 27,
1912)..... 1,590.89

Associated Oil Company, fuel
oil, Fire Department (claim
dated Sept. 30, 1912)..... 512.00

Sherry-Freitas Co., Inc., gro-
ceries, San Francisco Hos-
pital (claim dated Oct. 1,
1912)..... 1,229.87

Peter Caubu, milk, San Fran-
cisco Hospital (claim dated
Sept. 30, 1912)..... 643.50

Sherry-Freitas Company, gro-
ceries, Relief Home (claim
dated Oct. 1, 1912)..... 1,423.56

Producers' Hay Company,
grain, Police Department
(claim dated Sept. 27,
1912)..... 507.48

Dakin Publishing Company,
reproducing maps for Re-
corder (claim dated Oct. 9,
1912)..... 700.50

*City Hall-Civic Center Improvement
Fund, Bond Issue 1912.*

Van Ness Company, for land
for Civic Center purposes
on easterly line of Van
Ness avenue, from Grove to
Fulton street, and of irreg-
ular depth..... \$384,342.63

Margaret L. Bradley and An-
nie L. Wallace, for land for
Civic Center purposes,
southwest corner of Polk
and Grove streets..... 70,104.88

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hillmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9748 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1912-1913.

J. W. Schouten & Co., lumber, repairs to school buildings (claim dated Aug. 27, 1912)	\$684.53
Dalziel Moller Co., hardware, etc., repairs to school buildings (claim dated Aug. 19, 1912)	796.28
John Galen Howard, consulting architect (claim dated Sept. 31, 1912)	525.00
John Galen Howard, consulting architect (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	650.00
Studebaker Bros. Co. of California, two motor runabouts, Department of Electricity (claim dated Sept. 3, 1912)	1,380.00
The San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Pound, for impounding, feeding, etc., of animals (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	850.00
Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants (claim dated Oct. 2, 1912)	10,954.76
Spring Valley Water Co., water, public buildings (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	2,030.35
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	1,216.62
D. A. White, Chief of Police, contingent allowance (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	666.66
Fay Improvement Co., street work, Howard street, Second to Fourth streets (claim dated Sept. 19, 1912)	1,400.66
Fay Improvement Co., street work, O'Farrell street, between Jones and Leavenworth streets (claim dated Sept. 6, 1912)	714.55
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., asphalt (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	2,831.34
Barber Asphalt Co., asphalt (claim dated Aug. 12, 1912)	2,737.52
Pacific Gas and Electric Co., lighting (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912)	33,848.16

Polytechnic High School Bond Fund, 1910.

Enterprise Electric Works, machine shop equipment, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Sept. 7, 1912) \$535.00

School Bond Fund, Series 1908.

Chas. E. Thomas Co., final payment, heating and ventilating, Lowell High School (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	8,912.50
O. C. Holt, final payment, general construction, John Swett School (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	4,968.00

Sewer Bond Fund, Series 1908.

Contra Costa Construction Co., final payment for pumping, Section "C-2", North Point main (claim dated Sept. 10, 1912)	\$ 524.50
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 4th payment, Section "M", North Point main (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912) ..	12,742.16
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 1st payment, Section "N", North Point main (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912) ..	2,131.20
Daniel Contracting Co., 4th payment, Section "C-2", North Point main (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912)	11,795.25

Fire Protection Bond Fund, Series 1908.

Caldwell & Co., 6th payment, Contract 34, Section "A", rumping Station No. 2 (claim dated Oct. 2, 1912) ..	\$ 9,774.00
Contra Costa Construction Co., 2nd payment, hauling and laying pipe, Section 6 (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912) ..	17,961.50

Hall of Justice Bond Fund, Series 1908.

Wittman, Lyman & Co., final payment, plumbing, City and County Jail (claim dated Sept. 20, 1912)	\$15,280.40
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Hospital Bond Fund, Series 1908.

The Turner Co., final payment, heating service building, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 25, 1912)	\$ 1,064.60
The Turner Co., final payment, heating Ward Building No. 1, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 25, 1912)	632.78
The Turner Co., final payment, heating Ward No. 2, S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 25, 1912)	1,255.98
John G. Sutton Co., 1st payment, plumbing, etc., S. F. Hospital (claim dated Sept. 20, 1912)	4,650.00

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

F. Rolandi, 3rd payment, construction of car barn (claim dated Oct. 2, 1912). \$22,922.72

Gruver & McCaffrey, 1st payment, underground conduit (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912). 2,240.17

Sewer Bond Fund, Series 1904.

State Construction Co., 3rd payment, sewers in Oak and Stanyon streets (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912). \$ 6,905.03

Williams & Finnigan, 2nd payment, sewer in Steuart street (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912) 2,704.09

Library Fund.

The Emporium, books, S. F. Public Library. (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912) \$ 679.74

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912.

Bakewell & Brown, 1st payment, architectural services, City Hall (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912) \$25,000.00

Lange Investment Co., lot 47½ ft. x 120 ft., north line of McAllister street, 137½ ft. west of Larkin street (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912). 28,426.34

Michael A. McLaughlin, lot 18 4-12 ft. x 120 ft., south line of McAllister street, 165 ft. east of Polk street (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912). 8,732.40

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

John R. Freeman, investigation, Municipal water supply (claim dated Sept. 25, 1912) \$48,989.36

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan. Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9749 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For paying city's portion of construction of sewer in San Jose avenue, from Santa Ynez avenue to Havelock street, in front of city property \$ 460.00

For paying city's portion of construction of sewer in San Jose avenue, from the

northerly line of Santa Ynez avenue to a point 135 feet southerly from the southerly line thereof. 305.00

For setting back curbs in Ninth street, from Market street to Howard street. 2,250.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908. .

For completion of construction of Ashbury Heights pump house \$27.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

For purchase from Bernard G. Healy, for Civic Center purposes, lot 25 x 120, on northerly line of Fulton street, 150 feet west of Polk street \$1,016.36

For purchase from Margaret L. Bradley and Annie L. Wallace, for Civic Center purposes, lot 110½ x 137½ feet, southwest corner of Polk and Grove streets. 70,104.88

For purchase from Van Ness Company, for Civic Center purposes, lot on easterly line of Van Ness avenue, running from Grove to Fulton street, and of irregular depth \$384,342.63

Urgent Necessities.

For Tax Collector, for expenses in the matter of the Stockton street tunnel. \$200.00
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan. Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9750 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$14,900.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910, under the direction of the City Engineer, for continuing investigation of water supply and perfecting the rights of San Francisco in re the Sierra water supply, to be expended as follows:

For further investigation of the claims of the Spring Valley Water Company in re the volume of water in the Alameda system \$1,400.00

For engineers' appraisal of Spring Valley water system 3,500.00

For investigation of claims of the Turlock-Modesto irrigation district 500.00

For construction of a telephone line between Hamilton and Portulaca, and between Portulaca and Eleanor 1,500.00

For construction of roads in the vicinity of Priest's Hill 2,500.00
 For the purchase of gauging apparatus and other scientific instruments 5,000.00
 For investigation of McCloud project 500.00

Resolved Further, That the City Engineer is hereby authorized and directed to expend out of Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910, not to exceed \$200.00 per month for the construction of trails, roads and other necessary work to maintain the rights of the city at the Early intake designated in the Freeman report.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
 Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
 Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
 McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
 Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Resolution No. 9751 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts
 be and the same are hereby set aside,
 appropriated and authorized to be ex-
 pended out of the hereinafter men-
 tioned funds for the following pur-
 poses, to-wit:

*For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to
 Streets, Etc., Budget Item
 No. 549.*

For setting back hydrants...\$ 600.00
 For repairs to Police Depart-
 ment buildings during the
 month of October, 1912.... 700.00
 For repairs to Fire Depart-
 ment buildings during the
 month of October, 1912.... 1,500.00
 For repairs to other public
 buildings, other than
 schools, during month of
 October, 1912..... 1,300.00
 For repairs to Fire Depart-
 ment stables, 10th and Divi-
 sion streets, by Public
 Building department,
 Board of Public Works,
 under direction of Consult-
 ing Board of Architects... 7,500.00
 For paying City's portion of
 construction of sewer in
 Grove street from Masonic
 avenue to Ashbury street,
 in front of City property. 495.00
 For paying City's portion of
 construction of sewer in
 crossing of Third and King
 streets 180.00
 For paying City's portion of
 repaving of Twenty-second
 street opposite intersection
 of Vicksburg street 40.00
 For paying City's portion of
 paving the crossing of
 Eighteenth avenue and
 Geary street 94.00
 For paying City's portion of
 construction of granite
 curbs, paving, etc., on

crossing of Seventh avenue
 and Geary street..... 91.50
 For paying City's portion of
 connecting sewer and man-
 hole in crossing of San
 Jose avenue and Havelock
 street 165.00

For paying City's portion of
 construction of sewer in
 Seventeenth street between
 York and Hampshire
 streets, and in intersection
 of Seventeenth and York
 streets 400.00

For furniture for Tuberculo-
 sis Hospital, to be expend-
 ed by the Supplies Commit-
 tee under direction of the
 Board of Health..... 750.00

*For Reconstruction, Repairs, Etc., to
 School Department Buildings,
 Budget Item No. 551.*

For repairs to School Depart-
 ment buildings during the
 month of October, 1912....\$ 5,500.00

For payment of outstanding
 indebtedness for repairs to
 school buildings 6,500.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
 Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
 Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
 McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
 Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Contract for
 Repairs to Tuberculosis Hospital.

Resolution No. 9752 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public
 Works be and is hereby authorized and
 directed to enter into contract for the
 repair of the Tuberculosis Hospital,
 and there is hereby set aside, appro-
 priated and authorized to be expended
 in payment of same the sum of \$8,-
 800.00 out of Budget Item No. 549,
 "For paving, repaving, repairs to
 streets and for reconstruction and re-
 pairs to public buildings, etc.;" and
 the Board of Public Works is hereby
 authorized and permitted to incorpo-
 rate a condition in said contract for
 the repairs to said building that pro-
 gressive payments shall be made in
 the manner set forth in specifications
 on file in the office of the Board of
 Public Works and in the office of the
 Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
 Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
 Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
 McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
 Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Contract for
 Improving Sansome Street, from Bush
 to Pacific streets.

Resolution No. 9753 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public

Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the improving of Sansome street from Bush street to Pacific street, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment for the same the sum of \$20,000.00 out of Budget Item No. 56, "For improvement of Sansome street"; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the improvement of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Improvement of California Street, from Drumm to Front Streets.

Resolution No. 9754 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the improvement of California street from Drumm street to Front street, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment for the same the sum of \$7,000 out of Budget Item No. 57, "For Improvement of California street;" and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the improvement of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Improvement of Kearny Street, from Sacramento to Clay, and Washington to Columbus Avenue.

Resolution No. 9755 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the improvement of Kearny street from Sacramento street to Clay street, and from Washington street to Columbus avenue, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment for same the sum of \$7,000.00 out of Budget Item No. 58,

"For improvement of Kearny street"; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the improvement of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Paving Portions of Mission Street, Between Crescent Avenue and Marshall Street.

Resolution No. 9756 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the paving of portions of Mission street, between Crescent avenue and Marshall street, for which the City is liable, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same the sum of \$18,000.00 out of Budget Item No. 549, "For paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc.;" and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the paving of said street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Boiler Permits.

The following Resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers—M. Forlatti, 599 Bay street, eight-horse power, for boiling soap; Marron Bros., 121-123 Wilmot street, four-horse power, for sterilizing milk utensils and pasteurizing milk.

Privilege of the Floor.

Mrs. Ida Walcom, representing property owners in the vicinity of Wilmot street, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, protesting against the granting of a boiler permit to Marron Bros. of 121-123 Wilmot street for the reason that the sterilizing of milk in the neighborhood would draw fires, and the opera-

tion of boiler would increase fire risk.
M. Cabowsell objected on same grounds.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the question being taken the foregoing resolution was *finally passed* as Resolution No. 9757 (New Series) by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
 Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
 Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Mc-
 Leran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
 Vogelsang—17.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore
 passed for printing were taken up
finally passed by the following vote
 and numbered as follows, to wit:

Boiler, Oil and Garage Permits.

Resolution No. 9758 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That the following re-
 vocable permits are hereby granted:

Boiler.

Bates, Borland & Ayer, junction of
 Southern Pacific right of way and
 Farragut avenue, 20 horsepower, for
 unloading cars.

Oil Storage Tank.

Sierra Investment Co., corner Mar-
 ket, Brady and Stevenson streets, ca-
 pacity 1500 gallons.

City and County of San Francisco,
 east side of Kansas street, 300 feet
 south of Army street, capacity 10,000
 gallons.

A. Mainzer, 528 Folsom street, ca-
 pacity 1500 gallons.

Garage.

F. H. Howard, northeast corner of
 Geary and Buchanan streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
 Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
 Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
 McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
 Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9759 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That the Clinton Fire-
 proofing Company is hereby granted
 permission, revocable at will of the
 Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts
 for the purpose of breaking heavy
 blocks of concrete in the lot at the
 southeast corner of Front and Com-
 mercial streets; provided that said
 permittee shall execute and file a good
 and sufficient bond in the sum of thirty
 thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars, as fixed
 by the Board of Public Works and ap-
 proved by his Honor the Mayor, in ac-
 cordance with Ordinance No. 1204;
 provided, also, that said blasts shall be
 exploded only between the hours of 7
 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work
 of blasing shall be performed to the

satisfaction and under the supervision
 of the Board of Public Works, and if
 any of the conditions of this resolu-
 tion be violated by the said Clinton
 Fireproofing Company, then the privi-
 lege and all rights accruing thereunder
 shall immediately become null and
 void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallag-
 her, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks,
 Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran,
 Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-
 sang—17.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9760 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That F. W. McClenahan &
 Company are hereby granted an exten-
 sion of fourteen days' time from and
 after September 12, 1912, within which
 to complete Contract No. 32, general
 construction of Ashbury Heights Pump
 House in connection with the Auxil-
 iary Water System for Fire Protec-
 tion; and be it

Further resolved, That the advertis-
 ing fees for printing this Resolution
 are hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-
 lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
 Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
 Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
 McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
 Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Declaratory Ordinance, Bond Issue, Su-
 tro Property, Completion San Francisco
 Hospital and County Jail, for Aquatic
 Park, Twin Peaks Park, Completion of
 Fire and Police Signal System.

Bill No. 2281, Ordinance No. 2047
 (New Series), as follows:

Determining and declaring that the
 public interest requires the acquisi-
 tion, construction or completion of cer-
 tain municipal improvements and the
 acquisition of lands, as follows: (1)
 the acquisition of certain lands and
 improvements thereon, being a por-
 tion of "Sutro Property" located con-
 tiguous to Lincoln Park; (2) the com-
 pletion of certain municipal buildings
 known as the San Francisco Hospital
 and County Jail; (3) the acquisition
 of certain lands for a public aquatic
 park; (4) the acquisition of lands in
 the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used
 as a public park; (5) the construc-
 tion of a fire and police signal sys-
 tem (including buildings) and the ac-
 quisition of lands therefor; declaring
 that the cost thereof, in addition to
 the other expenses of the City and
 County will exceed the income and
 revenue provided for the City and
 County for any one year; and direct-
 ing the Board of Public Works to
 procure and place on file with the
 Board of Supervisors plans and es-
 timates of cost of original construc-

tion and completion of such permanent municipal buildings and improvements, and the estimate of the cost of the acquisition of such lands.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section. 1. It is hereby determined and declared that the public interest requires the acquisition, construction or completion of certain municipal improvements and the acquisition of lands as follows:

PROPOSITION ONE.

The acquisition of certain lands, being a portion of the "Sutro Property," located in the City and County of San Francisco contiguous to and in the vicinity of Lincoln Park, and embraced in a certain offer of the heirs of Adolph Sutro to the City and County dated on or about August 22, 1912.

Together with the improvements thereon to be used for the purposes of a public park, and pleasure and recreation grounds, and such other public purposes as may be determined by the Board of Supervisors.

PROPOSITION TWO.

The completion of the permanent municipal buildings known as and to be used as the County Jail and the San Francisco Hospital.

PROPOSITION THREE.

The acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Van Ness avenue at its northerly termination to be used as a Public Aquatic Park.

PROPOSITION FOUR.

The acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park.

PROPOSITION FIVE.

The construction and completion of a fire and police signal system, including the necessary buildings, and the acquisition of lands therefor.

Section 2. It is further determined and declared that the cost of the acquisition of the aforesaid lands and improvements and of the completion of the aforementioned buildings and improvements, or of any of the aforementioned buildings, improvements, or lands, in addition to the other expenses of the City and County will exceed the income and revenue provided for the City and County for any one year and will render it necessary to incur a bonded indebtedness therefor.

Section 3. The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to procure and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of cost of original construction and completion and acquisition of all the buildings and improvements described in the

several propositions set forth, in section one of this Ordinance, and estimates of cost of the lands so set forth in section one of this Ordinance.

Section 4. This Ordinance is the first of a series of Ordinances which will be adopted under and by virtue of which it is proposed that the municipal bonded indebtedness of said City and County will be incurred for the several purposes herein enumerated.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper for fourteen days and shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9761 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That J. Looney Co. is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after September 16, 1912, within which to complete contract for plumbing at the Girls' High School.

This extension is granted for the reason that the said contractor is unable to continue his work until the general contractor on the building is further along with his work.

(Communication from the Board of Public Works, filed September 25, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Koshland—1.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Recommitted.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing and on motion *recommitted to the Public Utilities Committee*:

Granting Sutter Street Railway Company Permission to and Including November 14, 1929, to Operate an Overhead Trolley System on Lower Market in Accordance With the Terms and Agreements This Day Authorized.

Bill No. 2280, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Granting to the Sutter Street Railway Company or its assigns permission to maintain cars and an overhead trolley over the tracks jointly owned by the City and County of San Francisco and said company or its assigns on Market street, between Sansome and Sutter streets and the Ferry, for the unexpired term, to wit, from November 14, 1929, and the franchise granted to said company by Order No. 1525, approved November 14, 1879.

Whereas, On the 14th day of October, 1912, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco by resolution agreed with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco as follows:

1st. The Sutter Street Railway Company will consent to an affirmance by the Supreme Court of the State of California the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco in the case of The People of the State of California *ex rel* D. S. O'Brien v. The Sutter Street Railway Company, which judgment was rendered on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book 51, page 471, said judgment of affirmance to include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court by adding after the words "from maintaining or operating a street railway on Market street or any part thereof from the City Front to Sutter street" the words "except as such street railway may and shall be maintained and operated by defendant, Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, in accordance with the terms of the stipulation entered into between the parties as follows":

2nd. The United Railroads waiving its right to object to the use of Market street from Geary street to the City Front under provisions of Section 5 of Order 1514 of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco and under the provisions of Section 499 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and hereby consenting to the operation of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street.

3rd. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, and the City and County of San Francisco, through its Municipal Street Railway, to have joint ownership and use of the outer tracks and overhead equipment on Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon payment by the City of one-half of the cost of construction of said outer tracks and overhead equipment, it being understood and agreed that each of the parties to the agreement shall be liable and shall pay one-half of the value of maintenance, repair and replacement of said outer tracks and overhead equipment after joint operation shall have commenced. Said value to be determined by a representative of the City and a representative of the Railway who shall, in the event of a disagreement, select a third party to act as arbitrator, it being agreed that in no event shall the City pay more than Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars for its half interest. It is further agreed that at

the expiration of the privilege herein granted to the Sutter Street Railway Company the said Railway shall receive from the city fifty (50) per cent of the value of its one-half interest in said tracks and equipment, said value to be determined in the same manner as the present determination is to be arrived at.

4th. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, accept and is hereby granted the privilege to operate its railroad over the outer tracks with electricity by means of the overhead trolley system for the period of years up to and including the 14th day of November, 1929. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, agreeing that it will not attempt to operate any cars over said outer tracks other than those now regularly operated on Sutter street, and such other cars as the Board of Supervisors may, by ordinance, permit to be run. The time schedule and rights of way of the Sutter street cars on Market street and the United Railroads cars on Kearny street at the intersection of Geary street and at the intersection of Market street to be settled by agreement between the Superintendent of the Sutter Street Railway and the United Railroads on the one hand and the Superintendent of the Municipal Street Railway on the other and in case of disagreement the two to select a third person to act as arbitrator.

5th. The City and County of San Francisco will have the right to string its wires for the operation of the cars of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front upon the poles of the United Railroads without any charge or compensation therefor.

6th. The electric current made use of from the United Railroads by the Municipal Street Railway to be paid for by the City and County of San Francisco in proportion to its use.

In arriving at the charge for current the car miles operated over the joint tracks will be multiplied by the number of kilowatt hours per mile used by those cars, and the product in turn, multiplied by the price per kilowatt hour, which will be the cost price to the United Railroads. If this exceeds the price paid by the City for street railway purposes the United Railroads will base its charge upon the same price as that paid by the City.

7th. Transfers to be exchanged, under proper restrictions, at the intersection of the Municipal Street Railway with the Divisadero and Fillmore lines of the United Railroads, the City to have the option to abrogate this arrangement.

8th. The cars of the municipal

street railway will run through to the City Front upon the tracks to be constructed on Market street from Kearny street to Sutter street and thence upon Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon the so-called outer tracks heretofore constructed by the Sutter Street Railway Company.

9th. It is understood and agreed by the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads on their part that this agreement shall cover the loops at the City Front.

10th. The City and County of San Francisco to have the right to operate its Municipal Street Railway from Point Lobos avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads when it so desires upon the payment of an equal proportion of the cost of construction of the tracks and appurtenances used by such railways jointly.

11th. No word or expression in this agreement shall be construed as granting the Sutter Street Railway, or its assigns, a right on Market street beyond November 14, 1929.

12th. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to be a waiver on the part of the Board of Supervisors of its rights to regulate street railroad operation in the City and County of San Francisco.

Now, therefore, be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Sutter Street Railway Company or its assigns is hereby granted permission to maintain and operate cars by an overhead trolley over the tracks jointly owned by said company and the City on Market street between Sansome and Sutter Streets to the City Front, for the unexpired term, to wit, to November 14, 1929.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect from and after the date of its approval by the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.—17.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy.—1.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2282, Ordinance No. 2048 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Vallejo street, between the westerly line of Baker street and the easterly line of Lyon street; crossing of Anza street and Sixteenth avenue;

crossing of Carl and Willard streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.—17.

Full Acceptance, Twenty-third Street, Between Diamond and Douglass Streets.

Bill No. 2275, Ordinance No. 2049, (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Twenty-third street, between Diamond and Douglass streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.—17.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2283, Ordinance No. 2050 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Miguel street, between Arlington street and the Southern Pacific Railroad right of way; crossing of Clifford street and Upper Terrace; crossing of Geary street and Fifteenth avenue; crossing of Geary street and Sixteenth avenue; crossing of Geary street and Seventeenth avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.—17.

Fixing Width of Sidewalks, Ocean Avenue.

Bill No. 2287, Ordinance No. 2051 (New Series), Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, "Regulating the widths of sidewalks," approved December 18, 1903, by amending Section 218 thereof, the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Ocean avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.—17.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths on Surrey Street.

Bill No. 2277, Ordinance No. 2052 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered Four Hundred and Eighty-five," the terms of which provide that the width of sidewalks on Surrey street, between Chenery street and Castro street, shall be eight (8) feet, and that any expense caused by the above change of walk widths shall be borne by the property owners.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Deeds for Opening Streets in
Subdivision 4, Bay View Tract.

Bill No. 2285, Ordinance No. 2053,
(New Series), entitled "Approving
and accepting a deed of lands in
Subdivision No. 4, Bay View Tract,
from Bay View Land Company (a cor-
poration), for the opening of Ignacio
avenue, Ingerson avenue and Gilroy
street, and declaring that portion of
Ignacio avenue, Ingerson avenue and
Gilroy street, covered by said deed, to
be open, public streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Approving and Adopting Official Map,
Subdivision 4, Bay View Tract.

Bill No. 2286, Ordinance No. 2054
(New Series), entitled, "Approving
and adopting the Official Map of Sub-
division No. 4, Bay View Tract."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Approving and Adopting Official Maps of
Crocker-Amazon Tract.

Bill No. 2287, Ordinance No. 2055,
(New Series), entitled, "Approving
and adopting official maps of Crocker-
Amazon Tract."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Approving and Accepting Deeds for Lands
for Drainage Purposes on Crocker-Ama-
zon Tract.

Bill No. 2288, Ordinance No. 2056
(New Series), entitled, "Approving
and accepting a deed to lands in
the Crocker-Amazon Tract from the
Crocker Estate Company (a corpora-
tion) to the City and County of San
Francisco, for drainage purposes."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Approving and Accepting Deed to Lands
for Opening Streets in Crocker-Amazon
Tract.

Bill No. 2287, Ordinance No. 2057,

(New Series, entitled, "Approving
and accepting deeds to lands in the
Crocker-Amazon Tract from the Crock-
er Estate Company (a corporation) to
the City and County of San Francisco,
for the opening of the following named
streets, to wit:

Rolph, Morse, Curtis, Newton, Lon-
don, Paris, Lisbon, Madrid, Edinburgh,
Vienna, Athens, Moscow, Seville,
Munich, Cordova and Naple streets,
and declaring said streets covered by
said deed to be open public streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2290, Ordinance No. 2058
(New Series), entitled, "Granting
permission to Nat Raphael, revocable
at will of the Board of Supervisors,
to construct, maintain and operate
a spur track from the spur track serv-
ing the property of the Blinn Estate
at the northwest corner of Second and
Brannan streets, at a point 50 feet,
more or less, southerly from the south-
erly line of Brannan street; thence
running northerly, crossing Brannan
street, curving to the right with a
curve having a radius of 235 feet to
the westerly curb line of Second
street; thence continuing northerly
and parallel to the westerly line of
Second street to a point 50 feet, more
or less northerly from the northerly
line of North Park."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2276, Ordinance No. 2059
(New Series), entitled, "Granting per-
mission, revocable at will of the Board
of Supervisors, to J. P. Holland, to
construct, maintain and operate a spur
track from the tracks of the Atchison,
Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company
in Quint street and Davidson avenue,
running thence in a northerly direc-
tion to the southerly line of Arthur
avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan,
Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Changing Grades, Dolores Street.

Bill No. 2274, Ordinance No. 2060
(New Series), entitled, "Changing and
re-establishing the official grades on
Dolores street, between the lines re-

spectively 88.3 feet and 301.11 feet southerly from the southerly line of Thirtieth street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2278, Ordinance No. 2061 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of the following street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," to-wit:

That Fortieth avenue, between Balboa and Cabrillo streets, be graded to official line and grade.

That granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks, an asphalt pavement, brick cesspools and ironstone pipe culverts be constructed at the crossing of West Clay street and Twenty-fifth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9762 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Daniel Contracting Company is hereby granted an extension of forty-five days' time from and after August 25, 1912, within which to complete contract for construction of Section "G" of the North Point main sewer, under contract No. 45.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was delayed by the construction of a division wall in the sewer, authorized by this Board by Resolution No. 18526 (Second Series).

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$818,670.89 and numbered consecutively 27,510 to 27,868, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee

having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of Henry Geilfuss to Sell for \$55,061.10 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9763 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Henry Geilfuss to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Henry Geilfuss to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 175 feet westerly from the westerly line of Polk street; running thence westerly along said northerly line of Fulton street 50 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 53 feet 6½ inches; thence northwesterly 13 feet 8½ inches; thence northerly 60 feet 10½ inches to the southerly line of Ash street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Ash street 62 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet 6 inches to the said northerly line of Fulton street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title of said land and improvements and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price, to wit: For the purchase of said land

and improvements\$55,000.00
 Rebate on taxes for current
 fiscal year allowed..... 61.10

\$55,961.10

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher,
 Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jen-
 nings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran,
 Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-
 sang--17

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed*
for printing:

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. — (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That the following ex-
 penditures be and the same are hereby
 authorized to be expended out of the
 hereinafter mentioned accounts to the
 following named claimants, to-wit:

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.
 Southern Pacific Company,
 freight, cast iron pipe
 (claim dated Oct. 9, 1912). \$ 749.33
 Enterprise Foundry Company,
 twenty-seventh payment,
 cast iron specials (claim
 dated Oct. 15, 1912)..... 12,492.40
 Judson Manufacturing Com-
 pany, first payment, steel
 frame, Fort Mason Pump-
 ing Station (claim dated
 Oct. 15, 1912) 5,625.00
 Payne Bolt Works, bolts, etc.
 (claim dated Sept. 25,
 1912) 817.58

School Bond Fund, 1908.
 O'Brien & Werner, final pay-
 ment, architects, Lowell
 High School (claim dated
 July 8, 1912) 713.40

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.
 Butte Engineering and Elec-
 tric Company, third pay-
 ment, electric clock and
 signal system, San Fran-
 cisco hospitals (claim dated
 Oct. 4, 1912) 1,200.00
 Butte Engineering and Elec-
 tric Company, first pay-
 ment, electric work, San
 Francisco hospitals (claim
 dated Oct. 4, 1912) 1,350.00

*City Hall-Civic Center Improvement
 Fund, Bond Issue 1912.*
 Robert Hooker and George H.
 Lent, land for Civic Center
 purposes, 36 feet 8 inches
 by 120 feet, south line Mc-
 Allister street, 192½ feet
 west of Larkin street
 (claim dated Oct. 18,
 1912)\$33,434.05
 B. C. Healey, land for Civic
 Center purposes, 25 x 120

feet, north line Fulton
 street, 150 feet west of Polk
 street (claim dated Oct. 9,
 1912) 10,016.36

Geary Street Railway Fund, 1910.
 Mahoney Bros., fifth payment,
 track construction (claim
 dated Oct. 18, 1912)\$97,931.15

Advertising Redemption Account.
 The Recorder Printing and
 Publishing Company, adver-
 tising sale of property of
 State of California (claim
 dated Oct. 16, 1912) \$516.12

General Fund, 1912-1913.
 Sherry Freitas Co., Inc., gro-
 ceries, Tuberculosis Hospi-
 tal (claim dated Oct. 1,
 1912) \$ 580.46
 Sperry Flour Company, cere-
 als, Relief Home (claim
 dated Oct. 1, 1912) 1,524.29
 Standard Oil Company, fuel
 oil, Relief Home (claim
 dated Oct. 10, 1912) 983.50
 Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Re-
 lief Home (claim dated
 Sept. 30, 1912) 1,811.98
 Antioch Sand Company, sand
 (claim dated Oct. 7, 1912). 863.66
 E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., grav-
 el (claim dated Oct. 8,
 1912) 995.01
 E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., grav-
 el (claim dated Oct. 8,
 1912) 653.00
 Whitcomb Estate, by James
 Otis, trustee, October rent,
 temporary City Hall (claim
 dated Oct. 16, 1912) 5,250.00
 J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Police
 Department (claim dated
 Oct. 1, 1912) 1,038.39
 Bion J. Arnold, investigation
 street railway systems
 (claim dated Sept. 30,
 1912) 3,018.34
 The Rincon Publishing Com-
 pany, printing public docu-
 ments (claim dated Oct. 16,
 1912) 663.31
 Sister Mary Caine, superin-
 tendent Mt. St. Joseph's I.
 O. A., maintenance of min-
 ors (claim dated Sept. 30,
 1912) 1,045.74
 Brother Paul, superintendent
 St. Vincent's Asylum, main-
 tenance of minors (claim
 dated Sept. 30, 1912) 1,784.23
 Catholic Humane Bureau,
 maintenance of minors
 (claim dated Sept. 30,
 1912) 4,282.50
 Eureka Benevolent Society,
 maintenance of minors
 (claim dated Sept. 30,
 1912) 690.06
 The Boys' and Girls' Aid So-
 ciety, maintenance of min-
 ors (claim dated Oct. 1,

1912)	624.82
State of California, minors, Preston School, for September (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	614.53
State of California, maintenance feeble minded, Sonoma, Cal. (claim dated Sept. 4, 1912)	2,350.00
State of California, maintenance feeble minded, Sonoma, Cal. (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	2,340.00
Albertinum Orphanage, maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	577.20
<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.</i>	
Eugenia Samuels Fisher, land for Civic Center purposes, 50 x 100 feet, northeast corner Van Ness avenue and Ash street (claim dated Oct. 17, 1912)	\$57,995.51
Henry Gelfuss, land for Civic Center purposes, 50 x 120 feet, north line of Fulton street, 159 feet east of Van Ness avenue (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912)	55,061.10
Percy V. Long, City Attorney, for payment and in satisfaction of judgment and decree of condemnation in City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams et al., for lot of land (Joseph Rich Company property) for Civic Center purposes, 9 x 109 feet, situate southeast corner of Van Ness avenue and Ash street (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912)	104,000.00

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For Paving, Repaving, Grading, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For repairs to northerly portion of Third street bridge.	\$306.00
For repairs to southerly portion of Third street bridge.	290.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

For payment to M. M. O'Shaughnessy, W. R. Eckert and H. H. Holmes, commission appointed to examine the Twin Peaks Reservoir, per Resolution No. 19,893 (Second Series)	\$3,750.00
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*City Hall-Civic Center Improvement
Fund, Bond Issue 1912.*

For payment to Bakewell &

Brown, architects, for preparation of City Hall plans, per contract	\$17,000.00
<i>Geary Street Railway Bond Fund, 1910.</i>	
For salary of Thos. A. Cashin, superintendent of Municipal Railroads, Oct. 7 to Dec. 31, 1912	\$1,169.32
<i>Advertising, Budget Item No. 30.</i>	
For publishing notice of taxes due, as per section No. 3746, Political Code	\$500.00

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Proposals for Constructing Sewers in Somerset and Felton Streets.

Also, Resolution No. 9764 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Somerset street, between Wayland and Felton streets, and in Felton street, from Somerset street to Bowdoin street, out of Sewer Construction Bonds, issue of 1904.

Further Resolved, That a sufficient sum will be set aside by the finance committee of the Board of Supervisors for the construction of said sewers and appurtenances when bids for said construction shall have been received and when a sufficient amount is on deposit in the treasury from the sale of said Sewer Construction Bonds, issue of 1904.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Clerk to Advertise Sale of 1904 School Bonds.

Resolution No. 9765 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Clerk be authorized and directed to advertise that on Monday, November 4, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m., this Board will receive and consider proposals for the purchase of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, issued in 1904, described as School Bonds of the seventeenth and eighteenth series, amounting to \$179,600. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check of deposit equal to five per cent of the amount bid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Statement of Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company as to Percentage Due City on Gross Receipts From Passenger Fares for Six Months Ending September 30, 1912.

Resolution No. 9766 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the statements heretofore filed by the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company, showing there is due the City and County the sum of \$623.12 on account of percentages of street railroad fares for the six months ending September 30th, 1912, be and the same is hereby accepted, and said Presidio & Ferries Railroad Company is hereby directed to deposit with the Treasurer of the City and County the said sum of \$623.12, the same to be placed to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Mayor to Modify City Hall Lease on Condition that Addition to Building is Constructed.

Also, Resolution No. 9767 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco did, on or about October 25, 1910, accept the offer of James Otis, as Trustee under the will of A. C. Whitcomb, deceased, and by the decree of distribution made in the matter of the estate of said Whitcomb, deceased, to erect and lease to the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation, a combination of three buildings for temporary City Hall purposes, all to be located on the southeasterly line of Market street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in said City and County of San Francisco; and

Whereas, Under and by authority of the powers conferred upon him by said Board of Supervisors, the Honorable Mayor of said City and County of San Francisco did, on January 24, 1911, enter into a certain agreement of lease, for and on behalf of said City and County of San Francisco, a copy of said agreement of lease having been recorded in the office of the County Recorder of said City and County of San Francisco in Liber 39 of Leases, at page 8 thereof; and

Whereas, Said City and County of San Francisco is now desirous of having the one-story building designated in said agreement of lease as Building "B" enlarged by the addition of one story thereto; and

Whereas, Said Otis has so agreed to enlarge said building upon the consideration that there be paid to him

two hundred and twenty-five dollars a month further rent, commencing at the time that such enlargement to said building be ready for occupation;

Now therefore, in consideration of the premises, the Honorable Mayor of said City and County of San Francisco be and he hereby is authorized for and on behalf of said City and County, to enter into an agreement in writing wherein and whereby said above mentioned lease shall be modified as follows:

In consideration of said Otis, as said Trustee, commencing with all due diligence and dispatch the addition of a further story to said Building "B", said City and County of San Francisco shall, upon the completion of such addition and the occupation of said addition by it, pay to said Otis a further and additional sum by way of rent for the buildings occupied and to be occupied by said City and County of San Francisco the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars a month: provided always, that such addition to said Building "B" shall be of a kind that will meet the necessities and requirements of said City and County of San Francisco, and that its occupation and use shall be in all respects according to the terms, conditions and obligations set forth in said lease, and that there be no modification of said lease other than that the monthly rental therein provided shall be increased in the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars per month.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Denying Garage Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: J. R. No. 456.

Resolved, That in the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is denied to J. B. Humpert to erect and maintain a public garage on the north side of Fell street, 75 feet east of Stanyan street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Westgate Park Company is hereby granted per-

mission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to blast in premises situate in that certain tract of land in the San Miguel Rancho on properties of the Residential Development Company, bounded by the lines of the San Miguel Rancho, Corbett avenue and West Corbett avenue, containing approximately 176.5 acres, in quarrying rock to be used only in the construction of improvements in said tract; it being understood that the said quarry is to be operated for this specific purpose and not as a commercial enterprise, and this privilege to terminate when the said improvements have been completed; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$—— as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said Westgate Park Company, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Rock Crusher Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Westgate Park Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to operate a rock crusher in premises situate in that certain tract of land in the San Miguel Rancho, on properties of the Residential Development Company, bounded by the lines of the San Miguel Rancho, Corbett avenue and West Corbett avenue; this privilege to be enjoyed during the period of quarrying rock for improvement purposes in said tract, and in accordance with the provisions and regulations of Resolution No. — (New Series).

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows

Resolved. That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, be granted to the following:

Storage Tanks.

Mrs. A. C. Campbell, 2737 Sutter street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Hildebrand's Bakery, 125 Campbell avenue, capacity 500 gallons.

Liverpool, London & Glove Insurance Company, northeast corner of California and Liedesdorff streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Elizabeth M. Morehouse, east side of Mission street, 203 feet south of

Twenty-third street, capacity 1900 gallons.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Denying Stable Permit.

J. R. No. 457.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied to F. Torre, to maintain a stable for four horses on the south side of Chestnut street, 163 feet west of Powell street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 458.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be requested to install street lights at the following locations:

SINGLE TOP GAS LAMPS.

One single top gas lamp in middle of the block on Broadway, between Steiner and Pierce streets.

One single top gas lamp northeast corner of Broadway and Pierce street.

One single top gas lamp in the middle of the block on Pierce street, between Broadway and Vallejo street.

One single top gas lamp east side of Pierce street, 91 feet south of Pacific street.

One single top gas lamp, south side of Diamond, 208 feet south of 21st street.

One single top gas lamp, west side of Diamond street, 110 feet south of Hill street.

One single top gas lamp, on the east side of Diamond street, 110 feet south of 21st street.

One single top gas lamp, on east side of Diamond street, 110 feet south of 22nd street.

One single top gas lamp, on the south side of Jackson street, 206 feet west of Pierce street.

Two single top gas lamps, at corner of Jackson and Scott streets.

One single top gas lamp, on south side of Pacific street, 309 feet west of Scott street.

One single top gas lamp, on north side of Pacific street, 103 feet west of Pierce street.

One single top gas lamp, on south side of Pacific street, 206 feet west of Pierce street.

One single top gas lamp, on east side of 12th avenue, 240 feet south of Kirkham.

One single top gas lamp, in the mid-

dle of the block on Eureka street, between Eureka and Douglass streets.

One single top gas lamp, in the middle of the block on south side of Jersey street, between Diamond and Douglass streets.

ARC LIGHTS.

One arc light at the northwest corner of Huron and Mission streets.

One arc light on 16th avenue, between California and Lake streets.

One arc light, at corner of 17th avenue and Cabrillo street.

One arc light, at corner of 22nd avenue and Anza street.

One arc light, at corner of 10th avenue and Noriega street.

One arc light, at corner of Berlin and Harkness streets.

One arc light, at corner of 15th avenue and Balboa street.

One arc light, at corner of 13th avenue and Anza street.

One arc light, at corner of 13th avenue and Balboa street.

One arc light, at corner of Groveland and Danvers street.

One arc light, at corner of Tompkins avenue and Putnam street.

Change arc lamp, from pole 94 on Ashbury street to northeast corner of Ashbury and Clifford streets.

Change arc lamp, on Ashbury street from Pole 85 to Pole 91.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Recommended.

The following resolution was introduced and on motion of Supervisor Koshland recommitted to *Lighting and Rates Committee*:

Supervisors to Return Electrolliers in Downtown District to the Downtown Association.

J. N. No. —.

Whereas, A number of the electrolliers in the downtown district have been broken, and the City, which is charged with their maintenance, is unable to restore them at less than \$1200.00 to \$1500.00, and it is agreed that the Downtown Association will restore them and turn them all over to the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, which agrees to bear the expense of maintenance hereafter; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in accordance with the request of the Downtown Association, the said electrolliers be returned to them in order that said association may thereafter turn them over to the Pacific Gas and Electric Company which will be charged with their upkeep in the future. Further

Resolved, That Resolution No. —

heretofore accepting said electrolliers be and the same is hereby repealed.

Accepting Offer of Bernard G. Healey to Sell for \$10,016.36 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

Resolution No. 9768 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Bernard G. Healey to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Bernard G. Healey to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements.....	\$10,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed.....	16.36

\$10,016.36

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to wit:

Commencing on the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 150 feet easterly from the westerly line of Polk street; running thence westerly along said northerly line of Fulton street 25 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the southerly line of Ash street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Ash street 25 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line of Fulton street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Offer of Eugenia Samuels Fisher to Sell, for \$57,995.51, Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9769 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Eugenia Samuels Fisher to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Eugenia Samuels Fisher to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements.....	\$57,928.03
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed.....	67.48

\$57,995.51

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Van Ness avenue with the northerly line of Ash street; running thence northerly along said easterly line of Van Ness avenue 50 feet; thence at right angle easterly 100 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 50 feet to the northerly line of Ash street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Ash street 100 feet to the said easterly line of Van Ness avenue and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and improvements and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Accepting Offer of Robert G. Hooker et al. to Sell, for \$38,434.05, Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9770 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Robert G. Hooker and George H. Lent to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Robert G. Hooker and Geo. H. Lent to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements.....	\$38,382.90
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed.....	51.15

\$38,434.05

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 192 feet 6 inches, westerly from the westerly line of Larkin street; running thence westerly along said southerly line of McAllister street, 36 feet 8 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the northerly line of Ash street; thence at a right angle easterly along said northerly line of Ash street 36 feet 8 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the said southerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Daniel Contracting Company is hereby granted an extension of fifteen days' time from and after October 9, 1912, within which to complete contract for construction of Section "G" of the North Point main sewer, under Contract No. 45.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the division wall ordered constructed by the Board of Public Works in the sewer in Treat avenue, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets, took a longer time than was originally anticipated; and be it further

Resolved, That the penalties provided for in the specifications be waived.

Overhead Carrier Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to Miller & Lux, Inc., to install an overhead carrier to be used for the conveyance of baled hay from Block No. 48 to Block No. 56, Butchertown Reservation, provided said carrier be constructed under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

Changing Grades.

Also, Bill No. 2291, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Bank street."

Also, Bill No. 2292, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Elwood street."

Also, Bill No. 2293, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Upper Terrace."

Also, Bill No. 2294, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Eighth avenue, between Noriega and Ortega streets, and on Ortega street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues."

Also Bill No. 2295, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows: "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway crossing of Bosworth and Cuvier streets."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Cause Lumber and Lumber Wagons to Be Removed From Berry Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 459.

Whereas, The Superintendent of Street Cleaning Department reported to the Committee on Streets and Sewers his inability to sprinkle and clean the roadway of Berry street, between Second and Third streets, owing to the roadway of said street being covered with lumber and lumber wagons; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to cause the removal of the lumber and lumber wagons from the roadway of Berry street, between Second and Third streets, in order that the Street Cleaning Department may properly sprinkle and clean the roadway of said street.

Further Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to cause the lumber to be kept off the roadway of said street, so that the same may be open to public use as a public street for pedestrian and vehicular traffic.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Supplies Committee to Sell Relief Home Horses.

J. R. No. 460.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland: Whereas, Ten (10) head of horses now attached to the Relief Home for Aged and Infirm are no longer required by said Home owing to the purchase of a motor truck for the delivery of fuel oil; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Supplies Committee is hereby directed to sell at public auction, after five days' advertising, such of said horses as may not be needed in any other City department.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Board of Public Works to Recommend Construction of Sewer in Elsie Street.

On motion of Supervisor A. J. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 461.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to recommend the construction of a sewer in Elsie street, between Virginia and Esmeralda avenues.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was introduced under suspension of the rules and *passed for printing*:

Fixing Sidewalk Widths on Washington and Front Streets.

Bill No. 2296, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18th, 1903, by adding thereto new sections to be numbered Four Hundred and Eighty-six and Four Hundred and Eighty-seven," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Washington and on Front streets, as follows:

"Section 486. The width of sidewalks on Washington street, between Front street and The Embarcadero shall be ten (10) feet.

Section 487. The width of sidewalks on Front street, between Clay street and Washington street, shall be fifteen (15) feet.

Any expense caused by the above change of walk widths shall be borne by the property owners.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Recommending That Electors Vote in Favor of Acceptance of Carnegie Library Gift.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:
J. R. No. 462.

Whereas, The Board of Supervisors, in 1901, by formal resolution, accepted the offer of Mr. Andrew Carnegie to present to the City and County of San Francisco the sum of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars to be used for library purposes, and

Whereas, In the eleven years that have elapsed no change of attitude has been manifested by official act, the matter in the meantime having rested with the Trustees of the Public Library, and

Whereas, The construction of the City Hall and other public buildings of the Civic Center has revived the suggestion of the said acceptance of said offer, and

Whereas, There will be submitted to the people at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 1912, a proposed declaration of policy, providing for the rejection of, or the refusal to, accept or use any gift or donation from Andrew Carnegie for library or other public purposes; be it

Resolved, That in confirmation of the act of the Board of Supervisors in 1901 this Board recommends to the voters of the City and County of San Francisco that they vote "No" on the "proposed declaration of policy". as by so doing they will signify that they are in favor of the acceptance and use by the Public Library Trustees of the \$750,000.00 gift of Mr. Andrew Carnegie.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, McLeran—3.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Press, Civic and Labor Organizations to Co-operate in Support of Constitutional Amendment Providing for Consolidated City and County Governments.

Supervisor Hayden introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its *adoption*:

Resolution No. 9771 (New Series).

Whereas, An amendment to the Constitution of the State of California is to be voted upon on the 5th day of November, 1912, by the People of the State, providing for the formation of consolidated city and county governments; and

Whereas, This Board has heretofore passed a resolution favoring the adoption of the said amendment, and stating the official attitude of the City and County of San Francisco in relation thereto, and the reasons why the said amendment should receive the support of the people of the State of California; and

Whereas, False and misleading statements are being circulated throughout the State of California in respect to said amendment and particularly in respect to the attitude of the City and County of San Francisco in reference thereto, and particularly charging the City and County of San Francisco with desiring to forcibly annex surrounding territory and to possibly saddle upon other communities the bonded indebtedness of San Francisco, and

Whereas, The said amendment expressly provides "that no city or town shall become part of such consolidated city and county unless a majority of the qualified voters of such city or town voting thereon, at a general or special election, shall approve such consolidation, and at a subsequent general or special election shall also adopt a proposed freeholders' charter for such new consolidated city and county, nor shall any city or town be divided by such consolidation, nor

shall any county be included in or divided by such consolidation unless a majority of the qualified voters of such entire county voting thereon at a general or special election shall vote in favor thereof"; and

Whereas, Said amendment further provides that "provision shall be made for the payment of all outstanding bonds of such municipalities respectively by taxes levied only upon property assessable therefor and situate at the time of such levy within the territory of such municipalities respectively as such territory existed at the time of such consolidation"; and

Whereas, It appears from such amendment that no city can be consolidated without its consent, and no city can be divided by the consolidation, and that no county can be divided without its consent, and that no city or town can become liable for the outstanding bonds of any other municipality; and

Whereas, It further appears that in case of such consolidation the charter of such city and county government would provide for the issuance and payment of all bonds which might thereafter be issued, and no city could become liable therefor unless it voluntarily adopted the charter making it liable for such bonds; and

Whereas, Certain territories surrounding San Francisco are earnestly desiring to consolidate with San Francisco, and there are now on file in the office of this Board numerous petitions for such consolidation from San Mateo County, and the people of Alameda have at an official election expressed a desire for such consolidation, and there is no reason why San Francisco should not have the privilege which every other city in the State enjoys, of consolidating with neighboring communities if such communities desire such consolidation; it is hereby

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors, representing the people of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby earnestly request the press, also civic and labor organizations and the people of the State of California to support and vote for the proposed constitutional amendment which will give to the people of the city of San Francisco and neighboring cities and towns the right to unify when economic and civic conditions demonstrate that it is to the best interests of the whole State of California to so unify in one greater San Francisco. Be it further

Resolved, That the Publicity Committee of this Board distribute to all organizations and officials throughout the State of California, to the newspapers and civic organizations, copies

of this resolution and other resolutions adopted by this Board on the subject of this amendment in order that the people of the State may correctly understand the fairness of this amendment and the attitude of the people of the City and County of San Francisco in respect thereof.

Amendment.

Supervisor A. J. Gallagher moved that the words "false and" in first line of paragraph two be eliminated.

Amendment carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

No—Supervisor Murphy—1.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Whereupon, the above resolution, as amended, was adopted under suspension of the rules by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Referred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and, on motion, ordered referred to the Lands and Tunnels Committee:

Declaratory Ordinance for Bond Issue for Acquisition of Lands for Telegraph Hill Park.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series).

Determining and declaring that the public interest requires the acquisition of certain lands for municipal purposes, to wit: for the completion of the public park on Telegraph Hill.

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby determined and declared that the public interest requires the acquisition by the City and County of San Francisco of certain lands in the vicinity of Pioneer Park on Telegraph Hill, to be used in connection therewith and completion thereof, said lands aggregating about ten fifty vara lots, to wit:

The two 50 Vara lots in Block 61 lying east of and adjacent to Pioneer Park, all of Block 60 not now owned by the City, aggregating about five 50 Vara lots.

That portion of Block No. 59 lying west of Winthrop street.

Fifty Vara lot in Block No. 80, at corner of Kearny and Lombard streets, adjacent to City property.

Section 2. It is further determined and declared that the cost of the acquisition of the aforesaid lands will exceed the income and revenue provided for the City and County for any one year and will render it necessary to incur a bonded indebtedness therefor.

Section 3. The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to procure and place on file with the Board of Supervisors estimates of cost of the lands set forth in Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 4. This Ordinance is the first of a series of ordinances which will be adopted under and by virtue of which it is proposed that the municipal bonded indebtedness of said City and County, will be incurred for the purposes herein enumerated.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper for fourteen days and shall take effect immediately.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Pacific Gas and Electric Co. Permitted to Set Back Three Electroliers on North Side of Geary Street, Between Powell and Stockton Streets, to Conform to Newly Established Sidewalk Widths.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 463.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company is hereby authorized and directed to make the following change in the lighting on Geary street: To set back three electroliers on north side of Geary street, between Powell and Stockton streets, to conform to newly established sidewalk width.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Approving Plan and Authorizing Installation of Drinking Fountains by Fillmore Street Improvement Association.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

Also, J. R. No. 464.

Whereas, The Board of Supervisors granted the Fillmore Street Improvement Association permission to install and maintain public drinking foun-

tains at the following transfer points: Turk and Fillmore, McAllister and Fillmore, O'Farrell and Fillmore and Sutter and Fillmore streets, at no cost or expense to the City; and

Whereas, The resolution provided that the plan and design of these drinking fountains must first be approved by the Board of Supervisors before they are installed; and

Whereas, The plan and design of these proposed drinking fountains has been submitted to the Public Welfare Committee and has been approved by said committee; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors approve said plan and design and that the Fillmore Street Improvement Association be authorized to proceed with the immediate installation of these public drinking fountains.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Relative to Department of Municipal Employees.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:
Also, J. R. No. 465.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Board that courtesy and politeness of demeanor be at all times extended and exhibited by all employees of all departments of the government of the City and County of San Francisco, to all persons having business with such departments; and the Efficiency Committee of this Board is hereby requested to take such steps or adopt such measures in this regard as in their judgment may seem meet and proper.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board, at the hour of 4:55 o'clock p. m., adjourned to meet Tuesday evening, October 22, 1912, at 8 p. m. to continue consideration of proposed Charter amendments.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, October 28, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
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MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, October 28, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journals of the meetings of October 15, 17 and 21, 1912, were read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

The following matters were presented by his Honor the Mayor, taken up, read, ordered published, spread at length in the Journal and ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee:

MAYOR'S VETO.

Agreement to Settle Lower Market Street Dispute.

October 24, 1912.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
San Francisco:

Gentlemen:

On October 14th there were passed by your Honorable Board Resolutions Numbers 9737 (New Series) and 9738 (New Series), and sent to me for approval, both relating to the "existing controversies and litigation in which the City is interested, involving the rights to the use of the tracks constructed and claimed by the Sutter Street Railway Company, and the right of the United Railroads of San Francisco to object to the use of Market street, from Geary street to the City Front, by a Municipal Street Railway."

In order to clearly place before

you my views concerning the reasons which prompt my addressing this message to you, I attach hereto and make a part hereof copies of both of said resolutions; also a copy of the agreement sent me for execution by the City Attorney, for the purpose of carrying out the terms of Resolution No. 9737 (New Series) adopted by your Honorable Board.

Resolution Number 9737 (New Series) adopted by your Honorable Board authorizes the Mayor to enter into an agreement containing certain conditions and limitations, set forth specifically in the resolution.

Since the passing of the resolution, it has occurred to me that the agreement should contain other conditions and restrictions, not set forth in the resolution, and that certain provisions in the proposed agreement outlined in Resolution Number 9737 (New Series) should be eliminated.

As the proposed agreement is to regulate the use of the outer tracks on lower Market street for seventeen years, there may arise in the future some question as to the binding effect on the railroad companies of any restrictions written into the agreement by the Mayor, and not provided for by the resolution. The resolution is the measure of my power.

The agreement which I, as Mayor, shall execute, must be identical with the agreement authorized by the resolution.

I can see no other course open to me than to re-refer the matters with which the resolutions deal to your Honorable Board for further consideration and to recommend the adoption of a resolution that will fix the terms of a new agreement.

I hereby disapprove each of said resolutions, and, pursuant to the provisions of Section 16, Chapter I, Article 2 of our Charter, I herewith return the same to you with my objections thereto.

In vetoing these resolutions, I wish my position, as set forth in this message, distinctly understood.

I am not opposed to the proposal for an agreement.

On the contrary, I am in favor of

an agreement that will fully protect the City's interests.

I believe we would best serve the entire people of the City by allowing the Sutter Street Railway Company, under proper restrictions, so that the City would always control the situation, and for proper compensatory advantages to the City, the privilege of using the outer tracks on lower Market street, in a manner that would not, in any measure, embarrass or inconvenience the operation of the Geary Street Line. That, as I understand it, is the purpose of the proposed agreement—an agreement which will finally adjust the long pending litigation that heretofore prevented, and, if not settled, may indefinitely prevent the extension of the Geary street road on Market street, to the Ferry, thereby seriously affecting the financial success of the Municipal Railway.

I have thus far heard no criticism that suggests a remedy for the unsatisfactory conditions that exist. To assert that there should be no agreement is not suggesting a remedy. A municipal ownership theory that transports no people answers no practical purpose.

When existing franchises expire, complete municipal ownership and operation will surely occur. That will not be for years to come; and the people of today have their rights as well as the people of tomorrow, among which rights is transportation between their homes and places of employment.

The benefit of the greatest number requires the prompt clearing up of the street railroad situation on lower Market street, so as to permit the Geary street municipal cars to reach the Ferry.

This can be done without sacrificing municipal ownership in principle of in fact, by a proper agreement, through which many advantages to the Geary street road will be gained.

On Monday next, I will take the liberty of submitting to your Honorable Board, for your consideration, suggestions for an amended agreement which, in my opinion, will provide fully for the protection of the public interest, and guard against disputes in the future.

Yours very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

Resolution No. 9737 (New Series) :
Whereas, On the 30th day of September, 1912, the Board of Supervisors made the following offer of settlement to the United Railroads of San Francisco with reference to disputed rights on lower Market street and with re-

gard to the construction and operation of a municipal street railway, to-wit: Resolution No. 9720 (New Series); be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors hereby makes the following offer of settlement to the United Railroads Company with reference to disputed rights on lower Market street; and with regard to the construction and operation of the Municipal Street Railway:

1. The United Railroads to dismiss appeal from the decision of the Superior Court forfeiting the Sutter Street Railway franchise, and to stipulate forfeiture of said franchise.

2. The United Railroads to specifically waive all right of action against the City based upon Section 5 of Order No. 1415 granting a franchise to the Market Street Railway Company, which section contains the so-called "five blocks provision."

3. The outer tracks, with overhead equipment, from Sutter Street to the Ferry to revert to the possession of the City. In which case the Sutter street cars may run thereon without cost of rental; or, the City will buy the outer tracks and then charge either a monthly rental to the United Railroads for the use of said outer tracks, or charge the United Railroads one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement.

4. The City will give permit to the United Railroads for running Sutter street cars through to the Ferry on the outer tracks, said permit to hold good till the date of expiration of original, now forfeited, franchise.

5. The City to have the right to string its wires for the operation of its cars on Market street from Geary street to the Ferry upon the poles of the United Railroads without any charge or compensation therefor.

6. The electric current used from the United Railroads to be paid for in proportion to use by respective parties.

7. Transfers to be exchanged under proper restrictions at the intersection of the Municipal Railway with the Devisadero, Fillmore, Larkin, and possibly other street lines of the United Railroads.

8. All Municipal Railway cars to run through to the Ferry upon the outer tracks from Kearny street.

9. The City to have the right to operate its Municipal Railway on Point Lobos avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads, if, and when, it so desires upon payment of proportionate cost of construction and maintenance.

And Whereas, The United Railroads of San Francisco and the Sutter

Street Railway Company have agreed to the following:

1st. The Sutter Street Railway Company will consent to an affirmance by the Supreme Court of the State of California of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco in the case of *The People of the State of California ex rel D. S. O'Brien v. The Sutter Street Railway Company*, which judgment was rendered on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book 51, page 471, said judgment of affirmance to include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court by adding after the words "from maintaining or operating a street railway on Market street or any part thereof from the City Front to Sutter street" the words "except as such street railway may and shall be maintained and operated by defendant, Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, in accordance with the terms of the stipulation entered into between the parties as follows":

2nd. The United Railroads waiving its right to object to the use of Market street from Geary street to the City Front under provisions of Section 5 of Order 1514 of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco and under the provisions of Section 499 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and hereby consenting to the operation of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street.

3rd. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, and the City and County of San Francisco, through its Municipal Street Railway, to have joint ownership and use of the outer tracks and overhead equipment on Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon payment by the City of one-half of the cost of construction of said outer tracks and overhead equipment, it being understood and agreed that each of the parties to the agreement shall be liable and shall pay one-half of the value of maintenance, repair and replacement of said outer tracks and overhead equipment after joint operation shall have commenced. Said value to be determined by a representative of the City and a representative of the Railway who shall, in the event of a disagreement, select a third party to act as arbitrator. It being agreed that in no event shall the City pay more than Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars for its half interest. It is further agreed that at the expiration of the privilege herein granted to the Sutter Street Railway Company the said Railway shall receive from the city fifty (50) per cent of the value of its one-half interest in

said tracks and equipment, said value to be determined in the same manner as the present determination is to be arrived at.

4th. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, accept and is hereby granted the privilege to operate its railroad over the outer tracks with electricity by means of the overhead trolley system for the period of years up to and including the 14th day of November, 1929. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, agreeing that it will not attempt to operate any cars over said outer tracks other than those now regularly operated on Sutter street, such other cars as the Board of Supervisors may, by ordinance, permit to be run. The time schedule and rights of way of the Sutter street cars on Market street and the United Railroads cars on Kearny street at the intersection of Geary street and at the intersection of Market street to be settled by agreement between the Superintendent of the Sutter Street Railway and the United Railroads on the one hand and the Superintendent of the Municipal Street Railway on the other and in case of disagreement the two to select a third person to act as arbitrator.

5th. The City and County of San Francisco will have the right to string its wires for the operation of the cars of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front upon the poles of the United Railroads without any charge, or compensation therefor.

6th. The electric current made use of from the United Railroads by the Municipal Street Railway to be paid for by the City and County of San Francisco in proportion to its use.

In arriving at the charge for current the car miles operated over the joint tracks will be multiplied by the number of kilowatt hours per car mile by those cars, and the product in turn, multiplied by the price per kilowatt hour, which will be the cost price to the United Railroads. If this exceeds the price paid by the City for street railway purposes the United Railroads will base its charge upon the same price as that paid by the City.

7th. Transfers to be exchanged, under proper restrictions, at the intersection of the Municipal Street Railway with the Divisadero and Fillmore lines of the United Railroads, the City to have the option to abrogate this arrangement.

8th. The cars of the municipal street railway will run through to the City Front upon the tracks to be constructed on Market street from Kearny street to Sutter street and thence upon Market street from

Sutter street to the City Front upon the so-called outer tracks heretofore constructed by the Sutter Street Railway Company.

9th. It is understood and agreed by the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads on their part that this agreement shall cover the loops at the City Front.

10th. The City and County of San Francisco to have the right to operate its Municipal Street Railway from Point Lobos avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads when it so desires upon the payment of an equal proportion of the cost of construction of the tracks and appurtenances used by such railways jointly.

11th. No word or expression in this agreement shall be construed as granting the Sutter Street Railway, or it assigns, a right on Market street beyond November 14, 1929.

12th. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to be a waiver on the part of the Board of Supervisors of its rights to regulate street railroad operation in the City and County of San Francisco.

Be it Resolved, That the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco is hereby authorized and requested to execute an agreement with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco whereby the City and County of San Francisco binds itself to perform on its part all that it is required to do under the terms of the agreement hereinabove set forth and whenever such agreement so executed by the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco and the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco shall have been filed with the Board of Supervisors then and in that event the City Attorney shall be and he is hereby requested, directed and authorized to enter into such agreement and stipulation as will carry out the purpose and intent of this resolution. And as a part of such stipulation and agreement upon the conditions and terms aforesaid the City Attorney is authorized, directed and requested to consent to the affrmance by the Supreme Court of the State of California and the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco as modified by the agreement hereinbefore set forth in the case of The People of the State of California v. The Sutter Street Railway Company.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Resolution No. 9738 (New Series):

Whereas, by resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, the City Attorney was directed to prepare a settlement between said City and County on the one hand and the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco on the other, wherein and whereby "existing controversies and litigation in which the City is interested involving the rights to the use of the tracks constructed and claimed by the Sutter Street Railway Company and the right of the United Railroads of San Francisco to object to the use of Market street, from Geary street to the City Front, by a municipal street railway;" and

Whereas, a settlement has been agreed upon between the parties hereto to under which and by which the rights of all the parties herein mentioned (Market street, from Geary street to the City Front) have been agreed upon and defined; and

Whereas, there is pending in the Supreme Court of the State of California an appeal on the part of the Sutter Street Railway Company in the case of the People of the State of California vs. the Sutter Street Railway Company, which said action was begun at the request of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco; and

Whereas, in the agreement entered into between the parties herein mentioned it is provided that a judgment of affrmance be consented to, which said judgment of affrmance will include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco by adding after the words "the Sutter Street Railway Company is excluded from the franchise and privilege of maintaining the outer or any street railway tracks on Market street, or any portion thereof from the City Front to Sutter street and from maintaining or operating a street railway track thereon and from maintaining and operating a street railroad on Market street or any part thereof, from the City Front to Sutter street" the words "except as such street railway may and shall be maintained and operated by defendant, the Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, in accordance with the terms of the stipulation entered into between the parties hereto;" and

Whereas, the City Attorney has recommended the settlement of such litigation in accordance with the terms of the agreement heretofore authorized by this Board;

Now, therefore, Be it ordained that the City Attorney is directed and hereby ordered to enter into such stipula-

tion with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco as will carry into effect the agreement hereinabove mentioned, and the Attorney General of the State of California is hereby requested to join in such stipulation and to give his consent to the judgment of affirmation mentioned.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Memorandum of Agreement, made this — day of October, A. D. 1912, by and between the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation organized and existing under a Freeholder's Charter, known as the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco approved by the Legislature of the State of California on the 26th day of January, 1899, hereinafter called "City", party of the first part, and United Railroads of San Francisco, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of laws of the State of California, hereinafter called "Railroad", party of the second part, and the Sutter Street Railway Company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, hereinafter called "Railway", party of the third part, witnesseth:

Whereas, By ordinance known as Ordinance No. 923 (New Series), approved October 25th, 1909, the City and County of San Francisco passed what is known as Bill No. 1047 (New Series), Ordinance No. 923, determining and declaring that public interest and necessity demanded the construction of street railways along and upon the following streets, to-wit:

1. On Geary street from Market street to Point Lobos avenue, Point Lobos avenue from Geary street to Cliff avenue, Cliff avenue from Point Lobos avenue to a convenient terminal near the ocean, Tenth avenue from Point Lobos avenue to Golden Gate Park;

2. Over and along Market street from Geary to East street, and thereafter the said Board of Supervisors of the said City and County duly called a special election to be held in said City and County on the 30th day of December, 1909, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County the proposition, among other things, to incur a bonded indebtedness for the construction by said City and County of a street railway over and along said hereinabove described route, at which said election it was declared and de-

termined to construct said railroad; and

Whereas, Railroad is the owner and is operating its railroad in the City and County of San Francisco, and particularly over and along Market street from Geary street to East street, and from Thirty-third avenue and Point Lobos avenue along Point Lobos avenue westerly to Forty-eighth avenue, and on Sutter street from Market street to Presidio avenue, the right to operate and maintain which said Railroad was granted by Order No. 1514 of said City and County, passed by the Board of Supervisors thereof on, to-wit, September 15th, 1879, and approved by the Mayor thereof on September 20th, 1879, and by Order No. 2781 of said City and County, passed by the Board of Supervisors thereof on, to-wit, July 9th, 1894, and approved by the Mayor thereof on, to-wit, July 9th, 1894; and by Order No. 1525 passed by the Board of Supervisors of said City and County on, to-wit, November 3rd, 1879, and approved by the Mayor thereof on, to-wit, November 14th, 1879; and

Whereas, Railway owns and is operating a railroad commencing at the City Front on Market street, thence along Market street to Sutter street, which said rights were granted under Order No. 1525, passed by the Board of Supervisors of said City and County on, to-wit, November 3rd, 1879, and approved by the Mayor thereof on, to-wit, November 14th, 1879; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the parties hereto for the greater convenience and accommodation of the traveling public, and in compromise and settlement of all litigation now pending between the City and Railway, and especially the case of the People of the State of California, ex rel. D. S. O'Brien v. Sutter Street Railway Company, which case is now pending on appeal to the Supreme Court of the State of California, from a judgment rendered by the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book No. 51, at page 471, of the records of said Superior Court, as well, also, as to litigation which might be commenced by Railroads concerning the right of the City to run its municipal railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front, claiming the same to be in violation of Order No. 1514, as hereinabove set forth:

Now, therefore, it is mutually

agreed by and between the parties hereto as follows:

1. Railway will consent to an affirmation by the Supreme Court of the State of California of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco in the case of *The People of the State of California, ex rel, D. S. O'Brien vs. The Sutter Street Railway Company*, which judgment was rendered on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book 51, page 471, of the records of said Superior Court, said judgment of affirmation to include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court in accordance with the provisions of those certain resolutions of the Board of Supervisors of said City and County of San Francisco, known as Resolution No. 9737 (New Series), and No. 9738 (New Series) respectively, passed by said Board of Supervisors October 14th, 1912, and approved by the Mayor of said City and County on, to-wit, October —, 1912, and Bill No. 2280, Ordinance No. —, passed by said Board of Supervisors October 14th, 1912, and approved by the Mayor of said City and County on to-wit, October —, 1912. Copies of each of said resolutions and ordinance are hereunto annexed, marked Exhibits A, B and C respectively, and expressly made a part hereof the same as though inserted herein at length.

2. Railroad hereby waives its right to object to the use of Market street from Geary street to the City Front under the provisions of Section 5 of Order No. 1514 of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and under the provisions of Section 499 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and hereby consents to the operation of said Municipal Railway by City on Market street as aforesaid.

3. Railroad and/or its assigns and City to have joint ownership and use of outer tracks and overhead equipment, except poles, on Market street from Sutter street to the City Front, heretofore constructed by Railway, upon payment by City of one-half of the cost of construction of said outer tracks and overhead equipment, it being understood and agreed that Railway and City shall each be liable for, and shall pay one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement of said outer tracks and overhead equipment after the joint operation shall have commenced. Said cost to be determined by a representative of the City and a representative of Railway, who shall, in

the event of a disagreement, select a third party to act as arbitrator, it being agreed that in no event shall City pay more than Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars for its one-half interest.

It is further agreed that at the expiration of the privilege granted to Railway, said Railway shall receive from City fifty (50) per cent of the value of its one-half interest in said tracks and equipment, said value to be determined in the manner hereinabove last set forth.

2. Railway and/or its assigns accepts, and it is hereby granted the privilege to operate its cars over the outer tracks with electricity by means of the overhead trolley system for a period of years up to and including the 14th day of November, 1929. Railway and/or its assigns agree that it will not attempt to operate any cars over said outer tracks other than those now regularly operated on Sutter street, and such other cars as the Board of Supervisors may by ordinance permit to be run. The time schedule and rights of way of the Sutter street cars on Market street, and the United Railroads cars on Kearny street at the intersection of Geary street, and the City cars on Market street at the intersection of Geary street, to be settled by agreement by the Superintendent of Railway and Railroad on the one hand, and the Superintendent of the Municipal Street Railway on the other, and in case of disagreement the two to select a third person to act as arbitrator.

5. City will take and is hereby given the right to string its wires for the operation of the cars of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front upon the poles of Railroad, without any charge or compensation therefor.

6. The electric current used from Railroad by the Municipal Street Railway to be paid for by the City in proportion to its use. In arriving at the charge for current the car miles operated over the joint tracks will be multiplied by the number of kilowatt hours per car mile by these cars, and the product in turn multiplied by the price per kilowatt hour, which will be the cost price to Railroad. If this exceeds the price paid by City for street railway purposes, Railroad will base its charge upon the same price as that paid by the City.

7. Transfers to be exchanged under proper restrictions at the intersection of the Municipal Railway on Geary street with the Divisadero and

Fillmore street lines of Railroad, City to have the option to abrogate this transfer arrangement at any time.

8. Cars of the Municipal Street Railway operated by City shall have the right to run through to the City Front upon tracks to be constructed by City on Market street from Kearny street to Sutter street, there connecting with the so-called outer tracks heretofore constructed by Sutter Street Railway Company; thence upon Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon the said outer tracks heretofore constructed by Railway.

9. It is mutually agreed by Railway and Railroad that this agreement shall cover the so-called loop at the City Front, and permit the operation of the cars of the Municipal Railway on equal terms with the cars of Railway and Railroad.

10. City shall have the right to operate its Municipal Street Railway on Geary street, formerly known and hereinbefore referred to as Point Lobos avenue, from Thirty-second avenue to Cliff avenue over tracks of Railroad whenever it shall desire so to do, upon payment of an equal proportion of the cost of construction of the tracks and appurtenances used by City and Railroad jointly, and City and Railroad shall each be liable to pay one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement of said outer tracks and overhead equipment after said joint operation shall have commenced. City shall pay for cost of current as in this agreement provided for the cost of current used by City for the operation of said cars on Market street as aforesaid.

11. No word or expression in this agreement shall be construed as granting Railway and/or its assigns a right on Market street beyond November 14, 1929.

12. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to be a waiver on the part of the City to regulate street railroad operations in the City and County of San Francisco.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has by resolution of its Board of Supervisors caused its name to be hereunto subscribed by its Mayor, and its Great Seal to be hereunto attached by the Clerk of its Board of Supervisors, and the United Railroads of San Francisco and the Sutter Street Railway Company have, by resolutions of their respective Boards of Directors caused their names to be subscribed hereto by their respective Presidents, Assistants to their Presidents or

Vice-Presidents, and their respective corporate seals to be hereunto attached by their respective Secretaries, the day and year first hereinabove written.

Done in triplicate.

(Sgd.)

CITY AND COUNTY
OF SAN FRANCISCO.

Attest:

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Clerk.

By
Mayor.

Attest.

UNITED RAILROADS
OF SAN FRANCISCO.

(Sgd.)

GEO. B. WILCUTT,
Secretary.

By (Sgd.)

THORNWELL MULLALLY,
Assistant to President.

Attest:

SUTTER STREET
RAILWAY COMPANY.

(Sgd.)

By FRED C. BOECKMAN,
H. T. SCOTT,
Secretary.

(Seal.)

(Seal.)

Call for Special Session.

Whereupon, the following communication was presented by the Mayor and read by the Clerk:

Mayor's Office,

San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., October 28, 1912.
Honorable Board of Supervisors,
San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

In my communication to you of October 24, 1912, accompanying which I returned to you, with my disapproval, Resolutions No. 9737 (New Series) and No. 9738 (New Series), I stated that I would, this day, "take the opportunity of submitting to your Honorable Board, for your consideration, suggestions for an amended agreement, which, in my opinion, will fully provide for the protection of the public interest and guard against disputes in the future."

This important legislation, in my opinion, requires careful thought and consideration by your Honorable Board, and, by further reason of the fact that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 16, Chapter 1, Article 2, in our Charter, under which provisions I have returned to you, with my objections thereto, Resolutions No. 9737 (New Series) and No. 9738 (New Series), your consideration of my veto cannot be taken up until "after five and within thirty days after such appeal or resolution shall have been so returned," I do now, for the purpose of giving prompt consideration to same, hereby call a special meeting of your Honorable Board, for Wednesday afternoon, October 30, at 2 p. m.

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES ROLPH, JR., Mayor.

Leave of Absence—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher.

The following matter was presented by the Mayor and read by the Clerk: October 24, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,

San Francisco, California.
Gentlemen:

The Honorable Andrew J. Gallagher has applied to me for leave of absence from the state for a period not to exceed sixty days commencing Tuesday, November 5, 1912; and, in accordance with Section III, Article 16 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, I recommend and respectfully request that such permission be granted.

Very respectfully yours,
(Sgd) JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

Whereupon, the following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted by the following vote:

Leave of Absence—Andrew J. Gallagher.
J. R. No. 466.

Resolved, That Andrew J. Gallagher be, and he is hereby, granted a leave of sixty days absence from and after November 5, 1912, in accordance with recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, filed October 28, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—17.

Acknowledgement of Resolution of Sympathy in Matter of Death of Emperor of Japan.

The following matters were presented, read by the Clerk, ordered spread at length in the Journal and placed on file:

Consulate General of Japan,
221 Sansome street,
San Francisco, California.

October 24th, 1912.
To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco,
Gentlemen:

Referring to the action of your Honorable body, under date of July 29th last, in adopting a resolution expressive of the sympathy of the people of San Francisco with the people of Japan upon the occasion of the death of His lamented Majesty, the late Emperor, I have the honor to inform you that I am now in receipt of a communication from my government, instructing me to say to you, and through you to the people of San Francisco, that the government and people of Japan are grateful for the sympathy so beautifully expressed in your resolution of July 29th, and that they deeply appreciate the courtesy and good

will which prompted your generous action.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen, your very obedient servant,

MATSUSO NOGDI,
Consul General of Japan.
Consulate General of Japan,

221 Sansome street,
San Francisco, California.
October 25th, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr.,
Mayor of San Francisco.

My Dear Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that the last mail from Japan brings instructions to me from my government to express, in so far as I can, the deep gratitude of the Japanese people for the sympathy and kindness extended to them by the people of San Francisco on the occasion of the death of His late Majesty, the Emperor.

In this connection, it is pleasant for me to recall that the first citizen of San Francisco, its honored Mayor, was the first caller at this Consulate to extend sympathy and condolence on that sad July morning. Deeply touched, as my people have been, by this prompt display of official courtesy, they have found additional comfort in the conviction that, in representing and speaking for the great city of San Francisco, you voiced, at the same time, the generous sentiments of your own heart.

I beg that you will accept the assurances of my country's grateful appreciation.

I beg to further assure you that the action of your administration, as voiced in the eloquent resolution of the Board of Supervisors of July 29th, and the half-masting of the flag over public buildings during the period of mourning, did not pass unnoticed or unappreciated.

Seeing, as my government does, in these kindly demonstrations, the evidences of that growing good will between the people of San Francisco and those of Japan, and rejoicing in that fact, even during its days of affliction, it instructs me to thank you, which I do most cordially.

To all of which I venture to add my personal tribute of appreciation and to assure you of the great esteem and respect with which I remain your very obedient servant.

MATSUSO NOGDI,
Consul General of Japan.

Relative to Deficiency of Funds of Board of Health.

Arthur H. Barendt, President of the Board of Health, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that he wished to take an appeal from the decision of the Finance Committee in the matter of the budget appropriation for the Board

of Health. He declared that the Finance Committee in the Budget had reduced the salary roll of the central office \$7000 and that the Board of Supervisors afterwards, by motion, provided that the salaries of Board of Health employees be restored and the money taken from the allowance made for maintenance, which has been done. This, however, has created a deficit in the maintenance account and there is already owing on this account \$1700 or \$1800, and the department is running behind at the rate of \$375 per month. Mr. Barendt declared that he did not believe that the department should be running bills without being able to pay them. He said that a number of creditors have not received a dollar since the first of the year. He also stated that he had attempted to economize as requested by the Finance Committee and had abolished the position of garbage inspector at \$175 per month, a truck garden inspector at \$125 per month, and a saving of \$25 per month has been made in the bacteriological laboratory. He declared that the doctors now give all of their time, instead of a portion as heretofore. He declared further that the position of city physician, the only one on which a difference of opinion exists, will be abolished if nothing else can be done, making another saving of \$200 per month, but, he added, he did not believe this should be done as the position is a very necessary and important one and the incumbent is earning all the money he is getting. He declared that Los Angeles, Buffalo, Memphis, St. Paul and other cities are spending considerably more money for health and sanitation in proportion to their population than San Francisco. In conclusion he said that \$1800 would clear up the deficit now existing in his department and an additional appropriation of \$175 per month and the abolition of the position of the City Physician would enable them to get along until the end of the year.

Motion.

Supervisor Giannini moved that Finance Committee be requested to investigate conditions in Board of Health and to report back to Board of Supervisors at next meeting.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Jennings, McCarthy—3.

Relative to Petition of P. Mon for Laundry Permit.

Petition—Of P. Mon, for permission to conduct a laundry at premises No.

3027 Twenty-second street.

October 28, 1912—Referred back to the Board of Supervisors without recommendation.

Motion.

Supervisor McCarthy moved that rules be suspended and hearing in above matter proceeded with.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—10.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hilmer, Hocks, Mauzy, Nolan—8.

(See subsequent proceeding in this meeting for consideration of this subject.)

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were presented, read and ordered filed:

Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee, by Supervisor Murdock, chairman.

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, chairman.

Health Committee, by Supervisor Caglieri, chairman.

Land and Tunnels Committee, by Supervisor Mauzy, chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolf Koshland, chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9772 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Southern Pacific Company, freight, cast iron pipe (claim dated Oct. 9, 1912).	\$ 749.33
Enterprise Foundry Company, twenty-seventh payment, cast iron specials (claim dated Oct 15, 1912).....	12,492.40
Judson Manufacturing Company, first payment, steel frame, Fort Mason Pumping Station (claim dated Oct. 15, 1912)	5,625.00
Payne Bolt Works, bolts, etc.	

(claim dated Sept. 25, 1912)	817.58	J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Police Department (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	1,038.39
<i>School Bond Fund, 1908.</i>		Bion J. Arnold, investigation street railway systems (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	3,018.34
O'Brien & Werner, final payment, architects, Lowell High School (claim dated July 8, 1912)	713.40	The Rincon Publishing Company, printing public documents (claim dated Oct. 16, 1912)	663.31
<i>Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.</i>		Sister Mary Caine, superintendent Mt. St. Joseph's I. O. A., maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	1,045.74
Butte Engineering and Electric Company, third payment, electric clock and signal system, San Francisco hospitals (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912)	1 200.00	Brother Paul, superintendent St. Vincent's Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	1,784.23
Butte Engineering and Electric Company, first payment, electric work, San Francisco hospitals (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912)	1,350.00	Catholic Humane Bureau, maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	4,282.50
<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.</i>		Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	690.06
Robert Hooker and George H. Lent, land for Civic Center purposes, 36 feet 8 inches by 120 feet, south line McAllister street, 192½ feet west of Larkin street (claim dated Oct. 18, 1912)	\$38,434.05	The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	624.82
B. C. Healey, land for Civic Center purposes, 25 x 120 feet, north line Fulton street, 150 feet west of Polk street (claim dated Oct. 9, 1912)	10,016.36	State of California, minors, Preston School, for September (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	614.53
<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, 1910.</i>		State of California, maintenance feeble minded, Sonoma, Cal. (claim dated Sept. 4, 1912)	2,350.00
Mahoney Bros., fifth payment, track construction (claim dated Oct. 18, 1912)	\$97,931.15	State of California, maintenance feeble minded, Sonoma, Cal. (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	2,340.00
<i>Advertising Redemption Account.</i>		Albertinum Orphanage, maintenance of minors (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	577.20
The Recorder Printing and Publishing Company, advertising sale of property of State of California (claim dated Oct. 16, 1912)	\$516.12	<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.</i>	
<i>General Fund, 1912-1913.</i>		Eugenia Samuels Fisher, land for Civic Center purposes, 50 x 100 feet, northeast corner Van Ness avenue and Ash street (claim dated Oct. 17, 1912)	\$57,995.51
Sherry Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Tuberculosis Hospital (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	\$ 580.46	Henry Geilfuss, land for Civic Center purposes, 50 x 120 feet, north line of Fulton street, 159 feet east of Van Ness avenue (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912)	55,061.10
Sperry Flour Company, cereals, Relief Home (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	1,524.29	Percy V. Long, City Attorney, for payment and in satisfaction of judgment and decree of condemnation in City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams et al., for lot of land (Joseph Rich Company property) for Civic Center purposes, 9 x 109 feet, situate southeast corner of	
Standard Oil Company, fuel oil, Relief Home (claim dated Oct. 10, 1912)	983.50		
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	1,811.98		
Antioch Sand Company, sand (claim dated Oct. 7, 1912)	863.66		
E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., gravel (claim dated Oct. 8, 1912)	995.01		
E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., gravel (claim dated Oct. 8, 1912)	653.00		
Whitcomb Estate, by James Otis, trustee, October rent, temporary City Hall (claim dated Oct. 16, 1912)	5,250.00		

Van Ness avenue and Ash street (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912) 104,000.00
 Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
 Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
 Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Mc-
 Carthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy,
 Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9773 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That the following
 amounts be and the same are hereby
 set aside, appropriated and authorized
 to be expended out of the hereinafter
 mentioned funds for the following pur-
 poses, to-wit:

*For Paving, Repaving, Grading, Re-
 pairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item
 No. 549.*

For repairs to northerly por-
 tion of Third street bridge. \$306.00

For repairs to southerly por-
 tion of Third street bridge. 290.00
Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

For payment to M. M.
 O'Shaughnessy, W. R. Eck-
 ert and H. H. Holmes, com-
 mission appointed to exam-
 ine the Twin Peaks Reser-
 voir, per Resolution No.
 19,893 (Second Series) ... \$3,750.00
*City Hall-Civic Center Improvement
 Fund, Bond Issue 1912.*

For payment to Bakewell &
 Brown, architects, for prepa-
 ration of City Hall plans,
 per contract \$17,000.00
Geary Street Railway Bond Fund, 1910.

For salary of Thos. A. Cash-
 in, superintendent of Mu-
 nicipal Railroads, Oct. 7 to
 Dec. 31, 1912 \$1,169.32
Advertising, Budget Item No. 30.

For publishing notice of taxes,
 due, as per section No. 3746,
 Political Code \$500.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hay-
 den, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Kosh-
 land, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
 Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vo-
 gelsang—17. No—Supervisor Andrew
 J. Gallagher—1.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher ex-
 plained his vote by stating that he
 was opposed to item of \$3750 for pay-
 ment of engineers for examining
 Twin Peaks reservoir.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9774 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That the Westgate Park
 Company is hereby granted per-
 mission, revocable at will of the Board
 of Supervisors, to blast in premises sit-
 uate in that certain tract of land in the
 San Miguel Rancho on properties of
 the Residential Development Company,

bounded by the lines of the San Miguel
 Rancho, Corbett avenue and West Cor-
 bett avenue, containing approximately
 176.5 acres, in quarrying rock to be
 used only in the construction of im-
 provements in said tract; it being un-
 derstood that the said quarry is to be
 operated for this specific purpose and
 not as a commercial enterprise, and
 this privilege to terminate when the
 said improvements have been com-
 pleted; provided that said permittee
 shall execute and file a good and suf-
 ficient bond in the sum of \$—— as
 fixed by the Board of Public Works and
 approved by his Honor the Mayor, in
 accordance with Ordinance No. 1204;
 provided, also, that said blasts shall be
 exploded only between the hours of 7
 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of
 blasting shall be performed to the
 satisfaction and under supervision of
 the Board of Public Works, and if any
 of the conditions of this resolution be
 violated by the said Westgate Park
 Company, then the privilege and all
 rights accruing thereunder shall im-
 mediately become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
 Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
 Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
 McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
 phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Rock Crusher Permit.

Resolution No. 9775 (New Series),
 as follows:

Resolved, That the Westgate Park
 Company is hereby granted permission,
 revocable at will of the Board of Sup-
 ervisors, to operate a rock crusher in
 premises situate in that certain tract
 of land in the San Miguel Rancho, on
 properties of the Residential Develop-
 ment Company, bounded by the lines
 of the San Miguel Rancho, Corbett ave-
 nue and West Corbett avenue; this
 privilege to be enjoyed during the
 period of quarrying rock for improve-
 ment purposes in said tract, and in ac-
 cordance with the provisions and regu-
 lations of Resolution No. — (New
 Series).

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
 eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gal-
 lagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
 Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
 McLeran, McCarthy, Murdock, Mur-
 phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 9776 (New Series),
 as follows

Resolved, That permission, revocable
 at will of the Board of Supervisors, be
 granted to the following:

Storage Tanks.

Mrs. A. C. Campbell, 2737 Sutter
 street, capacity 1500 gallons.
 Hildebrand's Bakery, 125 Campbell

avenue, capacity 500 gallons.

Liverpool, London & Glove Insurance Company, northeast corner of California and Lienesdorff streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Elizabeth M. Morehouse, east side of Mission street, 203 feet south of Twenty-third street, capacity 1900 gallons.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Authorizing Payment of \$104,000 to City Attorney for Payment for Judgment in Condemnation to Joseph Rich for Land at Van Ness Avenue and Ash Avenue Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9777 (New Series). as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of one hundred and four thousand (\$104,000) dollars is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center bond issue of 1912, to Percy V. Long, City Attorney, which said amount is to be paid into Court by said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, in payment for amount of award in the decree of condemnation entered October 18, 1912, in Book 58 of Judgments, page 371, in the office of the County Clerk of the City and County of San Francisco, made to the Joseph Rich Company, a corporation, a defendant in the action of City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams, et al., No. 41,542, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the City and County of San Francisco, wherein and whereby the lot, piece or parcel of land commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Van Ness avenue with the southerly line of Ash street and running thence southerly along said easterly line of Van Ness avenue ninety (90) feet; thence at a right angle easterly one hundred and nine (109) feet; thence at a right angle northerly ninety (90) feet to the said southerly line of Ash street and thence at a right angle along said southerly line of Ash street one hundred and nine (109) feet to the said easterly line of Van Ness avenue and the point of commencement, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, was condemned for the public use of the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of a City Hall and Civic Center, and

Be it further Resolved, That the payment of said sum of one hundred and four thousand (\$104,000) dollars to said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, out of the funds of said City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue of 1912, be and the same is hereby authorized and directed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9778 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Daniel Contracting Company is hereby granted an extension of fifteen days' time from and after October 9, 1912, within which to complete contract for construction of Section "G" of the North Point main sewer, under Contract No. 45.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the division wall ordered constructed by the Board of Public Works in the sewer in Treat avenue, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets, took a longer time than was originally anticipated; and be it further

Resolved, That the penalties provided for in the specifications be waived.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Overhead Carrier Permit.

Resolution No. 9779 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to Miller & Lux, Inc., to install an overhead carrier to be used for the conveyance of baled hay from Block No. 48 to Block No. 56, Butchertown Reservation, provided said carrier be constructed under the supervision of the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Changing Grades.

Bill No. 2291, Ordinance No. 2062 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Bank street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2292, Ordinance No. 2063 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Elwood street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.

Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2293, Ordinance No. 2064 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the officials grades on Upper Terrace."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2294, Ordinance No. 2065 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Eighth avenue, between Noriega and Ortega streets, and on Ortega street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Conditional Acceptance.

Bill No. 2295, Ordinance No. 2066 (New Series), as follows: "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway crossing of Bosworth and Cuvier streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Fixing Sidewalk Widths on Washington and Front Streets.

Bill No. 2296, Ordinance No. 2067 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18th, 1903, by adding thereto new sections to be numbered Four Hundred and Eighty-six and Four Hundred and Eighty-seven," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Washington and on Front streets, as follows:

"Section 486. The width of sidewalks on Washington street, between Front street and The Embarcadero shall be ten (10) feet.

Section 487. The width of sidewalks on Front street, between Clay street and Washington street, shall be fifteen (15) feet.

Any expense caused by the above change of walk widths shall be borne by the property owners.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$818,670.89 and numbered consecutively 27,510 to 27,868, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murdock and *adopted*:

Police Officers to Act as Health Officers.

J. R. No. 467.

Whereas, Section 3 of Chapter 6 of Article 8 of the Charter, reads: "Police officers shall be Health Officers by virtue of their office" and therefrom it would seem that being made Health Officers some exercise of duty as such was contemplated by the charter-maker; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Health Officer, as representative of the Board of Health, and the Chief of Police, as representative of the Police Commissioners, be requested to confer with the chairman of the Committee on Efficiency and Civil Service and report as to the manner and extent to which police officers can act as Health Officers, without interfering with the proper discharge of duty as members of the police force.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Wold & Kahn, second payment, general construction, Engine House No. 46 (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912)	\$7,075.50
The Children's Agency, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	3,797.43
Jos. Holle, motorcycles, Police Department (claim dated Oct. 14, 1912)	2,450.00
Auto Sales Co., motor truck, Relief Home (claim dated Oct. 8, 1912)	5,000.00
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	577.14
Brown & Power Stationery Company, ballot paper, Department of Elections (claim dated Oct. 8, 1912)	621.60
Keenan Bros., automobile repair work (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912)	749.65
Pacific Portland Cement Company, lime dust (claim dated Oct. 14, 1912)	2,342.00
Barber Asphalt Paving Company, asphalt (claim dated Oct. 14, 1912)	2,431.39
Fay Improvement Company, first payment, grading and paving roadway of Arkansas street between 17th and Mariposa streets, in front of City property (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912)	1,500.00
Studebaker Corporation of America, automobile (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	800.00
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
M. M. O'Shaughnessy et al., services, investigating and reporting on condition of Twin Peaks Reservoir (claim dated Oct. 18, 1912)	\$3,750.00
Byron Jackson Iron Works, first payment, furnishing and installing and testing two turbine pumps, etc., Ashbury Heights Plant (claim dated Oct. 16, 1912)	2,730.00
Southern Pacific Company, freight, cast iron pipe, from Amiston, Alabama (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	2,522.47
<i>Garbage Disposal Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
The Destructor Company, seventh payment, construction, Islais Creek and North Beach incinerators (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912)	\$7,553.63
<i>Park Fund.</i>	
Spring Valley Water Company, water for parks (claim dated Sept. 25, 1912)	\$2,061.51

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1904.

Wm. A. Newsom, first payment, general construction, Patrick Henry School (claim dated Oct. 18, 1912)	\$12,192.00
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Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

Lowry & Daly, fourth payment, tiling, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Oct. 10, 1912)	\$14,949.00
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School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Chas. E. Thomas Co., fifth payment, heating and ventilating, Girls' High School (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	\$5,355.00
Flinn & Treacy Contracting Co., yard work of Visitation Valley School, contract No. 230 (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912)	5,390.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Michael Murphy, 11th payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, Section No. 4 (claim dated Oct. 5, 1912)	\$4,172.45
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Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

Reconstruction, etc., School Department Buildings, Budget Item No. 551.

For reconstruction, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings during the month of November, 1912	\$5,500.00
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For repairs to Mission High School	425.00
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For completion of Grattan School	653.00
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For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For street work in front of Jackson Park, Arkansas street from 17th to Mariposa street	\$1,500.00
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For paving and repairs to streets for the month of November, 1912	45,800.00
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For reconstruction and repairs to sewers during month of November, 1912	12,000.00
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For Maintenance, Sprinkling Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 553.

For expense, maintenance and cleaning, sweeping and sprinkling streets during month of November, 1912	\$27,000.00
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Garbage Disposal Bond Fund, 1908.

For plans, specifications and inspection of North Beach	
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and Islais Creek incinerators \$7,500.00
City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912.

For payment of retaining fee to John Reid, Jr., consulting architect, in accordance with Resolution No. 16,838 of the Board of Public Works \$2,500.00

For payment of retaining fee to F. H. Meyer, consulting architect, in accordance with Resolution No. 16,838 of the Board of Public Works 2,500.00

Providing \$2500 to Enable Board of Public Works to Create an Assessment District for Opening Streets in Civic Center.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series):

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912, by the Board of Public Works in the further development of the Civic Center by the creation of an assessment district for the opening of streets and so forth.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Construction of Oiled Macadam Along Forty-ninth Street Through Mission Park and Appropriating \$3800 Therefor.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the construction of an oiled macadam roadway along Nineteenth street through Mission Park, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment for the same, including inspection and possible extras, the sum of \$3,800.00, out of Budget Item No. 60, "For Convenience Station and other improvements in Mission Park."

Authorizing Lease of Brenham Place Lot to Jos. Hagan.

Also Bill No. 2298, Ordinance No. — (New Series).

Authorizing the lease of certain land known as the Brenham Place lot, to Joseph Hagan, and authorizing the Mayor to execute such lease.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby recited that pursuant to the direction of Journal Resolutions Nos. 394 and 405 of the Board of Supervisors, notice was given as required by the Charter, that a lease of the real property known as the "Brenham Place Lot" would be

offered for sale at public auction on the 21st day of October, 1912, at 3:00 P. M., at the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors, No. 1231 Market street, and that at said time and place said auction sale was had in the manner stated in said notice and in accordance with the provisions of said Charter, and that Joseph Hagan was the highest bidder at said sale, and the lease of said property was struck off and awarded to him.

Section 2. A lease for the term of twenty years from the expiration of sixty days from the taking effect of this Ordinance, of the property described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing on the west line of Brenham Place 77 feet 6 inches from the north line of Clay street; thence running north 25 feet; thence running west 69 feet; thence south 4 feet, thence east 3 inches; thence south 21 feet; thence east 68 feet 3 inches to the point of commencement. Being a part of Block No. 90, Fifty Varas, Is hereby awarded to Joseph Hagan for the monthly rental of fifty dollars, that being the highest and best bid therefor, and the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco is hereby authorized to enter into a contract of lease with said Joseph Hagan in accordance with the terms and conditions contained in said notice of sale and pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of the City and County, it being understood and agreed that the terms of said lease shall recite and contain a provision whereby the City and County shall reserve the right and authority to re-enter the said premises, without process of condemnation, at the expiration of five years from and after the date of the signing of the lease, upon payment to said Joseph Hagan, or assigns, of a reasonable value by the City and County to equitably compensate said lessee for any damage or expense entailed.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Auditor and Recorder to Cancel Certificates of Sale 237 and 277.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:

J. R. No. 468.

Whereas, a communication from the Auditor was filed, enclosing a description of City property situate at the southeast corner of Seventeenth and Ord streets, in Horner's Addition Block No. 204, and also lot commencing at a point distant 100 feet east from Laguna street and 107 feet 6 inches south from Vallejo street, in Western Addition Block No. 192, which lots of land were sold to the

State on the Real Estate Rolls of 1911 for delinquent taxes; and

Whereas, a communication was filed by the City Attorney consenting to the cancellation and sale of these properties to the State; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Auditor and Recorder are hereby requested to cancel said delinquency and sales Nos. 237 and 277 to the State under the provisions of Section No. 3804a of the Political Code; be it further

Resolved, That Journal Resolution No. 379 is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolutions were passed for printing:

Oil Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

John Drum, 2714 Broadway, capacity 1500 gallons.

Masow and Morrison, southeast side of Minna street 200 feet northeast of Sixth street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Hihn Estate, northeast corner of Kearney and Bush streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

John Rosenfeld's Sons, southeast corner of Polk and Bush streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Laundry Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, hTat permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted Ben Dornack to maintain a laundry in premises at No. 7 Guerrero street, in strict accordance with Fire and Sanitary laws and regulations of the Fire Department and Board of Health.

Blasting Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Eureka Teaming Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing old foundations in the premises situate at the southeast corner of Van Ness avenue and Austin street; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by His Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours

of 7:00 A. M., and 6:00 P. M., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said Eureka Teaming Company then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Relative to Petition of P. Mon to Conduct Laundry at 3027 Twenty-second Street.

The following matter was taken up on motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Petition—Of P. Mon for permission to conduct a laundry at premises No. 3027 Twenty-second street.

(*Fire Committee presents to Board of Supervisors without recommendation.*)

Privilege of the Floor.

Wm. Kelly, attorney, representing P. Mon, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that the permit prayed for had been previously denied for reasons based on a belief as to immoral character of petitioner which was founded on affidavits furnished by protesting property owners. He declared that Supervisor McLeran was now in favor of the petitioner being granted a hearing and an opportunity to defend himself against the charge made and if charges are untrue that his petition be heard on its merits.

J. S. Williams, attorney, representing protesting property owners, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that he did not rest his case on ex parte statements as to moral character of applicant, but believed that the fact that Mr. Mon was not a citizen and his business objectionable that he should not enjoy any special privilege in the way of a permit. He stated, however, that his client has numerous affidavits as to the immoral character of the petitioner and would offer them for the Board's consideration.

Motion.

Supervisor McCarthy moved that the affidavits be filed with the Board.

So ordered.

Recommitted.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Vogelsang, the entire matter was referred back to the Fire Committee for investigation and report by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Noes—Supervisors Giannini, Jennings, Murphy—3.

Passed for Printing.

The following matter was *passed for printing*:

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to F. Rufer, to maintain a stable on the east side of La Salle avenue, about 125 feet northwest from Mendell street, for two horses.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Installation and Removal of Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 469.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company is hereby instructed to install, and remove, arc and gas lamps as follows:

Install Single Top Gas Lamps.

South side of Vallejo street, 110 feet west of Columbus avenue.

East side of Stockton street, 91 feet south of Union street.

East side of Stockton street, 91 feet south of Filbert street.

Northeast side of Columbus avenue, 110 feet southeast of Chestnut street.

Northeast side of Columbus avenue, 100 feet southeast of Jones street.

South side of Irving street, 120 feet west of Eighteenth avenue.

Southeast corner of Irving and Eighteenth avenue.

East side of Eighteenth avenue, 240 feet south of Irving street.

West side of Quincy street, 91 feet south of California street.

East side of Quincy street, 183 feet south of California street.

East side of St. Anne street, 91 feet south of California street.

North side of Broadway, 135 feet west of Powell street, in front of Jean Parker School.

Northwest corner of Dolores and Liberty streets.

Southeast corner of Powell street and Columbus avenue, on gore.

North side of Union street, 309 feet west of Divisadero street.

North side of Union street, 206 feet west of Scott street.

South side of Union street, 174 feet west of Baker street.

East side of Broderick street, 183 feet south of Union street.

East side of Noe street, 110 feet south of Twenty-first street.

West side of Noe street, 110 feet south of Hill street.

South side of Shepard place, 60 feet east of Mason street.

South side of Pacific avenue, 106 feet east of Divisadero street.

Install Triple Top Gas Lamps.

Twenty-first street, near Capp street, in front of entrance to Grace Episcopal Church.

Bartlett street, near Twenty-fifth street, in front of entrance to Bethany Church.

Remove Gas Lamps.

East side of Quincy street, 137 feet south of California street.

East side of Mason street, corner of Shepard place.

East side of Bartlett street, 140 feet south of Twenty-fifth street.

Install Arc Lamps.

Eleventh avenue, between Fulton and Cabrillo streets.

Corner of Staples and Genesee streets.

Mangles street, 250 feet east of Foerster street.

Marston street, 250 feet west of Edna street.

Circular avenue and Havelock street. Arbor and Hilaritas streets.

Esmeralda and Peralta avenues.

North side of Liberty street, between Church and Sanchez streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Fixing Bond of Municipal Railway Employees.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang: Bill No. 2299, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled:

Fixing the amount of the bond to be furnished by the superintendent, conductors and motormen of Municipal Railways.

Conditional Acceptance, Crossing of Arlington and Miguel Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2300, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Arlington street and Miguel street."

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2301, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Brewster street between Rutledge and Faith streets, and on Costa street between Holladay avenue and Brewster street.

Also, Bill No. 2302, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Twenty-ninth avenue between Balboa

and Fulton streets, and on Cabrillo street between Twenty-eighth and Thirtieth avenues."

Also, Bill No. 2303, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Santiago street between Fourteenth and Sixteenth avenues."

Also, Bill No. 2304, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Sixteenth avenue between California and Clement streets."

Also, Bill No. 2305, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Fifteenth avenue between Ortega and Pacheco streets, and on Pacheco street between Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues."

All Street Work on Streets to Be Dedicated to Public Use to Be Done Under Inspection of the Board of Public Works.

Also, Bill No. 2306, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Requiring all street work in streets to be dedicated to public use, to be done under the inspection of the Board of Public Works, and in conformity with the specifications therefor adopted by the City and County of San Francisco."

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

No parcel of land that has been improved for street purposes shall be dedicated to public use or approval by the City and County, unless said improvements are constructed under the supervision of the Board of Public Works in conformity with the specifications for street work as set forth in Ordinance No. 240 of the Board of Supervisors.

The cost of such supervision shall be paid by owners of the land to be dedicated.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Spur Track Permit.

Also, Bill No. 2307, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Entitled, "Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to G. B. Valente to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the existing spur track of the Piedmont Winery Company in the southerly line of Beach street, 68 feet 9 inches easterly from Larkin street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Beach street to the easterly line of Larkin street."

Concrete Curb Ordinance.

Bill No. 2308, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Entitled, "Amending Section 7 and adding two new sections to be numbered 7 1/4 and 15 1/2, to Ordinance No. 240, entitled, 'Prescribing general rules and standard speci-

fications for street and sidewalk work, and limiting the use of various kinds of pavements and sidewalks in the City and County of San Francisco,' approved March 1, 1901."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—16.

Noes—Supervisors Jennings, Hocks, —2.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2309, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Ordering the performance of certain street work on the following streets, and approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing such work, to-wit:

That 8 and 15-inch iron stone pipe sewers, with appurtenances, be constructed in the crossing of Eighteenth avenue and Balboa street.

That a 15-inch iron stone pipe sewer, with appurtenances, be constructed in Eighteenth avenue, between Balboa and Cabrillo streets, and 8 and 15-inch iron stone pipe sewers in crossing of Eighteenth avenue and Cabrillo street.

That granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks, brick cess-pools and iron stone pipe culverts be constructed in the crossing of Seventeenth avenue and Balboa street.

That 8, 12 and 18-inch iron stone pipe sewers, with appurtenances, be constructed in the crossing of Fourteenth avenue and Anza street.

That granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks, brick cesspools and iron stone pipe culverts be constructed in the easterly one-half of Arguello Boulevard from the southerly line of Geary street and the northerly line of Turk street, including the intersection of Edward street; and the westerly one-half of Arguello Boulevard from the southerly line of Geary street to the southerly line of Balboa street, including the intersections of Anza and Balboa streets.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9780 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on O'Farrell street between the westerly line of Larkin and the westerly line of Polk street, and on Polk street between Ellis and Myrtle streets, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office on October

4, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

City Attorney to Secure Dismissal of Injunction in Equitable Light and Power Co. vs. Board of Public Works.

J. R. No. 470.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be requested to secure a dismissal of injunction in the case of the Equitable Light and Power Company vs. the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Refuse Permits to Open Streets Except Upon Certain Conditions.

J. R. No. 471.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to refuse to give permits to open any street, unless the person, company or corporation desiring permits submits its authority to occupy the particular street, by proper franchise, and upon the statement of the City Attorney that such franchise is a valid grant.

Amendment.

Supervisor *Giannini* moved to amend by inserting the word "pavement" after the word "street" in line four.

Amendment carried.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution, as amended, was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works to Cause Removal of Poles Maintained by Sierra and San Francisco Power Company.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 472.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to cause the

removal of poles erected and maintained by the Sierra and San Francisco Power Company at the hereinafter named locations, to-wit:

On Alameda street, between Harrison and Bryant streets.

On Harrison street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets.

On Fourteenth street, between Harrison and Mission streets.

Trainer street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets.

Howard street, between Fourteenth and Erie streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Recommend the Ordering of Certain Street Work.

Also, J. R. No. 473.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to recommend the ordering of the following street work, to-wit:

The grading of Illinois street, from Eldorado street northerly.

The construction of curbs on Illinois street, from Eldorado street northerly.

The construction of sewers and catch basins in Illinois street, from Eldorado street northerly.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Confirming, Approving and Ratifying Employment and Terms of Employment of John R. Freeman and Continuing His Services in re Order to Show Cause Why Hetch Hetchy Permit Should Not Be Revoked.

Resolution No. 9781 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, There was issued on the 25th day of May, 1910, an order by the Honorable United States Secretary of the Interior upon the City and County of San Francisco requiring the said City and County to show cause why a certain permit theretofore issued by the Honorable Secretary of the Interior on May 11, 1908, to the said City and County should not be modified to the extent of restricting San Francisco in its project of acquiring a municipal water supply to the regions known as Cherry

Valley reservoir site and Lake Eleanor reservoir site in Tuolumne County, California, and eliminating from said project the location known as the Hetch Hetchy Valley reservoir site, Tuolumne County, California; and

Whereas, on February 5th, 1912, this Board of Supervisors did, by resolution appoint, on the recommendation of the Public Utilities Committee thereof, a special advisory committee upon the acquisition of the Spring Valley Water system to consider and report upon the entire subject matter of purchase of these properties, said Advisory Committee being composed of Judge Curtis H. Lindley, his Honor the Mayor, James Rolph, Jr., the City Attorney, Honorable Percy V. Long, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Thomas Jennings, and the Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee, Alexander Vogelsang; and

Whereas, in order to properly protect the interests of the City in meeting the requirements of the above order to show cause, and in order to prepare the necessary data for submission of the hearing of said order to show cause on behalf of the City, which hearing is to be held on November 25, 1912, before the Honorable Secretary of the Interior at Washington, D. C., and further in order to properly ascertain the value of said Spring Valley Water Company's system and obtain sufficient information for said Advisory Water Committee above mentioned to carry on its negotiations with the Spring Valley Water Company for the purchase of the said Spring Valley Water Company's plant;

It was necessary that the said City Attorney acting for the City and for information for the said Advisory Water Committee to engage the services of John R. Freeman as an expert consulting engineer for the said City and County in all of the above matters; and

Whereas, There has heretofore been presented to this Board of Supervisors an itemized bill by said John R. Freeman against said City and County in which the services of said John R. Freeman in all of the above matters rendered to said City and County are itemized in detail for the year 1912, beginning with the month of January thereof and ending with the month of September of said year and also including a statement of necessary expenses incurred by said John R. Freeman in the matter of obtaining assistance in said work and other expenses; and

Whereas, All of the above services of said John R. Freeman and said ex-

penses so incurred were necessary for a proper presentation by the City Attorney of the interests of San Francisco at the said hearing of the said order to show cause in order to protect said City in its rights in the Hetch Hetchy reservoir site and also, further, in order that said Advisory Water Committee might properly carry on its negotiations for the purchase of the Spring Valley Water Company's plant; and

Whereas, The aforesaid bill of said John R. Freeman was, on the 21st day of October, 1912, approved by this Board of Supervisors in the amount of \$48,989.36 by Resolution No. 9748 (New Series), which resolution was duly, regularly and finally passed by this Board and approved by his Honor the Mayor, James Rolph, Jr., on October 21st, 1912; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco that the action of the City Attorney of said City and County, acting for the City and for information for the aforesaid Advisory Water Committee in so employing said John R. Freeman as above described for the above services upon the terms as specified in the aforesaid bill of said John R. Freeman, be and the same hereby is confirmed, approved and ratified; and be it further

Resolved, That inasmuch as the interests of the City and County of San Francisco require the continued service of said John R. Freeman as above set forth and the presence of said John R. Freeman to represent the City and County of San Francisco at the hearing to be held on November 25, 1912, above described, that said John R. Freeman be continued in his employment as an expert consulting engineer for the City and County of San Francisco in the above matters upon the same terms as specified in the aforesaid bill so rendered by said John R. Freeman to said City and County, until such time as the aforesaid order to show cause before the said Department of the Interior is finally disposed of and until such time as the proceedings in the matter of the acquisition of the Spring Valley Water Company's plant are finally concluded.

The said City Attorney, acting for the City and for the information for the said Advisory Water Committee, is hereby authorized to so continue the employment of said John R. Freeman so far as may be necessary to accomplish the purposes of this resolution and upon the same basis of compensation and payment of necessary expenses for himself and any necessary assistants as is described and set forth

in the above bill so rendered by said John R. Freeman, which bill heretofore approved of by this Board of Supervisors is hereby referred to for reference as a part of this resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Retaining Services of Bion J. Arnold, Traffic Expert, until December 31, 1912, and Specifying Terms for Such Services.

Also, Resolution No. 9782 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, by Resolution No. 8725 (New Series), adopted by this Board on October 23rd, 1911, for the sum of \$2,500, the services of Bion J. Arnold, of Chicago, Illinois, were retained by the City and County of San Francisco for a period of one year to investigate the street railway systems of this City and County, and to advise the Board of Supervisors as to what action it should take in order to improve the transportation facilities of this City and County of San Francisco; and

Whereas, Said Bion J. Arnold, pursuant to said engagement, commenced said investigations about the 15th day of January, 1912, and has continued the same to this date; and

Whereas, Said investigations are almost completed and will be entirely finished and his final report made on or before January 1st, 1913; and

Whereas, Some doubt has arisen as to whether or not said Resolution No. 8725 limited said employment to the period of one year from and after October 25th, 1911;

Now Therefore, Be It Resolved, That said Bion J. Arnold be and he is hereby retained, engaged and employed to complete his said investigation and file with this Board his final report, upon the same terms, and for the same compensation as in said Resolution No. 8725 set forth and established, excepting therefrom his retaining fee. Provided, however, that the term of his employment herein specified shall expire on or before December 31st, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

City Attorney to Secure Vacation of Premises on Civic Center Site.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: J. R. No. 474.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be authorized and directed to take all necessary steps to secure the vacation

by present tenants of all premises now owned, or to be acquired by the City and County in Western Addition Blocks Nos. 66 and 67.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Opinion of City Attorney as to Effect of Adoption of Constitutional Amendment Providing for Consolidating Cities and Counties on Hetch Hetchy Bonds.

Supervisor Hayden presented:

Communication—From City Attorney, advising as to effect of adoption of Constitutional Amendment permitting consolidation of contiguous territory of two or more cities or cities and counties, and stating that there is no ground for the statement that said adoption would nullify unsold Hetch Hetchy bonds.

Ordered referred to Publicity Committee.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Clerk to Transmit Map and List of Assessment District for Stockton Street Tunnel to Tax Collector and Recorder.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy:

Resolution No. 9783 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, More than thirty days have expired since the approval by the Mayor of this City and County of the resolution of this Board modifying and confirming the report of the Board of Public Works in the matter of the construction of a tunnel in Stockton street between Sutter and Sacramento streets, and it appearing that no action has been commenced to contest any assessment levied by said resolution; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be directed to forthwith transmit to the Tax Collector of this City and County the map and list constituting the assessment made and levied for defraying the damages, costs and expenses of such tunnel construction, and to the Recorder of said City and County, a certified copy of such map and list, as required by "The Tunnel Procedure Ordinance".

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Creating Office of Director of Public Works.

The following proposed Charter Amendment was introduced by Supervisor Murphy and ordered referred to Judiciary Committee:

Amend Chap. 1, Art. VI.

Section 1. There shall be a Department of Public Works under the management of an officer to be known as the Director of Public Works, who shall hold office at the pleasure of the Mayor. He shall be paid a salary to be fixed by the Supervisors upon the recommendation of the Mayor, not exceeding twelve thousand (\$12,000.00) dollars per year.

Section 2. The Director is empowered to appoint a secretary, who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-four hundred dollars, to establish such bureaus as may be suitable for the conduct of the business of the Department, and may change or abolish them, and may employ such superintendent, engineering, clerical, mechanical and other employes as may be necessary at such compensation as may be fixed by the Board of Supervisors.

Section 3. The Director shall establish all necessary rules for the government of the Department and the bureaus thereof, and for the regulation and conduct of the officers and employees; and shall require bonds from such officers in such sums and in such manner as may be fixed by the Board of Supervisors.

Section 4. The Director shall hold a public meeting at least once each week, on a day to be fixed in the rules of the Department, to hear complaints from citizens or employees; and to consider the welfare of the Department. The heads of all bureaus of the Department shall be present and shall advise concerning the work of the Department.

Section 5. Wherever in this Charter, the term "Board of Public Works"

is used it shall be held to mean the Director of Public Works, and all powers conferred and duties imposed upon the Board of Public Works shall be exercised and performed by the Director of Public Works.

Section 5a. All provisions of the Charter in conflict with this amendment are hereby repealed.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

**Fillmore Street Improvement Association
Authorized to Install Drinking Fountain.**

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 475.

Resolved, That the Fillmore Street Improvement Association be and the same is hereby authorized to install and maintain a sanitary public drinking fountain, similar in design to the drinking fountains authorized in Journal Resolution No. 464, without cost or expense to the City, at California and Fillmore streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Gianniui, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Adjournment.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 6:10 p. m. o'clock, adjourned to meeting Wednesday evening, October 30, 1912, at 8 p. m., to consider proposed Charter Amendments.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, November 4, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Monday, November 4, 1912.

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, November 4, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of October 28 was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced upon suspension of the rules and adopted:

Approving, Confirming and Ratifying Employment of John R. Freeman, Consulting Engineer, in Matter of Hearing in Washington, D. C., on Order to Show Cause Why Hetch Hetchy Permit Should not be Revoked.

Resolution No. 9784 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, there was adopted on the 28th day of October, 1912, by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, Resolution No. 9781, New Series, in which resolution this Board did ratify, confirm and approve of the employment by the City Attorney of John R. Freeman as Consulting Engineer in the matter of the hearing to be held in Washington before the Secretary of the Interior concerning San Francisco's application for reservoir site rights in the Hetch Hetchy Valley; and

Whereas, by said Resolution No. 9781, New Series, the said employment of said John R. Freeman was so confirmed and approved of in accordance with the terms as specified in a bill

rendered the City and County of San Francisco by said John R. Freeman, which bill is more fully described in said Resolution No. 9781, New Series; and

Whereas, it is desired to explain and make more certain the aforesaid Resolution No. 9781, New Series;

Now therefore, be it Resolved, That the said employment of said John R. Freeman be approved, confirmed and ratified upon the terms and conditions as set forth in the said bill and in particular that the said employment be so approved, confirmed and ratified upon the following basis, that is, said John R. Freeman is to be paid one hundred dollars per day for work done at his home office in Providence, Rhode Island, and two hundred dollars per day for work done away from his home office, a working day to consist of seven hours' work, the total number of hours which said John R. Freeman devotes to his services as said Consulting Engineer to be divided by seven, thus giving the total number of days for which said John R. Freeman is to be compensated upon the terms as above set forth; provided, however, that for any overtime work, that is, work done at nights or on Sundays or holidays, that said compensation shall be at the rate of one hundred dollars per day for such overtime work; and the City to pay all necessary expenses of said John R. Freeman and also expenses of and compensation for any assistance for said John R. Freeman.

Be it further Resolved, That the employment of said John R. Freeman for the period of time beginning with the last day of service as specified in said bill be confirmed, approved and ratified and continued and further, that the said City Attorney is authorized to so continue the said employment of said John R. Freeman so far as it may be necessary to accomplish the purposes of this resolution and of Resolution No. 9781 New Series, and upon the same basis of compensation and payment of necessary expenses for himself, and any necessary assistants, as is described and set forth in the aforesaid bill so rendered by said John R. Freeman.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS, 3 P. M.

Lower Market Street Franchise.

His Honor the Mayor presented a number of communications together with his replies thereto from the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, Polk Street District Association, Italian-American Bank, Civic League of Improvement Clubs of San Francisco, Pacific Heights Improvement Association, Civic League John T. Flynn and petitions of numerous property owners in northwestern section of the city requesting that certain transfer privileges be exacted in the agreement, and Jackson street cars be permitted to run to ferry, which were read by the Clerk.

Whereupon, the proposed agreement submitted by his Honor the Mayor, heretofore referred to the Public Utilities Committee, was taken up.

Privilege of the Floor.

Andreas Sbarboro, representing the Pacific Heights District, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that for many years the residents of the northwestern addition of the city have suffered by reason of the lack of direct car service to the ferry. He spoke in favor of permitting the Jackson street cars to run to the ferry by way of Sutter street and suggested that additional tracks might be constructed on lower Market street if necessary to accomplish this purpose.

H. Falk, Director of Pacific Heights Improvement Club, requested that United Railroads be permitted to run its Jackson street cars to the ferry along Sutter street. He declared that transfer privileges at Larkin and at Kearny streets should be waived if necessary in order that residents of Pacific Heights might have proper street car facilities.

R. M. J. Armstrong, representing the Civic League, was also granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that the organization which he represented took the position that if the question of transfer privileges at Larkin and Kearny streets was jeopardizing the compromise of the dispute as to the rights of the city and the United Railroads to the use of lower Market street, that said transfer privileges should be waived. He believed that the inner tracks on lower Market street were bearing all the traffic possible at the present time, and that use of the outer tracks was the only feasible plan. He

requested that the suggestion of his Honor the Mayor that Jackson street cars be stricken from the agreement be not concurred in.

J. T. Flynn also obtained the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that the Municipal Railway cannot live unless it enjoys transfer privileges with its laterals. No railway in the United States would be successful under such conditions. Transfer privileges with laterals is as important to a railway as arms are to the human body. Overhead charges in either event would be the same. He called attention to the importance of the Municipal Railway having connections with the Civic Center and the Third and Townsend streets depot. Unless such connections were provided for it would require patrons of the Municipal Railway to pay two fares to reach important points.

J. La Cava, representing North Beach District, also addressed the Board and opposed any agreement that did not provide for transfer privileges at Kearny and Larkin streets.

Dr. J. Rosenstirn, representing Sutter street property owners, also addressed the Board, and requested that the Supervisors approach the matter in a true spirit of compromise. No old feuds between the city and the United Railroads should be permitted to stand in the way of a settlement.

Geo. H. Sanders, representing Polk Street District Association, also addressed the Board, urging that transfer privileges be obtained wherever practicable.

E. P. E. Troy, also addressed the Board and stated that during congested hours only about 250 persons transfer at Sutter street. A permit is not necessary for so small a number and if granted will injure service to other parts of the city by reducing number of cars. This is shown in Arnold's report. If, however, it is decided to grant permit, people should be given an opportunity to vote on it.

J. C. Saulsmann also obtained the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that the United Railroads should be granted no privileges without paying for them. He declared that the United Railroads had no franchise to cross Market street, from Lotta's Fountain to Third street, that the curve at Fillmore and Sutter streets had been stolen during the night as well as others on Fillmore street. He also stated that the Hayes street franchise had been forfeited under the law by reason of the fact that after the fire a portion of the line had been abandoned.

Motion.

Supervisor Murdock moved that

agreement be corrected wherever necessary by changing the words "East street" to "Embarcadero" and "Point Lobos avenue" to "Geary street."

Motion.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher moved to insert the following:

"14. Should the city at any time wish to abrogate this agreement, it may do so on 60 days' notice, either by proper resolution passed by the Board of Supervisors or after action by the electorate through the initiative and referendum provisions of the Charter of this City and County; the other parties to this agreement or compromise hereby pledge that no action on their part will attempt to obstruct, hinder or delay such abrogation.

"When this agreement or compromise shall have been abrogated it is stipulated that such legal controversy as may have existed prior to the entering into of this compromise or agreement may be again renewed as if this compromise or agreement had never existed. The Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads agreeing that they will in no way attempt to use this compromise or agreement to give them a 'standing in court,' provided, that any property rights that the city may have acquired through this compromise or agreement shall in no way be nullified because of such abrogation.

"It is understood that this agreement or compromise is entered into on the part of the city to test the pledges of said Sutter Street Railway Company as well as those of the United Railroads, to-wit: 'that they were anxious to see said Geary Street Municipal Railway a financial success.'"

Referred.

Whereupon, *Supervisor Murphy* moved that Mayor request City Attorney to pass on the legality of a permit to the Jackson street line to run to the ferry under present franchise.

Motion *carried* and matter referred to City Attorney by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were presented, read and ordered filed:

Public Efficiency and Civil Service Committee, by Supervisor Murdock, chairman.

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, chairman.

Health Committee, by Supervisor Caglieri, chairman.

Lands and Tunnels Committee, by Supervisor Mauzy, chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolf Koshland, chairman.

Report of Finance Committee on Condition of Funds in Board of Health.

The following report was presented, read by the Clerk and ordered filed:

San Francisco, November 4, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the direction of the Board, the Finance Committee has given further consideration to the financial affairs of the Board of Health and respectfully submits the following report:

Pursuant to the provisions of the Charter, the budget estimates were prepared in the month of June and the budget was adopted and went into effect July 1, 1912.

Prior to the adoption of the budget, and subsequent thereto, the Board of Health, as well as other departments, was cognizant of the amounts appropriated for the conduct of the Department of Public Health.

Careful consideration was given to the estimates of the Board of Health and of the Auditor, and the report of the Finance Committee to the Board of Supervisors, fixing the appropriation for the Board of Health, was approved, except as in relation to certain salaries, which were, after diligent inquiry by the Committee, recommended to be reduced. The Board saw fit to restore the salaries, and at the same time adopted a motion transferring from the maintenance account a sum sufficient to place the salaries as they existed. The Board of Health was fully aware of this action.

It has been repeatedly held by City Attorneys, Courts and Boards of Supervisors, that a budget once fixed cannot be expanded to suit the actual or imaginary needs of a given department. There is no power in the Board of Supervisors to increase the revenues after the tax levy has been fixed. It is obvious that this is a wise and a proper provision, else departments would come in to the Board of Supervisors in the middle of a fiscal year with demands for additional ap-

proportions, which would, if granted, result in constant confusion of accounts and create an ever increasing burden upon the taxpayers of the community.

With a knowledge of all conditions relating to appropriations and tax levies the Board of Health deliberately violated and is violating, according to their own statements, Section 9 of Article III of Chapter I of the Charter (The One-Twelfth Act).

The Board of Health knowingly committed this violation of the Charter and has repeatedly asked the Board of Supervisors to approve their acts, which cannot lawfully be approved or countenanced.

When the Board of Health insists upon additional appropriations after the tax levy has been made it knows it is not within the power of the Board of Supervisors to grant the request.

Former City Attorney Franklin K. Lane, in February, 1900, gave a definite opinion on the subject of expenditures in the Health Department and declared that such expenditures must be limited to the appropriations made in the budget.

The Lane opinion, which has been concurred in by City Attorney Percy V. Long, contains the following:

'A budget, to be carefully prepared, is provided for in the Charter, in which every department of the municipal government is to be cared for. Each department is allotted a certain amount therein, which is to constitute its appropriation for the year. (Art. III, Chap. I.) The tax levy is made upon this basis. And this money so raised constitutes the whole amount available for current expenses. This amount once fixed cannot be increased. To allow, therefore, one department to have control of more than its own appropriation would be virtually to decrease the appropriation of some or all other departments and would be productive of the greatest confusion, injustice and hardship. * * * The Charter provisions, however, very clearly aim at creating appropriations which shall be sacred to the separate departments of the government for which they are made. Sec. 6, Chap. I, Art. III limits possible expenditures to the respective appropriations made in the budget. Sec. 1, following, provides that 'No warrant shall be drawn, except upon unexhausted specific appropriation'. These words mean nothing unless they mean that each department is limited by the amount of its appropriation under the budget.'

The opinion of Franklin K. Lane and the subsequent opinion of Percy v. Long, lay down the rule that the Board of Health has exclusive control over the expenditures of its department. Franklin K. Lane and City At-

torney Long have both decided that demands upon the Treasury, originating in the Health Department (except those for salary) must receive the approval of the Board of Supervisors, and "so far as such demands are lawful your (the Board of Supervisors) duty is merely ministerial, and you (the Board of Supervisors) are required to approve them without question on your (the Board of Supervisors) part as to the advisability of the expenditures. The discretion in that matter is vested in the Health Department. If, however, such demands should exceed the appropriation provided in the budget, or be in other respects actually unlawful, then you are justified in withholding your approval."

It is apparent, therefore, that the Board of Supervisors must stand upon its action when it voted the budget in June.

Your Finance Committee does not deem it within its province, in the light of the opinions quoted, to investigate the personnel of the Health Department and determine if possible which employees are unnecessary and whose services could be dispensed with. Such an investigation is purely an administrative matter and belongs exclusively to the administrative function of the government. It is a matter which rests solely in the hands of his Honor the Mayor, who is the executive head of the city government and has large power of control over the several departments.

The suggestion that additional funds may be provided for the Board of Health from a possible surplus which may occur at the end of the present fiscal year cannot be logically considered. In the first place it cannot be known that a surplus will exist. If surpluses were in sight other departments whose claims might be as just as the Board of Health, might claim additional appropriations.

In this connection it is well to remind the Board that the Supreme Court of the State of California, last week rendered a decision in the matter of tax levy of 1904, which, if it becomes a permanent law, will obliterate any possible surplus and require a special tax levy in the next year for tax refunds.

In view of these contingencies, it is not only unwise, but your Committee is advised that it is unlawful to appropriate funds to make up a continued deficit in any department.

There is only one rule which the Board of Health can follow, and that is, regulate its expenditures over which they have exclusive control within the budget allowance and tax rate fixed by the Board of Supervisors.

As before stated, the Board of Health has deliberately violated the provisions of the Charter in exceeding its allowance and the attention of his Honor the Mayor is respectfully directed to that violation.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. JENNINGS,
W. H. MCCARTHY,
D. C. MURPHY,
Finance Committee.

Verification of Petitions for Charter Amendments.

The following matters, heretofore filed in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, were presented and read, to-wit:

Local Option for Districts.

Communication—From the Registrar of Voters, certifying that petition for the submission of a proposed Charter amendment entitled, "Local Option for Districts", has requisite number of signatures of qualified electors to entitle it to a place on the ballot at next Charter amendment election.

Relative to Grading of Positions. Salaries, Pensions, etc., in Department of Electricity.

Communication—From the Registrar of Voters, certifying that petition for the submission of a proposed Charter amendment providing for the grading of positions, salaries and pensions and regulating other important matters in the Department of Electricity, has requisite number of signatures of qualified electors to entitle it to a place on the ballot at next Charter amendment election.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS.

School Bonds.

The consideration of proposals for the purchase of 3½% School Bonds, issue of 1904, being all of the seventeenth and eighteenth series of said bonds, amounting to \$179,600, fixed for the hour of 3 p. m. this day.

No bids received.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9785 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved. That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Wold & Kahn, second payment, general construction, Engine House No. 46 (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912) \$7,075.50

The Children's Agency, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912).....	3,797.43
Jos. Holle, motorcycles, Police Department (claim dated Oct. 14, 1912).....	2,450.00
Auto Sales Co., motor truck, Relief Home (claim dated Oct. 8, 1912).....	5,000.00
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	577.14
Brown & Power Stationery Company, ballot paper, Department of Elections (claim dated Oct. 8, 1912)	621.60
Keenan Bros., automobile repair work (claim dated Oct. 4, 1912).....	749.65
Pacific Portland Cement Company, lime dust (claim dated Oct. 14, 1912).....	2,342.00
Barber Asphalt Paving Company, asphalt (claim dated Oct. 14, 1912).....	2,431.39
Fay Improvement Company, first payment, grading and paving roadway of Arkansas street between 17th and Mariposa streets, in front of City property (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912)	1,500.00
Studebaker Corporation of America, automobile (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912).....	800.00
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
M. M. O'Shaughnessy et al., services, investigating and reporting on condition of Twin Peaks Reservoir (claim dated Oct. 18, 1912)	\$3,750.00
Byron Jackson Iron Works, first payment, furnishing and installing and testing two turbine pumps, etc., Ashbury Heights Plant (claim dated Oct. 16, 1912)	2,730.00
Southern Pacific Company, freight, cast iron pipe, from Amiston, Alabama (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	2,522.47
<i>Garbage Disposal Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
The Destructor Company, seventh payment, construction, Islais Creek and North Beach incinerators (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912)	\$7,553.63
<i>Park Fund.</i>	
Spring Valley Water Company, water for parks (claim dated Sept. 25, 1912)	\$2,061.51
<i>School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1904.</i>	
Wm. A. Newsom, first payment, general construction, Patrick Henry School (claim dated Oct. 18, 1912)	\$12,192.00

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

Lowry & Daly, fourth payment, tiling, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Oct. 10, 1912)\$14,949.00

School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1908.

Chas. E. Thomas Co., fifth payment, heating and ventilating, Girls' High School (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912). \$5,355.00

Flinn & Treacy Contracting Co., yard work of Visitation Valley School, contract No. 230 (claim dated Oct. 3, 1912)..... 5,390.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Michael Murphy, 11th payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, section No. 4 (claim dated Oct. 5, 1912)..... \$4,192.45

Water Construction Fund, July 1, 1912.

W. C. Hammatt, services, surveying City property in Hetch Hetchy Valley (claim dated Sept. 17, 1912), passed to print Oct. 7, 1912 \$980.45

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9786 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

Reconstruction, etc., School Department Buildings, Budget Item No. 551.

For reconstruction, repairs to and equipment of School Department buildings during the month of November, 1912..... \$5,500.00

For repairs to Mission High School 425.00

For completion of Grattan School 653.00

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For street work in front of Jackson Park, Arkansas street from 17th to Mission street..... \$1,500.00

For paving and repairs to streets for the month of November, 1912..... 45,800.00

For reconstruction and repairs to sewers during month of November, 1912.. 12,000.00

For Maintenance, Sprinkling Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 553.

For expense, maintenance and cleaning, sweeping and sprinkling streets during month of November, 1912..\$27,000.00

Garbage Disposal Bond Fund, 1908.
For plans, specifications and inspection of North Beach and Islais Creek incinerators \$7,500.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912.

For payment of retaining fee to John Reid, Jr., consulting architect, in accordance with Resolution No. 16,838 of the Board of Public Works \$2,500.00

For payment of retaining fee to F. H. Meyer, consulting architect, in accordance with Resolution No. 16,838 of the Board of Public Works 2,500.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Providing \$2500 to Enable Board of Public Works to Create an Assessment District for Opening Streets in Civic Center.

Resolution No. 9787 (New Series).
Resolved, That the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912, by the Board of Public Works in the further development of the Civic Center by the creation of an assessment district for the opening of streets and so forth.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Contract for Oiled Macadam Roadway on Nineteenth Street Through Mission Park.

Resolution No. 9788 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract for the construction of an oiled macadam roadway along Nineteenth street through Mission Park, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment for the same, including inspection and possible extras, the sum of \$3,800.00, out of Budget Item No. 60, "For Convenience Station and other improve-

ments in Mission Park."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Authorizing Lease of Brenham Place Lot to Jos. Hagan.

Bill No. 2298, Ordinance No. 2068 (New Series).

Authorizing the lease of certain land known as the Brenham Place lot, to Joseph Hagan, and authorizing the Mayor to execute such lease.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby recited that pursuant to the direction of Journal Resolutions Nos. 394 and 405 of the Board of Supervisors, notice was given as required by the Charter, that a lease of the real property known as the "Brenham Place Lot" would be offered for sale at public auction on the 21st day of October, 1912, at 3:00 P. M., at the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors, No. 1231 Market street, and that at said time and place said auction sale was had in the manner stated in said notice and in accordance with the provisions of said Charter, and that Joseph Hagan was the highest bidder at said sale, and the lease of said property was struck off and awarded to him.

Section 2. A lease for the term of twenty years from the expiration of sixty days from the taking effect of this Ordinance, of the property described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing on the west line of Brenham Place 77 feet 6 inches from the north line of Clay street; thence running north 25 feet; thence running west 69 feet; thence south 4 feet, thence east 3 inches; thence south 21 feet; thence east 68 feet 3 inches to the point of commencement. Being a part of Block No. 90, Fifty Varas,

Is hereby awarded to Joseph Hagan for the monthly rental of fifty dollars, that being the highest and best bid therefor, and the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco is hereby authorized to enter into a contract of lease with said Joseph Hagan in accordance with the terms and conditions contained in said notice of sale and pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of the City and County, it being understood and agreed that the terms of said lease shall recite and contain a provision whereby the City and County shall reserve the right and authority to re-enter the said premises, without process of condemnation, at the expiration of five years from and

after the date of the signing of the lease, upon payment to said Joseph Hagan, or assigns, of a reasonable value by the City and County to equitably compensate said lessee for any damage or expense entailed.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 9789 (New Series).

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

John Drum, 2714 Broadway, capacity 1500 gallons.

Masow and Morrison, southeast side of Minna street 200 feet northeast of Sixth street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Hihn Estate, northeast corner of Kearney and Bush streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

John Rosenfeld's Sons, southeast corner of Polk and Bush streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Laundry Permit.

Resolution No. 9790 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted Ben Dornack to maintain a laundry in premises at No. 7 Guerrero street, in strict accordance with Fire and Sanitary laws and regulations of the Fire Department and Board of Health.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9791 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Eureka Teaming Company is hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing old foundations in the premises situate at the southeast corner of Van Ness avenue and Austin street; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and ap-

proved by His Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 A. M., and 6:00 P. M., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said Eureka Teaming Company then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Appointment of Assistant Foreman Gate-man, Auxiliary Water System.

Bill No. 2297, Ordinance No. 2069 (New Series), entitled, Authorizing the Board of Fire Commissioners to appoint an additional employe, viz.: an assistant foreman gateman and fixing his compensation.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. 9792 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to F. Rufer, to maintain a stable on the east side of La Salle avenue, about 125 feet northwest from Mendell street, for two horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Fixing Bond of Municipal Railway Employees.

Bill No. 2299, Ordinance No. 2070 (New Series), entitled:

Fixing the amount of the bond to be furnished by the superintendent, conductors and motormen of Municipal Railways.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Conditional Acceptance, Crossing of Arlington and Miguel Streets.

Bill No. 2300, Ordinance No. 2071

(New Series), Entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Arlington street and Miguel street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2301, Ordinance No. 2072 (New Series), Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Brewster street between Rutledge and Faith streets, and on Costa street between Holladay avenue and Brewster street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2302, Ordinance No. 2073 (New Series), Entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Twenty-ninth avenue between Balboa and Fulton streets, and on Cabrillo street between Twenty-eighth and Thirtieth avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2303, Ordinance No. 2074 (New Series), Entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Santiago street between Fourteenth and Sixteenth avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2304, Ordinance No. 2075 (New Series), Entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Sixteenth avenue between California and Clement streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Bill No. 2305, Ordinance No. 2076 (New Series), Entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Fifteenth avenue between Ortega and Pacheco streets, and on Pacheco street between Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

All Street Work on Streets to Be Dedicated to Public Use to Be Done Under Inspection of the Board of Public Works.

Bill No. 2306, Ordinance No. 2077 (New Series), entitled, "Requiring all street work in streets to be dedicated to public use, to be done under the inspection of the Board of Public Works, and in conformity with the specifications therefor adopted by the City and County of San Francisco."

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

No parcel of land that has been improved for street purposes shall be dedicated to public use or approval by the City and County, unless said improvements are constructed under the supervision of the Board of Public Works in conformity with the specifications for street work as set forth in Ordinance No. 240, of the Board of Supervisors.

The cost of such supervision shall be paid by owners of the land to be dedicated.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Spur Track Permit.

Bill No. 2307, Ordinance No. 2078 (New Series), Entitled, "Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to G. B. Valente to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the existing spur track of the Piedmont Winery Company in the southerly line of Beach street, 68 feet 9 inches easterly from Larkin street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Beach street to the easterly line of Larkin street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Concrete Curb Ordinance.

Bill No. 2308, Ordinance No. 2079 (New Series), Entitled, "Amending Section 7 and adding two new sections to be numbered 7½ and 15½, to Ordinance No. 240, entitled, 'Prescribing general rules and standard specifications for street and sidewalk work, and limiting the use of various kinds of pavements and sidewalks in the City and County of San Francisco,' approved March 1, 1901."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Mc-

Carthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2309, Ordinance No. 2080 (New Series), Ordering the performance of certain street work on the following streets, and approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing such work, to-wit:

That 8 and 15-inch iron stone pipe sewers, with appurtenances, be constructed in the crossing of Eighteenth avenue and Balboa street.

That a 15-inch iron stone pipe sewer, with appurtenances, be constructed in Eighteenth avenue, between Balboa and Cabrillo streets; and 8 and 15-inch iron stone pipe sewers in crossing of Eighteenth avenue and Cabrillo street.

That granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks, brick cess-pools and iron stone pipe culverts be constructed in the crossing of Seventeenth avenue and Balboa street.

That 8, 12 and 18-inch iron stone pipe sewers, with appurtenances, be constructed in the crossing of Fourteenth avenue and Anza street.

That granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks, brick cesspools and iron stone pipe culverts be constructed in the easterly one-half of Arguello Boulevard from the southerly line of Geary street and the northerly line of Turk street, including the intersection of Edward street; and the westerly one-half of Arguello Boulevard from the southerly line of Geary street to the southerly line of Balboa street, including the intersections of Anza and Balboa streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$102,447.38, and numbered consecutively 28,430 to 28,677 inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,

Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Leave of Absence, City Attorney.

J. R. No. 476.

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, filed this 4th day of November, 1912, City Attorney Percy V. Long is hereby granted permission to absent himself from the State for a period of 60 days, beginning November 12, 1912, for the purpose of appearing at Washington in the matter of the hearing of the Order to Show Cause why the Hetch Hetchy permit should not be revoked.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Accepting Offer of Chas. Cohn et al. to Sell for \$8062.52 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

Resolution No. 9793 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Charles Cohn, et al., to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition, Block No. 3, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Charles Cohen, et al., to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, including taxes:

For the purchase of said land	
and improvements.....	\$8,050.00
Rebate on taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed.....	12.52

\$8,062.52

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Polk street, distant thereon 92 feet 6 inches northerly from the northerly line of Grove street; running thence at a right angle easterly 82 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 23 feet; thence at a

right angle westerly 82 feet 6 inches to the said easterly line of Polk street; thence southerly along said easterly line of Polk street 23 feet to the point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Accepting Offer of William Wolff to Sell for \$15,020.40 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9794 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, an offer has been received from William Wolff to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of William Wolff to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, including taxes:

For the purchase of said land	
and improvements.....	\$15,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed.....	20.40

\$15,020.40

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the southerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 82 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Polk street; running thence easterly along said southerly line of Fulton street 27 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the northerly line of Birch street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Birch street 27 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the said southerly line of Fulton street

and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Accepting Offer of H. F. Dexter and F. E. Browning, Trustees, Jacob Browning Estate, to Sell for \$106,390.03 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9795 (New Series).

Whereas, An offer has been received from H. F. Dexter and F. E. Browning, trustees, Jacob Browning estate, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of H. F. Dexter and F. E. Browning, trustees, Jacob Browning estate, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements...\$106,250.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed..... 140.03

\$106,390.03

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Larkin street with the southerly line of McAllister street; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Larkin street 90 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 110 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 30 feet to the northerly line of Ash street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Ash street 82 feet 6

inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the said southerly line of McAllister street; thence easterly, along said southerly line of McAllister street 192 feet 6 inches to the said westerly line of Larkin street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Accepting Offer of Jean M. Gardia to Sell for \$7933.04 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9796 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Jean M. Gardia to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Jean M. Gardia to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements\$7,920.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed..... 13.03

\$7,933.04

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Polk street, distant thereon 48 feet southerly from the southerly line of Fulton street; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Polk street 24 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 82 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 24 feet; thence at a right angle easterly 82 feet 6 inches to the said westerly line of Polk street and point of com-

mencement. Being a portion of West-
ern Addition Block No. 67.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Accepting Offer of Hoover Spring Com-
pany to Assign Its Lease on Civic Cen-
ter Property and Sell Its Fixtures to the
City for \$3000.

Also, Resolution No. 9797 (New Se-
ries), as follows:

Whereas, The City and County of
San Francisco has purchased for Civic
Center purposes the lot of land situ-
ated on the northwest corner of Polk
and Fulton streets, 60 feet by 100 feet,
which said premises are occupied by
the Hoover Spring Company, a cor-
poration, under lease; and

Whereas, Said Hoover Spring Com-
pany has offered to sell and assign its
said lease on said premises to the City
and County of San Francisco, and to
sell the fixtures installed on said prem-
ises by it for the sum of three thou-
sand (\$3,000) dollars, and has also
agreed to vacate said premises by the
fifteenth day of December, 1912; there-
fore be it

Resolved, That the offer of said
Hoover Spring Company to assign its
said lease and to sell its said fixtures
to the City and County of San Fran-
cisco for the sum of three thousand
(\$3,000) dollars be and the same is
hereby accepted, and that the Mayor
and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
be, and they are hereby authorized to
enter into an agreement on behalf of
the City and County of San Francisco
with said Hoover Spring Company to
pay to said Hoover Spring Company
upon its vacating said premises by De-
cember 15th, 1912, and assigning its
said lease and transferring its said fix-
tures to the said City and County, the
sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dol-
lar; and be it further

Resolved, That the City and County
of San Francisco hereby waives and
abandons all claim it may have to any
deposit or bond given by said Hoover
Spring Company to insure or secure

payment of rents by it under its said
lease.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy,
Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Granting Consent to G. G. Bennett Estate
Company to Complete Stores of Build-
ing on North Side of Market Street in
Proposed Civic Center.

Also, Resolution No. 9798 (New Se-
ries).

Whereas, The City and County of
San Francisco did, on April 1st, 1912,
file suit against various property hold-
ers for the purpose of condemning
land for the Civic Center site, and,
among other defendants whose prop-
erty is involved and included in said
action is the G. G. Burnett Estate Co.,
and

Whereas, There is upon the land of
the said G. G. Burnett Estate Co. a
building which has not been completed
by reason of the said action having
been begun, and

Whereas, It is possible to secure
some revenue from the said building
when completed and thus lessen the
amount of loss to the said G. G. Bur-
nett Estate Co. and the consequent
damage for which the said City and
County of San Francisco is liable, now,
therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Board gives its
full consent to the said G. G. Burnett
Estate Co. to complete the stores of
said building situate on the north side
of Market street, included in the suit
for the Civic Center site, and known
as the "Burnett Building," at an ex-
pense not exceeding \$500.00; and also
that this Board grants full permission
to the said G. G. Burnett Estate Co.
to negotiate leases for said stores for a
period not extending beyond Septem-
ber 1st, 1914; be it

Resolved, also, That this action shall
not be considered as establishing the
correct rental value of said stores at
the time the condemnation suit was
begun, nor shall it prejudice the
claims of the G. G. Burnett Estate Co.
in the adjustment of the suit above
mentioned.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Mayor to Sell at Auction Certain Shack
Buildings Situate on City Property at
Corner of City Hall Avenue and Mc-
Allister Street.

Also, J. R. No. 477.

Resolved, That his Honor, the
Mayor, is hereby authorized and re-
quested to sell at public auction, in

accordance with provision of the Charter, the certain shack buildings situate on City property at gore corner of City Hall avenue and McAllister street, and heretofore occupied by the Board of Public Works.

(Communication from the Board of Public Works, filed November 1, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Invite Bids for Moving San Francisco Commercial School to Library Site.

Also, J. R. No. 478.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby requested to invite bids to be presented not later than December 11, 1912, for moving and also for replacing in perfect condition the San Francisco Commercial School (Newton J. Sharp School), situate at the north line of Grove street, between Polk street and Larkin street, to the certain property of the Public Library site, situate at the northerly line of Fell street at a point east of Franklin street, to be determined by the Bureau of Architecture; and be it further

Resolved, That a good and sufficient bond be conditioned in the specifications as a liability for the faithful performance of the contract in the doing of said work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series). as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

<i>General Fund, 1912-1913.</i>	
Felix McHugh, construction ironstone pipe sewer, connecting Lincoln way with septic tank, Golden Gate Park (claim dated Oct. 18, 1912)	\$829.60
Standard Portland Cement Co., cement, Board of Public Works (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912)	570.39
J. O'Keefe, hay, Relief Home (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912)	581.12

D. A. White, Chief of Police, contingent allowance (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	666.66
Spring Valley Water Co., water, public buildings (claim dated Oct. 27, 1912)	1,936.88
Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants (claim dated Oct. 27, 1912)	10,950.42
Sun Tent & Awning Co., election tents (claim dated Oct. 19, 1912)	4,400.00
Spencer Street Planing Mill, construction election booths (claim dated Oct. 15, 1912)	5,250.00
Brown & Power Stationery Co., printing ballots (claim dated Oct. 25, 1912)	1,988.00
Brown & Power Stationery Co., printing poll and tally lists (claim dated Oct. 25, 1912)	2,196.00
<i>Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
Geo. F. Bartlett, transportation, hotel accommodation, etc., Hetch Hetchy investigation (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912)	\$1,037.60
<i>Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1904.</i>	
State Improvement Co., final payment, sewer in Ocean avenue between Lee and Phelan avenues (claim dated Oct. 22, 1912)	\$593.34
<i>School Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Standard Elec. Time Co., final payment, clocks, Lowell High School (claim dated Oct. 30, 1912)	\$1,400.00
Chas. Lauffer, assignee of V. J. Belknap, final payment, plumbing, Lowell High School (claim dated Oct. 24, 1912)	4,597.75
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Robt. C. Storrie & Co., 7th payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, contract No. 44 (claim dated Oct. 29, 1912)	\$37,804.48
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 16th payment, construction Twin Peaks Reservoir (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912)	9,402.07
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Co., 8th payment, cast-iron pipe (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912)	676.91
<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.</i>	
Jean M. Gardia, land for Civic Center purposes, 24 ft. by 82½ ft., west line of Polk street, commencing 48	

ft. south of Fulton street (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	\$7,933.04
William Wolff, land for Civic Center purposes, 27½ ft. by 120 ft., south line of Fulton street, commencing 82½ ft. east of Polk street, with improvements (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	15,020.40
Charles Cohen et al., land for Civic Center purposes, 23 ft. by 82½ ft., east line of Polk street, commencing 92½ ft. north of Grove street (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	8,062.52
H. F. Dexter and F. E. Browning, Trustees, land for Civic Center purposes, 90 ft. by 192½ ft., south- west corner of McAllister and Larkin streets (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912), and improvements	106,390.03

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

<i>For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 549.</i>	
For repairs to Fire Department buildings during the month of November, 1912	\$1,500.00
For repairs to Police Department buildings during the month of November, 1912	500.00
For general repairs to other buildings during the month of November, 1912	1,200.00
For street work in front of Jackson Park, Arkansas street from Seventeenth to Mariposa street	1,015.00
<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.</i>	
For defraying expenses of appraising lands, improve- ments, costs in litigation, expert witness fees, and other special expenses in connection with and per- tinent to the acquisition of lands in the Civic Center; to be expended under the supervision of the Public Buildings Committee of the Board of Supervisors with approval of the City Attorney	\$10,000.00

Ordering Construction of Fire House at
Corner of Grand and Wilde Streets and
Appropriating \$30,000 Therefor.

Also, Bill No. 2310, Ordinance No. —
(New Series), entitled, "Ordering the

construction of a fire house on property situate at intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said fire engine house, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars, out of the item, 'For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes,' in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-1912, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Unsold 1904 School Bonds Placed on Sale
at Treasurer's Office.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:
Bill No. 2311, Ordinance No. —

(New Series), as follows: Reciting that certain school bonds of the issue of 1904 remain unsold after having been advertised for sale, no bids therefor having been received, and directing that such unsold bonds be placed on sale at the office of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, and fixing the price at which such bonds may be sold by the said Treasurer of said City and County.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby recited and declared that the Board of Supervisors on the 21st day of October, 1912, did adopt Resolution No. 9765 (New Series), by which Resolution the Clerk of said Board was directed to give notice by advertisement as required by the Charter of said City and County, that on the 4th day of November, 1912, said Board would receive and consider bids for the purchase of school bonds, issue of 1904, of the seventeenth and eighteenth series, amounting to \$179,600.00.

That in compliance with said Resolution said Clerk did cause to be published in the official newspaper for a period of ten days prior to said 4th day of November, 1912, an advertisement and notice of such sale of said described school bonds, and that all of the requirements of the Charter of the City and County in respect thereto were fully complied with.

That no bids were or have been received for the purchase of said bonds so offered for sale, and the whole amount thereof remains unbids for and unsold.

Section 2. As provided in Section

10 of Article XII of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, it is hereby ordered that all of the school bonds advertised for sale and remaining unsold as above described and set forth, be placed on sale and offered for sale at the office of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, and said Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell said described bonds to any person desiring to purchase the same. That the price at which said bonds may be sold is the par or face value thereof, together with any and all interest that may have accrued thereon at the time of the delivery of the same to the purchaser.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Moneys Collected for Rent of Property Purchased for Civic Center Purposes to be Paid Into City Hall-Civic Center Construction Fund.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: J. R. No. 479.

Resolved, That all moneys collected for the rent of property purchased for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and paid for from the City Hall and Civic Center Construction Fund, be deposited with the Treasurer and placed to the credit of such fund; that the Treasurer and Auditor be directed to transfer from the General Fund to the City Hall and Civic Center Construction Fund the sum of one thousand and ninety and 20-100 (\$1090.20) dollars, heretofore paid into the General Fund, such sum being moneys received for rent of property purchased for City Hall and Civic Center purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Amending Ordinance Relating to Duties of Fire Commissioners with Regard to the Issuance of Permits for Admission Within Fire Lines.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Bill No. 2312, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 879, entitled 'Relating

to the duties of the Board of Fire Commissioners' the provisions of which relate to the issuance of permits for admittance within fire lines, requiring a record of same to be kept and prescribing the number of passes to be issued during any one year."

Oil Boiler and Laundry Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

Eloesser & Heynemann, southwest corner of McAllister and Octavia streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Clay M. Greene, et al., northwest corner of Powell and Sacramento streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Columbia Dairy, 231 Franklin street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Jean Allec, northeast corner of Ellis and Larkin streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Boiler.

California Milk Co., south side of Bay street, 126 feet 3 inches west of Taylor street, 20 horse power, for cleansing containers.

Laundry.

Yee Gee, 314 Seventh street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

No—Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher—1.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Denying Laundry Permit.

J. R. No. 480.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied the John Crowley Company to erect and maintain a laundry on the north side of Harrison street, 50 feet west of Ritch street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Denying Laundry Permit.

J. R. No. 481.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied P. Mon to conduct a public laundry at 3027 Twenty-second street.

Motion.

Supervisor McLeran moved that matter lay over one week.

Motion *lost* by the following vote:
Ayes—Supervisors McLeran, Murdock, Vogelsang—3.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the above Resolution was adopted as J. R. 481.

Passed to Print.

The following Resolution was *passed for printing*:

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors and in accordance with Sections 198 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series) be and is hereby granted to the California Milk Company to maintain a stable for 30 horses on the south side of Bay street, 126 feet 3 inches west of Taylor street.

Action Deferred.

The following bill was introduced by Supervisor Caglieri and on his motion *laid over one week*:

Regulating Sale of Milk or Cream in Quantities of One Quart or Less.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the sale of milk or cream in quantities of one quart or less."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 482.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied to G. B. Mangini to maintain a stable for four horses on west side of Eighteenth avenue, 175 feet south of Anza street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Clerk to Transmit Assessment May for Stockton Street Tunnel to Tax Collector.

On motion of Supervisor Mauzy: Resolution No. 9799 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in the matter of the construction of the Stockton Street Tunnel, the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to transmit to the Auditor the amount of the assessment levied to pay the cost of such construc-

tion, with directions to the Auditor to charge the amount of such assessment to the Tax Collector and to keep an account thereof, with proper credits for all sums collected and paid to the Treasurer.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Install Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 483.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas & Electric Company is hereby instructed to install street lamps at the following locations, to wit:

Install 1 Single Top Gas Lamp.

Northeast corner of Twenty-first and Noe streets.

East side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Twenty-first street.

West side of Castro street, 110 feet south of Hill street.

Southwest corner of Castro and Twenty-first streets.

East side of Gough street, 183 feet south of Jackson street.

East side of Baker street, 183 feet south of Jackson street.

East side of Washington street, 206 feet west of Baker street.

Install 1 Arc Lamp.

Corner of Twenty-eighth avenue and Balboa street.

Twenty-fifth avenue, between Geary and Clement streets.

Corner of Summit and Josiah streets.

Majestic street, 250 feet south of Lake View avenue.

Caine street, 250 feet north of Lake View avenue.

Corner of Moscow street and India avenue.

Corner of Mansfield and Burrows streets.

Corner of Prague and Excelsior streets.

Caine street, 250 feet south of Lake View avenue.

Corner of Burrows and Madison streets.

Bosworth street, 5 poles from Tussock avenue.

Corner of Lake View avenue and Margaret street.

At Twelfth avenue and Presidio Wall, near sidewalk.

Also, to remove one arc lamp from Fifteenth avenue and Presidio Wall.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Masquerade Ball Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 484.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to wit:

Guadalupe Drum Corps of Guadalupe Parlor No. 231, N. S. G. W., at Guadalupe Hall, No. 4551 Mission street, on November 16, 1912.

Rebekah District No. 75, I. O. O. F., at Majestic Hall, Geary and Fillmore streets, on November 20, 1912.

Castro Parlor No. 232, N. S. G. W., at Native Sons Hall, Geary and Mason streets, on November 23, 1912.

California Sequoia Parlors, N. S. G. W., at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, on December 14, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Granting Permit to United Railroads to Make Extensions of Their Service on Portions of Bay and Laguna Streets.

Supervisor Vogelsang presented the following and moved its *passage to print*:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series). Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes, subject to the conditions imposed herein.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to lay down, construct, maintain and operate certain street railways in the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

First: To lay down, construct, maintain and operate a double track street railroad, upon and along the following streets, namely; Commencing at the intersection of Polk and Bay streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, there connecting with street railway tracks to be constructed on said Polk street; thence running westerly along said Bay street to a point approximately one hundred and fifty feet west of the west-

erly line of Van Ness avenue; and thence, curving into Fort Mason Military Reservation, there to connect with certain railway tracks to be constructed within said reservation, in accordance with a revocable license issued to the United Railroads of San Francisco by the Secretary of War of the United States, under date of October 16, 1912.

Together with permission, likewise revocable at the pleasure of this Board, to operate said street railway by the overhead electric system.

Second: To lay down, construct, maintain and operate a single track street railway upon and along the following streets, namely; Curving out of Fort Mason Military Reservation at a point on Laguna street approximately fifty feet south of the south line of Beach street; thence south along Laguna street to a point approximately twenty-five feet north of the south line of North Point street; thence curving into Fort Mason Military Reservation, there to connect with the railway tracks to be constructed in Fort Mason Military Reservation in accordance with the revocable license of the Secretary of War above referred to.

Together with permission, likewise revocable at the pleasure of this Board, to operate said street railway by the overhead electric system.

Section 2. This permission hereby given is subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. That the Board of Supervisors may revoke this permit at any time without notice, and within forty-eight hours after receiving notice of such revocation said United Railroads shall cease operating its cars over any tracks constructed under the authority herein granted, and within three months thereafter shall remove all tracks, poles, wires and appurtenances in said streets and shall restore such streets to as good a condition as before such removal, and upon a failure to remove such tracks, poles, wires and appurtenances, the same shall revert to and become the property of the City and County, and no claim for damage on account of such reversion shall be made against said City and County or its officers.

2. That no assignment of any right herein granted shall be made by said United Railroads, without first obtaining consent of the Board of Supervisors.

3. That upon the order of the Board of Supervisors, said United Railroads shall pave the entire roadway of the streets occupied by its tracks, and construct such terminal system and

facilities as may be deemed necessary for the convenience of the public.

4. That the City and County, for the purpose of operating a municipal street railway, shall have the right to use the tracks and appurtenances constructed in the streets under this permit, or any portion thereof, and also to use all or any portion of the tracks, terminals and appurtenances constructed by the United Railroads within the Fort Mason Military Reservation, sharing with said United Railroads the expense of operation and installation under such working and business agreement as may be approved by the Secretary of War.

Before exercising any rights under this Ordinance, the United Railroads of San Francisco, by its proper officers, shall execute its acceptance hereof and file the same in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Amendment.

Supervisor Giannini moved as an amendment that Bill be laid over indefinitely until lower Market street dispute is settled.

Amendment.

Supervisor Bancroft moved as an amendment to the amendment that matter lay over one week and copies be sent to the members.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Nolan—11.

Noes—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Mauzy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—7.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Public Service Corporations to File Copies of Franchises and Maps for Opening Public Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
J. R. No. 485.

Resolved, That all public service corporations within this City and County are hereby requested to file with the Board of Public Works and the Board of Supervisors, within a period of two weeks time from date hereof, a copy of their franchises, and a statement as to under what authority they are using the public streets in this City and County, or a statement as to whether they have no such franchises or authority.

It is further requested that the said companies or corporations file a map showing the streets and districts they were using prior to October 11, 1911, and what extensions they have made since that time in said streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor Jennings and *passed for printing*:

Providing \$5000 to Defray Expenses Party to Washington in Regard to Order to Show Cause Why Hetch Hetchy Permit Should not be Revoked.

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars be and is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Water Construction Fund by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to defray the expenses of the Mayor, the Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee of this Board, the City Attorney and an assistant City Engineer and assistants, and the Clerk of this Board to Washington, D. C., for the purpose of representing the City and County in the matter pending before the Department of the Interior concerning the use of the Hetch Hetchy Valley for a source of water supply.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Award of Contract, Furniture, Hall of Justice.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:
J. R. No. 486.

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing, delivering, and installing, complete, in the Hall of Justice 128 opera chairs in Judge Lawlor's Court Room; 102 opera chairs in Police Court, Dept. No. 1; 102 opera chairs in Police Court, Dept. No. 2, 111 opera chairs in Police Court, Dept. No. 3, 122 opera chairs in Police Court, Dept. No. 4, is hereby awarded to the A. H. Andrews Company for the sum of one thousand two hundred ninety-nine and 50/100 (\$1,299.50) dollars, in strict accordance with their proposal submitted therefor September 23, 1912; and be it further

Resolved, That the bond to be furnished by said A. H. Andrews Company for the faithful performance of this contract is hereby fixed at the sum of two hundred (\$200.00) dollars; and be it

Resolved, That all other bids for the foregoing articles are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,

McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Clerk to Request Inventories of Properties of Public Service Corporations.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:
J. R. No. 487.

Whereas, The Board, on the 26th day of August, 1912, did adopt a resolution creating a Valuation Committee, with authority to secure a valuation of the property of persons and corporations supplying water, gas, electricity, heat, power and telephonic service, etc., within the City and County, and

Whereas, The Clerk of this Board, on October 11, 1912, did address communications to, and did ask for certain information from the several corporations engaged in the business aforesaid, and no such information in response to such communication has been received, therefore

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be directed to serve notice upon the several corporations engaged in the business herein referred to, to file with this Board on or before November 15, 1912, full and complete inventories of their several and respective properties used in supplying water, gas, electricity, heat, power and telephonic service, with the correct values thereof.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Amending Building Law Relative to the Installation and Maintenance of Wires and Cables.

Supervisor McLeran presented:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, Regulating the installation and maintenance of wires and cables used for the carriage of electricity for light, power, telephones, telegraph, messenger or signal service installed in buildings within the City and County of San Francisco.

Ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

Clerk to Designate Order in Which Charter Amendments Shall be Placed on Ballot.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:
J. R. No. 488.

Resolved, That the Clerk, the Judiciary Committee concurring, shall designate the order in which the proposed Charter Amendments shall be placed upon the ballot to be used at the special election to be held December 10,

1912, and at which election said proposed Charter Amendments shall be submitted to the electors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Adopted.

Publicity Committee to Prepare Data for Campaign for Acquisition of Sutro Property.

J. R. No. 489.

Resolved, That the Publicity Committee prepare data for a campaign for the acquisition of Sutro Heights property.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

City Attorney to Advise on Billboards.
J. R. No. 490.

Whereas, The Public Welfare Committee has recently held a number of public hearings in the matter of the regulation of signs and bill boards, and

Whereas, The Public Welfare Committee is desirous of securing competent legal advice as to the legal powers of the Board of Supervisors to restrict the height of bill boards and as to what power rests in the Board of Supervisors to tax bill boards; therefore be it

Resolved. That the City Attorney be and he is hereby requested to give his legal opinion at as early a date as possible on the following four points:

First: Can the Board of Supervisors legally limit the height of bill boards?

Second: Can the Board of Supervisors legally create zone areas in which the height of bill boards may vary?

Third: Can the Board of Supervisors legally limit the height of bill boards to 10 feet and at their discretion, under certain conditions, grant a revocable permit for a bill board or sign exceeding 10 feet in height?

Fourth: Can the Board of Supervisors legally levy a tax on bill boards, and, if so, to what extent?

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 6:30 p. m. adjourned to meet

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, November 11, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J S DUNNIGAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Monday, November 11, 1912.

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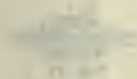
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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, November 11, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of November 4, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

The following matter was presented by his Honor the Mayor, read by the Clerk, ordered spread in the Journal and ordered referred to the *Public Utilities Committee*.

Opinion of City Attorney as to Right of City to Grant United Railroads permission to Run Jackson Street Cars to Ferry by Way of Sutter Street.

Mayor's Office, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 11th, 1912.
Hon. Board of Supervisors, City Hall, San Francisco.

Gentlemen: I beg to hand you, herewith, copy of my respects of the 6th instant to Hon. Percy V. Long, City Attorney, asking for his official opinion on the following question:

"Has the City the right by the proposed compromise agreement, to grant or concede to the United Railroads of San Francisco, or the Sutter Street Railway Company, the privilege of using the outer tracks on lower Market street, from Sutter street to the City Front, for the operation of cars of the Jackson street line, which have been diverted from Jackson street into Fillmore, and thence into Sutter street?"

Enclosed please find Mr. Long's re-

ply to said question, indicating that the City has the right to concede said privilege.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

Encls.

Mayor's Office, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 6th, 1912.
Hon. Percy V. Long, City and County Attorney, San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir: In my proposed amendments, which I have submitted to the Honorable Board of Supervisors, to the compromise agreement which they have under consideration, between the City of San Francisco, the United Railroads of San Francisco, and the Sutter Street Railway Company, I inserted a provision, the effect of which would be to exclude from the use of the outer tracks on lower Market street, the cars of the Jackson street line, now diverted from Jackson street into Fillmore street and thence into Sutter street, and via Sutter street to its junction with Sansome street.

My reason for thus excluding the cars of the Jackson street line was that, in my opinion, the City had no right, under such an agreement as the one proposed, to grant the privilege in question, so far as the Jackson street cars were concerned.

Whether my opinion is correct, is a legal question, on which I now ask your advice.

Will you please give me an official opinion on the following question:

Has the City the right, by the proposed compromise agreement, to grant or concede to the United Railroads of San Francisco or the Sutter Street Railway Company, the privilege of using the outer tracks on lower Market street, from Sutter street to the City front, for the operation of cars of the Jackson street line, which have been diverted from Jackson street into Fillmore street and thence into Sutter street?

Yours very respectfully,

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

JR-CM.

City Attorney, San Francisco.

November 11, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your communication under date of November 6th, as follows:

"Will you please give me an official opinion on the following question:

"Has the City the right, by the proposed compromise agreement, to grant or concede to the United Railroads of San Francisco or the Sutter Street Railway Company, the privilege of using the outer tracks on lower Market street, from Sutter street to the City Front, for the operation of cars of the Jackson street line, which have been diverted from Jackson street into Fillmore street and thence into Sutter street?"

In my opinion the City has the right to concede to the United Railroads or the Sutter street Railway Company the privilege of using the outer tracks on lower Market street, from Sutter street to the City Front, for the operation of cars of the Jackson street line, which have been diverted from Jackson street into Fillmore street and thence into Sutter street.

Respectfully,

PERCY V. LONG,

City Attorney.

Communication from Former Mayor Jas. D. Phelan Accepting Invitation to Accompany Party to Washington, D. C., in re Order to Show Cause Why Hetch Hetchy Permit Should Not be Revoked.

The following communication was presented by his Honor the Mayor, read by the Clerk, *ordered spread at length in the Journal and filed:*

Phelan Building, San Francisco.

Nov. 10/12.

My Dear Mr. Mayor: I have received your letter of November 8th and am honored by your request. I shall accept your invitation to accompany your party and trust we may be able to go together. I can leave Nov. 19th, or next day, being engaged for the evening of the 18th, and hence cannot depart earlier; nor is there any necessity, for the hearing, you state, is Nov. 25th, which will allow ample time.

As I, on previous visits, paid my own expenses, and as I am not an official, I will ask the privilege of doing the same again.

Thanking you for this expression of your confidence, I am

Very truly yours,

JAMES D. PHELAN.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor, San Francisco.

Acknowledgements of Receipt of Freeman's Report on Hetch Hetchy Water Supply Project from Mayors of Bay Cities.

The following communications were presented by his Honor the Mayor, read by the Clerk, and ordered spread at length in the Journal.

Palo Alto, Cal., 11-9-12.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor of San Francisco.

My Dear Sir: Your letter re Hetch Hetchy Water Supply, and the most excellent report by Mr. John R. Freeman received. First of all, I wish to thank you for the report and your kindness in sending it, and express my appreciation of the report.

Secondly, and of more importance, I wish to say our city is intensely interested in this great project. We have already gone on record as favoring it in a resolution adopted by our City Council on July 8, and forwarded to your office.

Thirdly, I wish to pledge our support, and if you will suggest any means by which we can be of material assistance, we will be only too glad to comply.

Wishing you success in your fight for a magnificent pure water supply for San Francisco and this great metropolitan district, I remain,

Most respectfully yours,

C. E. JORDAN,

Mayor.

City of Berkeley.

Mayor's Office.

J. Stitt Wilson, Mayor.

9 November, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor, San Francisco, California.

Dear Mr. Mayor: I have delayed answering your communication received some days ago as I was waiting for the arrival of the report of Mr. John R. Freeman, concerning which you wrote. I have just received the report through the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, and shall lay the same before the Council of the City of Berkeley and some action will be taken immediately.

Thanking you for the valuable document, I am,

Yours very truly,

J. Stitt Wilson,

Mayor.

San Francisco, Nov. 5, 1912.

Hon. James Rolph, Jr., Mayor of San Francisco.

Dear Mr. Mayor: Accept my thanks for your kindness in forwarding to me copy of the report of Mr. John R. Freeman. It has not yet arrived, but when it comes I shall read it with interest. The town of Redwood City will be glad to co-operate with the other municipalities of the Bay region

in any way that you may point out. Just say when and where you want to see me, or, if it will save time and effort for me to see the City Engineer or City Attorney of San Francisco, I will go to them. Just tell us what to do and we will do it.

With best wishes for success, I remain,

Cordially yours,

GEO. A. MERRILL,
Mayor of Redwood City.

Relative to Annual Convention of American Road Builders' Association.

His Honor the Mayor presented:

Communication—From the American Road Builders' Association, requesting that delegates be sent to its next annual convention to be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, December 3rd to 6th, 1912.

Ordered referred to the Publicity Committee.

Estimates of Cost for Completion of San Francisco Hospital and County Jail.

The following matters were presented, read by the Clerk and ordered spread at length in the Journal:

City and County of San Francisco. Department of Public Works, City Hall.

November 11th, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Complying with your request of October 4th, 1912, there is herewith transmitted a report prepared by the consulting architects of this Board, and estimating the cost of completing the San Francisco Hospital, the Hall of Justice and the City and County Jail.

This report was approved and adopted by Resolution No. 20,571, Second Series.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

By F. J. CHURCHILL, Secretary.
City and County of San Francisco.
Department of Public Works, Bureau of Architecture.

November 11, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: In reply to the request made to your Board on October 4 by the Board of Supervisors requesting an estimate of the amount which will be required to fully complete the County Jail, Hall of Justice and San Francisco Hospital, we submit the following estimate:

Estimated cost to complete the following buildings:

San Francisco Hospital.....\$1,521,227
City and County Jail..... 178,773

\$1,700,000

The itemized account of this estimate is on file in this office.

On November 1 we directed a communication to your Board stating the amount of money required to complete the Girls' High School building and the Lowell High School building. However, we believe that this is not to be taken up at this time.

Yours truly,

CONSULTING ARCHITECTS, BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

By JOHN REID.

Report and Estimate of Cost of Construction and Completion of Fire and Police Signal System.

Department of Public Works, 955 Market Street.

San Francisco, November 1, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: In accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 2047, New Series, of your Honorable Board, there is herewith transmitted a report, estimate and plans for the construction and completion of a fire and police signal system, prepared by the City Engineer. These were approved by this Board by Resolution 20,471, Second Series, passed November 1, 1912.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

By F. J. CHURCHILL, Secretary.

Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

San Francisco, November 1, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Ordinance No. 2047 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors directs the Board of Public Works to procure and place on file with the Board of Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of original construction and completion of a Fire and Police Signal System, including the necessary buildings and the acquisition of lands therefor.

In accordance with the provisions of the Ordinance, the following report is submitted to your Board for transmission to the Board of Supervisors:

Present Fire Alarm System: The present fire alarm system consists of 563 fire alarm boxes, 169 receiving stations and a central fire alarm office, connected together by 34 circuits.

The fire alarm boxes are located in a haphazard manner without any particular plan and should be rearranged in constructing a new system. The Fire Department has in its possession 50 modern fire alarm boxes of the Gamewell successive, no-interfering type, which were purchased in 1910. Of these, 32 are at present operated as non-interfering boxes. The remainder

are of the plain type and are unsuitable for use in the congested value district.

The 169 receiving stations are equipped with instruments to receive and record fire alarms transmitted from the central office. The switchboards on which the instruments for twenty of the engine houses are mounted are of poor construction and should be remodeled. In all except the new fire houses the wiring inside of the house is not run in such a manner as to meet the approval of the Underwriters and should be reconstructed.

The central fire alarm station is located at 55 Fulton street in a building with brick walls with wooden frame, joists and flooring. In addition to being used for the purpose of housing the fire alarm station, this building is also occupied by the machine shop and office of the Department of Electricity, and as headquarters for the Wiring Inspection Bureau. The building is entirely unsuitable for use as a fire alarm station, and in addition the switchboard is constructed in a most flimsy manner of highly combustible materials.

Notwithstanding the fact that approximately 110 miles of underground ducts are available for the installation of fire alarm circuits, all of the circuits between the fire alarm boxes and central station, and between the receiving stations and the central station, with the exception of four circuits in the congested value district, are run on overhead pole lines. The arrangement of these circuits is, moreover, such as to render the location and repair of any breaks which may occur therein difficult.

Present Police Telegraph System: The district adjacent to Golden Gate Park is equipped with 44 police signal boxes. The remainder of the City has no police signal system and intercommunication between the various police stations is at present maintained by means of telephones operated by the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The Department of Electricity has on hand for installation in the congested value district designated by the Police Department as the Central District 50 police signal boxes, which can probably be used in the construction of the proposed system.

PROPOSED SYSTEM.

Fire Alarm System.

Central Fire Alarm Station: It is proposed to construct a fireproof building isolated as far as possible from all other buildings for the sole purpose of housing the switchboard and appurtenances of the proposed fire alarm

system. This building will be 55 feet wide by 65 feet long and will contain one room only in which will be located the switchboard, with a low basement beneath, in which will be located the necessary batteries, the battery charging outfit and the wiring connections between the various circuits of the switchboard.

The heating plant and a gas engine and dynamo for charging batteries will be installed in two small buildings, each about 12 feet square and about 5 feet back of the main building, in order to entirely eliminate the necessity of introducing any combustible material into the main building and so reduce the fire hazard in this building to the irreducible minimum.

Both from the standpoint of safety and economic construction it is highly desirable that this central fire alarm station be located in Jefferson Square. It is imperative that in the event of an earthquake or a general conflagration the fire alarm station shall remain intact at all times, as the safety of the entire City will demand that quick and reliable open communication be maintained between the officers of the Fire Department and the various fire companies. Unless this building is widely separated from other buildings, an earthquake is liable to result in portions of buildings in its vicinity falling upon it and putting it out of service, or in a general conflagration fires in adjoining buildings may make it uninhabitable.

This view has been thoroughly discussed with the engineers of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, the chief engineer of the National Fire Protective Association, and the engineers of the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific, all of whom thoroughly concur in the statement that Jefferson Square is by far the most desirable location for such a station as is proposed.

From an economic point of view, Jefferson Square is ideally located, being near the geographical center of the closely built-up portion of the City and so situated with reference to the existing duct lines belonging to the City or available for use by the City, as to make it possible to construct the various circuits which will be required between the central fire alarm station and the various boxes and stations, in the most economical manner.

Fire Alarm Boxes: The accompanying map, Sheet No. 1, shows the proposed location of fire alarm boxes in that portion of the City east of Stanyan street and north of Thirtieth street. On this map are shown 667 boxes.

Referring to the map, it will be no-

ticed that in the district south of Market street and in the Mission District, where the blocks are of considerable length, it is proposed generally to install a box at each of the principal street intersections; in the district north of Market street as far as Broadway and from the Bay to Divisadero street, it is proposed generally to install a box at every alternate street intersection; in the district between Divisadero and Stanyan streets, it is proposed generally to install a box at every third street intersection.

The present box arrangement in the Sunset and Richmond Districts, shown on Sheet No. 2, is fairly regular but does not cover all of the built-up portions. It is proposed to rearrange these boxes where necessary to re-stall some additional boxes and to provide sufficient spare circuits to permit of the installation of other additional boxes as the districts are more thickly built up. It is expected that ultimately a box will be located at each third street intersection.

The accompanying estimate provides for the installation of 950 fire alarm boxes with circuits designed for 250 additional boxes, which, it is believed, will be needed within the next few years.

There are now 563 fire alarm boxes in service and 46 additional boxes are under construction, making a total of 609 boxes which will be available for installation in the proposed system. Of these, 50 boxes are modern, successive, non-interfering boxes, and it is proposed to purchase 341 such boxes additional, making a total of 391 modern boxes. These are to be installed in the congested value district, moving the interfering type of boxes to the outlying districts, after overhauling them and placing them in first-class condition.

At present, with the exception of a few boxes in the congested value district, the general method of support is to secure the box to a telephone pole, equipping the adjacent street lamp with a red dome to make a fire alarm box location. It is proposed to mount all of the boxes in the underground district on iron standards.

To provide against the possibility that the Fire Department will, within a few years, desire a means of telephonic communication between the fire alarm boxes and the central office and various receiving stations, it is proposed to equip the boxes in the underground district with telephone jacks and to include in the underground cables such wires that when the need arises a telephone system can be installed for the use of the Fire Department without alteration to any part

of the system which it is proposed to construct at once.

This estimate does not include the cost of telephone instruments for the use of the Fire Department nor does it include the cost of marker lights over the fire alarm boxes.

Circuits: It is proposed that no box circuit shall carry more than 15 boxes, the average number on a circuit in the built-up district not exceeding 12 per circuit. Each box circuit as planned will cover but a limited territory, facilitating the location and repair of any trouble.

In the outlying districts it is proposed to utilize the existing overhead construction, insofar as it may be found practicable, and to construct only such new work as is absolutely necessary to bring the existing system to a satisfactory state of efficiency.

Receiving Stations: At present two circuits reach each engine house. It is proposed to install a third, making three separate circuits to each engine house. The routings of these circuits will be so separated that no single accident can cut an engine house off from direct communication with the central fire alarm station. As designed, each of these circuits will at present serve an average of not more than four engine houses, but provision has been made so that as additional fire houses are built, they may be connected into these circuits until, when the City is completely covered with fire engine houses, there will be not more than six houses on each circuit.

The accompanying estimate does not include the cost of remodeling the switchboards nor reconstructing the wiring in the fire houses, it being contemplated that this work would be done by the Department of Electricity as funds for this purpose become available.

The fire alarm system outlined above was designed in this office during the years 1909-10, and in 1910 was submitted to the engineers of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, who were making an investigation of the condition of San Francisco from the underwriting viewpoint. After describing the manner in which the proposed system is to be constructed, substantially as outlined above, these engineers reported as follows (see page 38 of Report No. 128 on City of San Francisco, California, issued July, 1910): "The construction of the new system and headquarters along the lines proposed by the engineers of the Department of Electricity and the Board of Public Works should result in a thoroughly satisfactory fire alarm system," and "recommend (see page 55 of same report) that the new fire

alarm system and headquarters be constructed essentially along the lines proposed by the engineers of the Department of Electricity and the Board of Public Works."

POLICE TELEGRAPH SYSTEM.

For the purpose of operating, the Police Department has divided the City into 10 districts, each of which is governed from headquarters within the district, the district headquarters being governed from the central office.

For the police signal system it is proposed to install a separate telephone and signal system in each district connecting to the district headquarters and each district headquarters, and the central headquarters are to be connected by trunk circuits terminating on a telephone switchboard in the central fire alarm office.

This estimate proposes the installation of 600 police boxes and 200 flash lamp equipments for calling officers. There are now on hand about 75 such telephone boxes and it will therefore be necessary to purchase 525 additional boxes. Each police signal box is to be equipped with instruments through which calls for police officers or patrol wagons may be transmitted to the district headquarters with a key by such private citizens as may be entrusted with these keys. In addition, each box will be equipped with a telephone instrument by which members of the police department may communicate directly with district headquarters or through the central fire alarm station with central headquarters.

In the underground district, which includes all of the congested value district, it is proposed to mount these police signal boxes upon the same standards as the fire alarm boxes. In the outlying districts the police signal boxes will be mounted upon telephone or telegraph poles as may be convenient.

Two hundred flash lamp equipments are to be provided and installed upon the same standards as the police signal boxes in locations where they may be readily seen. These flash lamp equipments will be so connected that when an officer at headquarters desires to communicate with a policeman on a beat he can notify him that his presence at the police signal box is desired by lighting up the flash lamps along the beat of the policeman with whom he desires to communicate.

I append herewith an estimate of the cost of the fire alarm and police signal system described above, together with three maps showing the present location of fire alarm boxes, the proposed location of fire alarm boxes in the thickly built-up portion

of the City, and the proposed location of 400 of the proposed 600 police signal boxes throughout the City.

This estimate has been made out in considerable detail. When the system is finally constructed it will be found that some of the items will cost more than stated in the estimate and others will cost less, but under present conditions as to the cost of labor and the cost of material the system outlined can be constructed for the sum estimated.

Respectfully,

W. M. O'SHAUGHNESSY,
City Engineer.

Estimated Cost of Fire Alarm and Police Signal System.

Central office building and furnishings	\$35,000
Gasoline engine generator....	1,500
Motor-generator set	500
Switchboards	600
Wire and installation.....	400
Main batteries	3,000
Auxiliary battery	500
Fire alarm switchboards and appurtenances	50,000
Wiring and installation.....	3,000
522 box standards.....	32,000
341 fire alarm boxes.....	43,000
525 police boxes.....	42,000
200 flash lamp equipments....	11,000
New underground conduit....	30,000
Cross connections between present conduit systems...	8,000
Lateral duct to boxes.....	20,000
Lateral duct to engine houses	3,500
Underground cable in place..	130,000
Cable terminals	4,000
Temporary work of cutting over to new system.....	7,000
Repairing and preparing conduits and manholes.....	9,000
Drawing out old cables.....	4,000
Overhauling and repairing present fire alarm and police boxes	12,000
Reconstructing overhead lines	107,000
10 police station equipments.	15,000
Trunking equipment for police system	2,000
Extras and incidentals.....	62,000
Engineering and inspection...	34,000

Cost of building and equipment	\$670,000
Real estate in case Jefferson Square is not used.....	80,000

Total cost of system.....\$750,000

Description of Lands to be Acquired for Park Purposes and Estimate of Cost of Same.

San Francisco, Nov. 9th, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith you will please find report of City Engineer containing description of lands to be ac-

quired for public parks and estimates of cost of same, as per Ordinance 2047, of the Honorable Board of Supervisors.

This report has been approved by the Board of Public Works by Resolution No. 20566, Second Series.

Yours truly,

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

By F. J. CHURCHILL,

Secretary.

San Francisco, Nov. 8, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith description of lands to be acquired and estimates of cost of same, in answer to Bill No. 2281, Ordinance No. 2047 (New Series), of the Honorable Board of Supervisors asking for descriptions and estimates of cost for the acquisition of lands to be acquired for public parks as set forth in Propositions "One," "Three" and "Four" of said Ordinance.

Respectfully,

W. M. O'SHAUGHNESSY,

City Engineer.

Proposition One.

SUTRO PROPERTY.

The acquisition of certain lands, being a portion of the "Sutro Property," located in the City and County of San Francisco contiguous to and in the vicinity of Lincoln Park, and embraced in a certain offer of the heirs of Adolph Sutro to the City and County dated on or about August 22, 1912.

Together with the improvements thereon to be used for the purposes of a public park, and pleasure and recreation grounds, and such other public purposes as may be determined by the Board of Supervisors.

Saving and excepting therefrom the right of way thirty (30) feet wide granted by the executors of the Estate of Adolph Sutro, deceased, to the Sutro Railroad Company,

Also excepting the piece of land to be used as a depot site, granted by the executors of the Estate of Adolph Sutro, deceased, to the Sutro Railroad Company.

Description of Lands to be Acquired.

Commencing at a point where the southerly line of Lake street (if extended and produced) intersects the easterly line of Lincoln Park; and running thence easterly along the southerly line of Lake street (if extended and produced) ninety-nine (99) feet six inches to the easterly boundary line of the Sutro property; thence in a northerly direction along the easterly boundary line of the Sutro property to the northerly boundary line of the said Sutro property; thence westerly following the meanderings of the northerly and westerly boundary lines

of the Sutro property to a point on high water line of the Pacific Ocean, which is reached by courses and distances described as follows:

Commencing at a concrete monument in the northerly side of Point Lobos avenue in front of the Sutro Baths, and running thence N. $11^{\circ} 45' 30''$ W. one and sixty-nine one-hundredths (1.69) feet to the northerly line of Point Lobos avenue; thence N. $11^{\circ} 45' 30''$ W. fifty-one and thirty-six one-hundredths (51.36) feet; thence S. $83^{\circ} 20' 30''$ W. one hundred eleven and seventy-eight one-hundredths (111.78) feet; thence N. $64^{\circ} 31' 30''$ W. sixty (60) feet to aforesaid point on the high water line of the Pacific Ocean; thence leaving the aforesaid point on the high water line of the Pacific Ocean and running S. $64^{\circ} 31' 30''$ E. sixty (60) feet; thence north $83^{\circ} 20' 30''$ E. one hundred eleven and seventy-eight one-hundredths (111.78) feet; thence S. $11^{\circ} 45' 30''$ E. fifty-one and thirty-six one-hundredths (51.36) feet to a point on the northerly line of Point Lobos avenue; thence in a northerly and easterly direction following the westerly and northerly line of Point Lobos avenue to a point where said line intersects the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue to a point where the northwesterly line of Lincoln Park (if extended and produced southwesterly) would intersect the westerly line of Forty-eighth avenue; thence running along the westerly and northerly boundary lines of Lincoln Park in a northerly and easterly direction following the westerly and northerly boundary lines of Lincoln Park to the easterly boundary line of said Lincoln Park; thence southerly along the easterly boundary line of Lincoln Park to the southerly line of Lake street (if extended and produced westerly) and point of commencement.

The estimated cost of this property, including incidentals and a small sum necessary to be expended for its immediate preservation and improvement, is \$700,000.

Proposition Three.

AQUATIC PARK.

The acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Van Ness avenue at its northerly termination in the City and County of San Francisco, to be used as a public aquatic park.

The estimated cost of this property, including incidental and proposed improvements, is \$800,000.

Proposition Four.

TWIN PEAKS PARK.

The acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks, City and County of San Francisco, to be used as a public park.

The estimated cost of this land is \$200,000.

Leaves of Absence.

The following recommendation was presented by his Honor the Mayor and read by the Clerk:

Mayor's Office, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., November 11th, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, San Francisco, Cal.

Gentlemen:

In view of the action of your Board in requesting that certain City officials and employes go to the City of Washington, D. C., to represent the interests of the City at a hearing before the Honorable Secretary of the Interior with regard to the City's claims in the Hetch Hetchy, I respectfully request that leaves of absence, with permission to leave this State, be granted to the City and County Attorney, Hon. Percy V. Long; to the City Engineer, Mr. W. M. O'Shaughnessy; to the Hon. Alexander T. Vogelsang, Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee of your Board; to Mr. J. S. Dunnigan, Clerk of the said Board, and to myself; such leaves of absence to be for a period of sixty days beginning on the 16th instant.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,

Mayor.

Whereupon the following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Leaves of Absence.

J. R. No. 492.

Resolved, That a 60-day leave of absence from November 16th be and is hereby granted to his Honor the Mayor, City Engineer M. M. O'Shaughnessy, City Attorney Percy V. Long, Supervisor Alexander Vogelsang, Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee, John S. Dunnigan, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, in order that they may proceed to Washington, D. C., to represent the City and County of San Francisco in the hearing before the Department of the Interior in the matter of the order to show cause why the Hetch Hetchy permit should not be revoked.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Appointment of John W. Rogers, Acting Clerk.

J. R. No. 493.

Resolved That John W. Rogers be and he is designated as Acting Clerk of the Board of Supervisors during the absence of John S. Dunnigan, and

commencing November 16, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution heretofore, on November 4, 1912, passed for printing, was taken up and on motion laid over until tomorrow, November 12, 1912, at 1:30 p. m. to-wit:

Providing \$5,000 to Defray Expenses of Party to Washington, D. C., in re Hearing of Matter of Order to Show Cause Why Hetch Hetchy Permit Should Not Be Revoked.

Resolution No. ———(New Series) as follows:

RESOLVED, That the sum of five thousand dollars be and is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Water Construction Fund by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to defray the expenses of the Mayor, the Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee of this Board, the City Attorney and an assistant, City Engineer and assistants, and the Clerk of this Board, to Washington, D. C., for the purpose of representing the City and County in the matter pending before the Department of the Interior concerning the use of the Hetch Hetchy Valley for a source of water supply.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$38,814.99, numbered consecutively 28,679 to 28,976, inclusive, were presented, read and order referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

Accepting Offer of William Cohen to Sell for \$52,093.38 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Proposals.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9800 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been re-

ceived from William Cohen to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of William Cohen to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said	
land and improvements..	\$52,041.00
Rebate on taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed.....	52.38
	<hr/> \$52,093.38

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Larkin street with the southerly line of Birch street; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Larkin street 30 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 100 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 30 feet to the southerly line of Birch street; running thence easterly along said southerly line of Birch street 100 feet to the said westerly line of Larkin street and point of commencement, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 3.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land improvements and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Offer of Edward J. Dollard et al., to Sell for \$20,423.94 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Also Resolution No. 9801, (New Series), as follows: -

Whereas, As offer has been received from Edward J. Dollard, Delia Hasty, et al, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of

Western Addition Block No. 67, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Edward J. Dollard, Delia Hasty, et al, to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:

For the purchase of said	
land and improvements..	\$20,400.00
Rebate on taxes for current	
fiscal year allowed.....	23.94
	<hr/> \$20,423.94

is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Polk street with the southerly line of Fulton street; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Polk street 48 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 82 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 48 feet to the southerly line of Fulton street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fulton street 82 feet 6 inches to the said westerly line of Polk street and point of commencement, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title of said land improvements and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Calling and Providing for Special Bond Election.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Bill No. 2313, Ordinance No.—— (New Series).

Calling and providing for a special election to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on the 26th day of December, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of

said City and County five propositions to incur a bonded indebtedness by said City and County for: (1) The acquisition of certain lands and improvements thereon, being a portion of "Sutro Property" located contiguous to Lincoln Park; (2) the completion of certain municipal buildings known as the San Francisco Hospital and County Jail; (3) the acquisition of certain lands for a public aquatic park; (4) the acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park; (5) the construction of a fire and police signal system (including buildings) and the acquisition of lands therefor; this Ordinance being the second of a series of ordinances to be adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco under and by virtue of which it is proposed to incur a bonded indebtedness of said City and County for the purposes herein enumerated.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted.

Providing \$475 for Construction of a Concrete Wall at Northerly Termination of Twenty-first Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9802 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of \$475.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works, out of Budget Item No. 549, "For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets, etc.," for the construction of a concrete wall at the northerly termination of Twenty-first avenue, in accordance with recommendation by the Board of Public Works, filed November 8th, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Authorizations.

Supervisor Jennings presented:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved. That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the herinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to wit:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Seagrave Co., motor propelled Tractor, Fire Dept. (claim dated June 29, 1912) \$6,943.00

Seagrave Co., two motor hose wagons and chemical engines, Fire Dept. (claim dated June 29, 1912) 14,562.00

School Bond Fund, 1908.

Chas. E. Thomas Co., 6th payment, heating and ventilating, Girls' High School (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912) 2,400.00

The J. Looney Co., plumbing, Girls' High School, 4th payment (claim dated Oct. 18, 1912) 2,943.75

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Contra Costa Construction Co., 3rd payment, hauling and laying mains, contract 49 (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912) 25,709.15

Caldwell & Co., 7th payment, Fort Mason Pumping Station, contract 34 (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912) 5,029.55

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

Grant Fee, 1st payment, completion San Francisco Hospital, (claim dated Nov. 4, 1912) 6,975.00

Butte Engr. & Elec. Co., 2nd payment, electric wiring, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912) 4,350.00

Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.

McLean, Haggans & Aden, 5th payment, construction Islais Creek Incinerator, contract 3 (claim dated Nov. 4, 1912) 12,178.50

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue, July 1, 1910.

F. Rolandi, 4th payment, construction of car house, etc., (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912) 30,192.94

Gruver & McCaffrey, 2nd payment, underground conduit (claim dated Nov. 4, 1912) 12,004.54

Julius Heyman Co., 1st payment, redwood crossties (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912) 5,409.61

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue, 1912.

Edward J. Dollard, Delia Hasty et al, for purchase of land southwest corner of Polk and Fulton streets, 48 ft. by 82½ ft. (claim dated Nov. 2, 1912) 20,423.94

William Cohen, for purchase of land southwest corner of Larkin and Birch streets, 30 ft. by 100 ft. (claim dated Nov. 2, 1912) 52,093.38

Sewer Bond Fund, 1984.

Karl Ehrhart, 2nd payment, Woolsey street sewer

(claim dated Nov. 4, 1912.	2,380.80	October, 1912, (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912)	850.00
C. J. Harney, 2nd payment, Brannan street sewer, 1st street, to Central Place (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912.	4,291.06	J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, etc., Police Department (claim dated Oct. 25, 1912).....	732.40
State Construction Co., 4th payment, Stanyan street sewer, Frederick street to Oak street (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	5,868.79	M. Finlayson, 1st payment general construction, Chemical Engine House No. 12 (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912)	2,391.00
State Construction Co., 1st payment, Pierce street sewer, Bay to Lewis street (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	3,795.38	Amendment.	
<i>Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.</i>		<i>Supervisor Jennings moved that item of Rocco Cereghino for \$1,000 be stricken out.</i>	
Daniel Contracting Co., 5th payment, contract 17, North Point Main sewer (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	11,061.66	<i>Motion carried.</i>	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 2nd payment, contract 48, North Point Main sewer (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	10,851.38	Passed for Printing.	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 5th payment, contract 47, North Point Main sewer (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	7,067.25	Whereupon, the foregoing resolution, as amended, was <i>passed for printing.</i>	
Rocco Cereghino, Assunta Depaoli, et al, for purchase of land approximately 25 ft. by 200 ft. between Geneva and Huron avenue, for sewer right of way (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912)	1,000.00	Adopted.	
<i>Library Fund.</i>		The following Resolution was <i>adopted:</i>	
Geo. A. Mullin for G. E. Stechert & Co., books for Public Library (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	898.82	Auditor and Recorder to Cancel Certificates of Sale Nos. 1288 and 1181 for Property Sold in Error to the State for Non-payment of Taxes.	
Emporium, books for Public Library (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	722.21	On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9803 (New Series), as follows:	
<i>General Fund, 1912-1913, Budget Item No. 34.</i>		Whereas, The Auditor in a written communication dated October 31, 1912, recommends that the assessments and tax sales hereinafter set forth be cancelled, for reasons set forth in said communication, and the City Attorney has given his consent to such cancellation; now, therefore,	
Delos F. Wilcox, services drafting Charter Amendments, etc., (claim dated Nov. 8, 1912)	1,265.00	Resolved, That the Auditor is hereby directed to cancel the assessments of the following parcels of land and improvements for the year stated in connection with each such description, and the Recorder is directed to cancel the sales thereof as described by the number of each description, viz.:	
Lawson Roofing Co., repairs to school buildings (claim dated Oct. 26, 1912).....	552.00	Sale No. 1288, June 23, 1909, for 2nd installment of 1908 taxes.	
Ajax Brass & Iron Works, iron work for sewer repairs (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912)	774.32	Lot No. 5, Block 109, University Mound Survey, assessed in the name of W. R. Moulds.	
Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., 14th payment southerly section Mission street Viaduct (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912).....	6,199.05	Sale No. 1181, June 26, 1911, for 1910 taxes.	
Pacific Gas & Electric Co., lighting, month of October, 1912. (claim dated Nov. 7, 1912)	35,040.91	Lot southwest line of Oxford street 300 feet southeast from Olmstead street, thence southwest 120 feet; thence northwest 65 feet to point of beginning, Block 108, University Mound Tract Survey, assessed in the name of Geo. E. Bates.	
The San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, impounding, etc., animals for		The assessments being duplicate assessments upon which taxes were paid.	
		Such cancellation shall be made as provided by the Political Code for the reasons set forth in the communications herein referred to and on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.	
		Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-	

eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy Payot, Vogelsang —16.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolutions were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of \$17,000 to Bakewell & Brown, Architects, for Preparation of City Hall Plans.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolved, That the sum of seventeen thousand dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be expended out of City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912, for payment to Bakewell and Brown, architects, for preparation of City Hall plans as per contract.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Providing \$1,265, Payment to Dr. Delos F. Wilcox for Services Rendered in Preparation of Franchise Amendment to Charter.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Whereas, There was adopted on the fourteenth day of October, 1912, by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco Journal Resolution No. 455 extending an invitation to Dr. Delos F. Wilcox to come to San Francisco for the purpose of consulting with the Board relative to proposed amendments affecting franchise matters, and

Whereas, The said Dr. Delos F. Wilcox stated that he would come to San Francisco for such consultation for the sum of one thousand dollars and expenses, and

Whereas, The Board of Supervisors accepted such offer and Dr. Wilcox came to San Francisco and assisted in the preparation of the Public Utility and Franchise Charter Amendments to be submitted to the Electors December 10th, 1912, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the sum of twelve hundred and sixty-five dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Investigation of Public Utility Fund, Budget Item No. 34, in full payment for the services and expenses of the said Delos F. Wilcox.

Accepting Statement of the United Railroads as Lessee of Gough Street Railroad Company as to Percentage Due Cnty Under Franchise of Said Company in Sum of \$326.53.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9804 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The United Railroads of San Francisco, as lessee of the Gough Street Railroad Company, has filed with the Board of Supervisors statements showing taxable receipts arising

under the franchises granted by Ordinance No. 1196, (New Series), to operate and maintain a street railroad to-wit:

For the months of October, 1911, to June, 1912,.....\$8,961.55

For the months of July, 1912, to August, 1912,..... 1,924.25

And Whereas, The sum of \$268.81 being three percentum (3%) of the taxable receipts of said company for said months of October, 1911, to June, 1912, and the sum of \$57.72 being three percentum (3%) of the taxable receipts of said company for said months of July and August, 1912, is now due and payable to the City and County of San Francisco under the terms of said franchises, and

Whereas, Said statements have been examined and verified by William Dolge, Expert to the Finance Committee, Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the aforesaid statements be, and are hereby accepted and approved, and the said United Railroads of San Francisco, as lessee of the Gough Street Railroad Company be, and is hereby directed to deposit the sum of \$326.53 with the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, said sum to be placed by the Treasurer to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes — Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy Payot, Vogelsang —16.

Accepting Statement of the United Railroads as to Percentage Due Under Franchise of Said Company in Sum of \$409.93.

Also, Resolution No. 9805 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The United Railroads of San Francisco has filed with the Board of Supervisors statements showing the receipts arising under the franchise granted by Ordinance No. 1460 (New Series) to operate and maintain a street railroad, to-wit:

From June 15 to June 30, 1912, \$2,860.81

For the months of July and

August, 1912 10,803.62

And Whereas, The sum of \$85.83 being three percentum (3%) of the taxable receipts of said company for the month of June, 1912, and the sum of \$324.10 being three percentum (3%) of the taxable receipts for said months of July, 1912, and August, 1912, is now due and payable to the City and County of San Francisco under the terms of said franchises,

And Whereas, Said statements have been examined and verified by William Dolge, expert to the Finance Commit-

tee, Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the aforesaid statements be, and are hereby accepted and approved, and the United Railroads of San Francisco be, and is hereby directed to deposit the sum of \$409.93 with the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, said sum to be placed by the Treasurer to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Statement of the United Railroads as Lessee Parkside Transit Co. as to Percentage Due City Under Franchise of Said Company in Sum of \$1,272.15.

Also, Resolution No. 9806 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The United Railroads of San Francisco as lessee of the Parkside Transit Company, has filed with the Board of Supervisors statements showing taxable receipts arising under the franchises granted by Ordinance No. 288 (New Series) and Ordinance No. 425 (New Series) to operate and maintain a street railroad, to-wit:

For the months of October, 1911, to June, 1912, inclusive of both \$34,498.45
For the months of July, 1912, and August, 1912..... 7,907.44

And Whereas, The sum of \$1,034.94 being three percentum (3%) of the taxable receipts of said company for said months of October, 1911, to June, 1912, and the sum of \$237.21 being three percentum (3%) of the taxable receipts of said company for said months of July, 1912, and August, 1912, is now due and payable to the City and County of San Francisco under the terms of said franchises,

And Whereas, Said statements have been examined and verified by William Dolge, Expert to the Finance Committee, of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the aforesaid statements be, and are hereby accepted and approved, and the said United Railroads of San Francisco, as lessee of the Parkside Transit Company, be, and is hereby directed to deposit the sum of \$1,272.15 with the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, said sum to be placed by the Treasurer to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,

Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Statement of California Street Cable Railroad as to Percentage Due City Under Franchise of Said Company in Sum of \$2,000.42.

Also, Resolution No. 9807 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The California Street Cable Railroad Company has filed with the Board of Supervisors a statement showing the gross receipts from passenger fares arising under the franchises granted by Order No. 2058 and by Order No. 2175 to operate and maintain a street railroad, to-wit:

For the six months ending

December 31, 1911.....\$100,020.90

And Whereas, The sum of \$2,000.40 being two percentum (2%) of the gross receipts of said Company for the six months ending December 31, 1911, is now due and payable to the City and County of San Francisco under the terms of the said franchises,

And Whereas, Said statement has been examined and verified by William Dolge, Expert to the Finance Committee, of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the aforesaid statement be and is hereby accepted and approved, and that the California Street Cable Railroad Company be, and is hereby directed to deposit the sum of \$2,000.42 with the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, said sum to be placed by the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Regulating Sale of Milk or Cream in Quantities of One Quart or Less.

The following bill laid over from last meeting was taken up:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled "Regulating the sale of milk or cream in quantities of one quart or less."

Privilege of the Floor.

Wm. E. Moore, representing the Milk Dealers, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that the milk dealers were not opposed to the ordinance and are prepared to comply with the law when it is put in effect.

Recommended.

Supervisor Giannini moved recommendal of above Bill to Health Committee with instructions that City Attorney's opinion be obtained as to validity.

Motion carried.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolutions were passed for printing:

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series) be and is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations, to-wit:

B. Ramorino, in rear of 4298 Mission street, for two horses.

E. G. A. Hader, on west side of Redondo street, about 75 feet south of Thirty-third avenue, for two horses.

William Fest and Max Blumenfeld, at southeast corner of Post and Broderick streets, for thirty-five horses.

J. F. Makowski, on west side of Twenty-sixth avenue, between Lincoln way and Irving street, for four horses, for a period of six months from November 1, 1912.

Installation of Water Pipe in Forest Hill.

Permit to Newhall-Murdock Realty Co.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, On the 30th day of September, 1912, and October 7, 1912, petitions were filed with the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco by the Newell-Murdock Realty Company, asking for permission to install and maintain an 8" pipe for the purpose of supplying water to the residents of the Forest Hill property, said pipe to connect with the pumping station of the Spring Valley Water Company at Laguna Honda; and

Whereas, The petition filed by said Company on the 7th day of October, 1912, was accompanied by a blue print map showing the location of the proposed pipe under and through the Relief Home Tract, which blue print map shows that the said pipe would extend across the said Relief Home Tract a distance of 64.84 feet; and

Whereas, A communication from the City Attorney stated that the granting of such permit will not impair the rights of the City and County, provided certain conditions are complied with by the said Newell-Murdock Realty Company, and the City Engineer having advised that the pipe to be installed is of sufficient size to accommodate the needs of the Forest Hill properties; now therefore be it

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted the said Newell-Murdock

Realty Company to install and maintain said pipe in accordance with its said petition and the blue print accompanying the same, which is hereby referred to and made a part hereof, for the purpose of supplying water to the Forest Hill properties, subject to the following conditions which are hereby agreed to by the said Newell-Murdock Realty Company:

1. That the titles to said pipe installed under and across the Relief Home property as per blue print map, be transferred and conveyed to the City and County of San Francisco.

2. That a connection with said pipe be made on the property of the Relief Home Tract, at a point to be selected by the Superintendent of the Relief Home, for the purpose of supplying water for fire protection, and the said Newell - Murdoch Realty Company hereby agrees to supply water for the purpose of fire protection to be taken from said pipe at the point selected by said Superintendent.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Accepting Offer of Rocco Cereghino et al. to Sell for \$1,000 Certain Land Required for Sewer Right of Way.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9808 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Rocco Cereghino, Assunta Depaoli et al. to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Lake Geneva, which is required for a sewer right of way, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Rocco Cereghino, Assunta Depaoli et al. to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, including taxes:

For the purchase of said land and improvements\$1000 is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the boundary line between the property of Rocco Cereghino, Assunta Depaoli et al. and the property of G. Barni, said point being 160 feet, more or less, at right angles southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Geneva avenue and 534 58-100 feet, more or less, northwesterly at right angles from the northwesterly line of Huron avenue; thence southwesterly in a straight line for a distance of 200 feet,

more or less, to the boundary line between the property of Rocco Cereghino, Assunta Depaoli et al. and the property of Christoforo Razzo, said point being 358 96-100 feet, more or less, at right angles southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Geneva avenue and 521 63-100 feet, more or less, at right angles northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Huron avenue.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

City Attorney Authorized to Dismiss Condemnation Proceedings Against Lands Necessary for Reservoir and Dam Site.

Resolution No. 9809 (New Series).

Whereas, On the fifth day of August, 1912, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco duly passed and adopted the Mayor of said City and County of San Francisco duly approved Resolution No. 9571 (New Series), which said Resolution describes and designates the lands necessary to be acquired by said City and County of San Francisco for the purposes of a reservoir and dam site, and which said Resolution further empowered and required the City Attorney of said City and County of San Francisco to commence and prosecute an action for the condemnation of the lands described in said Resolution for said public use and purposes; and

Whereas, On the fifth day of August, 1912, in conformity with the provisions of said Resolution No. 9571 (New Series), the said City Attorney filed in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, an action against the owners of the lands described in said Resolution No. 9571 (New Series), to condemn the properties therein described, which said action was numbered 43686; and

Whereas, Certain portions of the lands described in the complaint in said action are not immediately necessary or required for the immediate

use of said City and County of San Francisco for the purposes of a reservoir and dam site; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Attorney of the City and County of San Francisco be and he is hereby directed and authorized to dismiss the proceedings in condemnation hereinabove referred to and to enter dismissal therein as far as the same relates to the following described lots, pieces, or parcels of land, viz:

Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Army street and the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue, running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue, two hundred and ten feet to the southerly line of Twenty-sixth street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said southerly line of Twenty-sixth street four hundred and fifty-five (455) feet to the easterly line of Block No. 23 as per map of first addition to Stanford Heights; thence at a right angle southerly two hundred and ten (210) feet to the northerly line of Army street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said northerly line of Army street four hundred and fifty-five (455) feet to the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 23 as per map of first addition to Stanford Heights.

2. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-sixth street and the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue, running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue two hundred and twenty-eight (228) feet to the southerly line of Clipper street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said southerly line of Clipper street four hundred and fifty-five (455) feet to the easterly line of Block No. 21 as per map of first addition to Stanford Heights; thence at a right angle southerly two hundred and twenty-eight (228) feet to the northerly line of Twenty-sixth street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said northerly line of Twenty-sixth street four hundred and fifty-five (455) feet, to the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 21 as per map of first addition to Stanford Heights.

3. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Clipper street and the easterly line of Block No. 10 as per map of first addition to Stanford Heights, running thence northerly and along said easterly line of said Block No. 10, two hundred and twenty-eight (228) feet

to the southerly line of Twenty-fifth street, thence at a right angle westerly along said line of Twenty-fifth street four hundred and fifty-five (455) feet to the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue; thence at a right angle southerly and along said line of Twin Peaks avenue two hundred and twenty-eight (228) feet to the northerly line of Clipper street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said northerly line of Clipper street four hundred and fifty-five (455) feet to the easterly line of said Block No. 10 and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 10 as per map of first addition to Stanford Heights.

4. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Clipper street and the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue, running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue one hundred and forty-nine (149) feet, more or less, to the southerly line of lands of Mary Lynde Craig; thence easterly and along said southerly line of the land of said Mary Lynde Craig five hundred and sixty-two (562) feet, more or less, to the westerly line of Kenyon avenue, formerly Stanyan avenue; thence southerly and along said westerly line of Kenyon avenue one hundred and twenty-eight (128) feet to the northerly line of Clipper street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said northerly line of Clipper street five hundred and sixty (560) feet to the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue and the point of commencement; being a part of Block No. 12, Stanford Heights.

5. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-sixth street and the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue, running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue two hundred and twenty-eight (228) feet to the southerly line of Clipper street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said southerly line of Clipper street five hundred and sixty (560) feet to the westerly line of Kenyon avenue, formerly Stanyan avenue; thence at a right angle southerly and along said westerly line of Kenyon avenue two hundred and twenty-eight (228) feet to the northerly line of Twenty-sixth street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said northerly line of Twenty-sixth street five hundred and sixty (560) feet to the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue, and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 19, Stanford Heights.

6. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of

Army street and the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue, running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue two hundred and ten (210) feet to the southerly line of Twenty-sixth street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said southerly line of Twenty-sixth street five hundred and sixty (560) feet to the westerly line of Kenyon avenue, formerly Stanyan avenue; thence at a right angle southerly and along said westerly line of Kenyon street two hundred and ten (210) feet to the northerly line of Army street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said northerly line of Army street five hundred and sixty (560) feet to the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 25, Stanford Heights.

7. Commencing at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Fowler avenue and the northwesterly line of Corbett avenue, running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Fowler avenue four hundred and nine (409) feet, two (2) inches to the southerly line of Army street; thence at a right angle easterly along said line of Army street five hundred and seventy-seven (577) feet nine (9) inches, more or less, to the northwesterly line of Corbett avenue; thence southwesterly and along said northwesterly line of Corbett avenue seven hundred and twenty (720) feet, more or less, to the easterly line of Fowler avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 31, Stanford Heights.

8. Commencing at a point, which point is designated by a post marked M. J. P. 16. Said post is formed by the intersection of the center line of Burnett avenue, formerly Lincoln avenue, and the north line of Corbett avenue, formerly the Ocean House road; thence south thirty (30) feet, more or less, to the center of the Ocean House road; thence northerly $86^{\circ} 25'$ west 96.54 feet; thence southerly $86^{\circ} 54'$ west $100 \frac{2}{100}$ feet; thence southerly $66^{\circ} 27'$ west 105 9.10 feet; thence southerly $59^{\circ} 8'$ west 111 4.10 feet; thence southerly $79^{\circ} 29'$ west 100 6.10 feet; thence southerly $85^{\circ} 45'$ west 100 feet; thence northerly 65° west $114 \frac{6}{10}$ feet; thence northerly $48^{\circ} 47'$ west 105 feet, more or less, thence northerly 35 feet, more or less, to a point marked M. J. P. 11; thence northerly $11^{\circ} 15'$ west 519 $42/100$ feet to a post marked M. J. P. 12; thence northerly $78^{\circ} 45'$ west 15 links; thence northerly $17^{\circ} 30'$ west 1057 $98/100$ feet to a post marked M. J. P. 13; thence northerly 1056 feet to a post marked M. J. P. 14; thence

southerly 81° east 1164 24-100 feet to a post marked M. J. P. 15 in the center line of Lincoln avenue; thence southerly 15° west 99 feet; thence southerly 51° 30' west 100 98-100 feet; thence southerly 10° west 95 7-10 feet; thence southerly 21° 30' west 99 feet; thence southerly 11° 45' east 104 28-100 feet; thence southerly 43° east 198 feet; thence southerly 3° 30' east 92 4-10 feet; thence southerly 25° 15' west 44 22-100 feet; thence southerly 44° 30' west 122 76-100 feet; thence southerly 22° 30' west 69 96-100 feet; thence southerly 10° east 52 8-10 feet; thence southerly 33° 30' west 49 5-10 feet; thence southerly 65° 30' west 79 2-10 feet; thence southerly 76° west 120 78-100 feet; thence southerly 47° west 95 7-10 feet; thence southerly 38° 40' west 99 feet; thence southerly 23° 30' east 66 feet; thence southerly 32° 30' east 132 feet; thence southerly 51° 30' east 207 24-100 feet; thence southerly 21° east 99 feet; thence southerly 7° west 93 6-100 feet; thence southerly 21° west 104 28-100 feet; thence southerly 10° 30' west 99 feet; thence southerly 6° 30' east 547 8-10 feet to point of beginning.

Being Twin Peaks tract north of the Ocean House road, containing 51 acres of land, more or less, excepting therefrom all of Block 10, all of Block 21 and all of Block 23, as said blocks are delineated and designated upon the maps of Addition No. 1 to Stanford Heights filed for record January 24, 1893, and excepting therefrom also that portion of Twin Peaks avenue and of Twenty-sixth street and of Crocker street and of Twenty-fifth street lying within the boundaries of the tract above described, as said avenues and said streets are shown on said map of said Addition No. 1 to Stanford Heights hereinabove referred to.

9. Commencing at the intersection of the southerly line of Army street with the westerly line of Kenyon avenue and running thence southerly along said westerly line of Kenyon avenue fifty-three (53) feet, more or less; thence deflecting an angle of 66° 13' 32" to the right and running to a point 35 feet, more or less, distant, thence deflecting to the right 23° 16' 30" and running 201.33 feet; thence deflecting 8° 59' 01" to the left and running 101.90 feet, thence deflecting 15° 52' 58" to the right and running 172.67 feet, thence deflecting 29° 03' 31" to the left and running .65 feet, more or less to a point on the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence deflecting 103° 39' 32" to the right and running along said easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue 40 feet, more or less; thence northeast-

erly 19° 3' to the southerly line of Army street, thence easterly and along said southerly line of Army street 532 feet 11½ inches to its intersection with the westerly line of Kenyon avenue and the point of commencement; being a portion of Block 32, Stanford Heights.

10. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Valley street and the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue, running thence easterly and along said southerly line of Valley street 150 feet, thence at a right angle southerly 228 feet to the northerly line of Twenty-ninth street, thence at a right angle westerly and along said northerly line of Twenty-ninth street 150 feet to the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue, thence at a right angle northerly and along said easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Valley street and the point of commencement; being part of Block 60, Stanford Heights.

11. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Twenty-ninth street and the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue; running thence easterly and along said southerly line of Twenty-ninth street 560 feet to the westerly line of Kenyon avenue, formerly Stanyan avenue; thence at a right angle southerly and along said westerly line of Kenyon avenue 228 feet to the northerly line of Day street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said northerly line of Day street 560 feet to the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle northerly and along said easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Twenty-ninth street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 67, Stanford Heights.

12. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Twenty-fourth street (if extended westerly lie in a straight line from its present terminus), with the easterly line of land conveyed by F. L. A. Pioche to Samuel L. Theller by deed, dated January 30, 1871, and recorded in Liber 596 Deeds, page 258; thence due south 9 chains and 78-100 of a chain along the easterly line of the above mentioned land; thence easterly 17 chains and 6-100 of a chain to Kerr's tract of land; thence northerly 11¼° east 100 chains and 50-100 of a chain along Kerr's (now La Place's) western boundary; thence southerly 78¾° east, 4 chains and 39-100 of a chain along Kerr's northern boundary to fence; thence northerly 17½° west, 11 chains and 9-100 of a chain along fence; thence westerly 18 chains and

40-100 of a chain to the place of beginning, containing 20 acres and 28-100 of an acre.

13. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Avoca street and the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue, running thence easterly along said line of Avoca street 410 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 228 feet to the northerly line of Thirty-second street; thence at a right angle westerly 410 feet to the said easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue; and thence northerly along said line of Twin Peaks avenue 228 feet to the said southerly line of Avoca street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 104, Stanford Heights.

14. All of Block No. 107 as laid down and delineated upon that certain map entitled "Map of Sunnyside Addition No. 1," filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco on March 11, 1892, and recorded in Liber "E" and "F" of Maps, at page 165.

15. All of Block No. 118 as laid down and delineated upon that certain map entitled "Map of Sunnyside Addition No. 1," filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco on March 11, 1892, and recorded in Liber "E" and "F" of Maps, at page 165.

16. All of Block No. 121 as laid down and delineated upon that certain map entitled "Map of Sunnyside Addition No. 1," filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco on March 11, 1892, and recorded in Liber "E" and "F" of Maps, at page 165.

17. Commencing at the point, the intersection of the southerly line of Thirty-first street and the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue, running thence easterly and along said northerly line of Thirty-first street 560 feet to the westerly line of Kenyon (formerly Stanyan) avenue; thence at a right angle southerly along said westerly line of Kenyon avenue 228 feet to the westerly line of Avoca street; thence at a right angle westerly along said westerly line of Avoca street 560 feet to the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle northerly along said easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Thirty-first street and the point of commencement.

Being all of Block No. 95 as per map entitled "Map of Sunnyside Addition No. 1," filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco on March 11, 1892, and recorded in Liber "E" and "F" of Maps, at page 165.

18. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Twenty-sixth street and the easterly line of Fowler avenue, running thence southerly and along said easterly line of Fowler avenue 210 feet to the northerly line of Army street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said northerly line of Army street 663 feet to the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle northerly and along said westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue 210 feet to the southerly line of Twenty-sixth street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said southerly line of Twenty-sixth street 663 feet to the easterly line of Fowler avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 26, Stanford Heights.

19. All that portion of Block No. 13, Stanford Heights, as per map of same filed in the office of the Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, on July 18, 1891, which lies south of a line drawn southerly through said block, from a point on the easterly line of Fowler avenue distant thereon 49 feet 6 inches southerly from the southerly line of Twenty-fifth street to a point on the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue, distant thereon 76 feet southerly from the southerly line of Twenty-fifth street.

20. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Twenty-eighth street and the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue, running thence westerly and along said southerly line of Twenty-eighth street 663 feet to the easterly line of Fowler avenue; thence at a right angle southerly and along said easterly line of Fowler avenue 228 feet to the northerly line of Valley street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said northerly line of Valley street 663 feet to the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence northerly and along said westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Twenty-eighth street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 54, Stanford Heights.

21. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Duncan street and the easterly line of Burnham street (formerly Bellevue avenue) and running thence northerly along said line of Burnham street 228 feet to the southerly line of Twenty-seventh street; thence at a right angle easterly along said line of Twenty-seventh street 560 feet to the westerly line of Hoffman avenue; thence at a right angle southerly along said line of Hoffman avenue 228 feet to the said northerly line of Dun-

can street and thence westerly along said northerly line of Duncan street 560 feet to the said easterly line of Burnham street and the point of commencement. Being all of Block 253 as per map entitled "Map of Fairview Terrace," filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco on April 13, 1909.

22. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Duncan street and the easterly line of Burnham street (formerly Bellevue avenue) and running thence southerly along said line of Duncan street 560 feet to the westerly line of Hoffman avenue; thence at a right angle southerly along said line of Hoffman avenue 228 feet to the northerly line of Twenty-eighth street; thence at a right angle westerly along said line of Twenty-eighth street 560 feet to the said easterly line of Burnham street, and thence at a right angle northerly along said line of Burnham street 228 feet to the said southerly line of Duncan street and the point of commencement. Being all of Block 254 as per map entitled "Map of Fairview Terrace," filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco on April 13, 1909.

23. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Burnett (formerly Lincoln) avenue and the northerly line of Twenty-seventh street, and running thence northerly along said line of Burnett avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Army street; thence at a right angle easterly along said line of Army street 560 feet to the westerly line of Burnham street (formerly Bellevue avenue); thence at a right angle southerly along said line of Burnham street 228 feet to the northerly line of Twenty-seventh street; and thence at a right angle westerly along said line of Twenty-seventh street 50 feet to the said easterly line of Burnett avenue and the point of commencement. Being all of Block No. 35, Fairview Terrace, as per map of said tract filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco on April 13, 1909.

24. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Burnett (formerly Lincoln) avenue and the northerly line of Army street and running thence easterly along said line of Army street 560 feet to the westerly line of Burnham street (formerly Bellevue avenue); thence at a right angle northerly along said line of Burnham street 228 feet to the southerly line of Twenty-sixth street; 404.28 feet to the

southeasterly line of Corbett avenue; thence southwesterly along the curve of said line of Corbett avenue to the said easterly line of Burnett avenue, and thence southerly along said line of Burnett avenue 91 feet to the said northerly line of Army street and the point of commencement. Being all of Block 22, Fairview Terrace, as per map of said tract filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco on April 13, 1909.

25. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Clarkson street and the easterly line of Fowler avenue, running thence southerly and along said easterly line of Fowler avenue 228 feet to the northerly line of Thirty-first street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said northerly line of Thirty-first street, 663 feet to the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle northerly and along said westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet, to the southerly line of Clarkson street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said southerly line of Clarkson street 663 feet, to the easterly line of Fowler avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 87, Stanford Heights.

26. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Clarkson street with the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue Fowler avenue 228 feet to the said and running thence northerly along said line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Thirtieth street; thence at a right angle westerly along said line of Thirtieth street 663 feet to the easterly line of Fowler avenue; thence at a right angle southerly along said line of northerly line of Clarkson street, and thence at a right angle easterly along said line of Clarkson street 663 feet to the said westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue and the point of commencement. Being all of Block '82, Stanford Heights, as per map of said tract filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco on July 18, 1891.

27. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Day street and the easterly line of Fowler avenue, running thence southerly and along said easterly line of Fowler avenue, 228 feet to the northerly line of Thirtieth street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said northerly line of Thirtieth street 663 feet to the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle northerly and along said westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet, to the

the southerly line of Day street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said southerly line of Day street 663 feet to the easterly line of Fowler avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 73, Stanford Heights.

28. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Twenty-ninth street and the easterly line of Fowler avenue, running thence southerly and along said easterly line of Fowler avenue 228 feet to the northerly line of Day street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said northerly line of Day street 663 feet to the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle northerly and along said westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet, to the southerly line of Twenty-ninth street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said southerly line of Twenty-ninth street 663 feet, to the easterly line of Fowler avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 68, Stanford Heights.

29. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Clipper street and the easterly line of Fowler avenue, running thence southerly and along said easterly line of Fowler avenue 228 feet to the northerly line of Twenty-sixth street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said northerly line of Twenty-sixth street 663 feet to the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle northerly and along said westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Clipper street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said southerly line of Clipper street 663 feet to the easterly line of Fowler avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 18, Stanford Heights.

30. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-ninth street and the easterly line of Fowler avenue and running thence easterly along said line of Twenty-ninth street 663 feet to the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle northerly along said line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Valley street; thence at a right angle westerly along said line of Valley street 663 feet to the said easterly line of Fowler avenue, and thence at a right angle southerly along said line of Fowler avenue 228 feet to the said northerly line of Twenty-ninth street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 59, Stanford Heights.

31. Commencing at the point of in-

tersection of the northerly line of Army street and the easterly line of Kenyon avenue, formerly Stanyan avenue; running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Kenyon avenue 210 feet to the southerly line of Twenty-sixth street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said southerly line of Twenty-sixth street 106.73 feet to the northwesterly line of lands of J. L. La Place and Paul J. Drioton; thence southwesterly and along said northwesterly line of the lands of said La Place and Drioton 111 feet 1 inch to the northerly line of Army street; thence westerly and along said northerly line of Army street 48 feet 4 inches to the easterly line of Kenyon avenue and the point of commencement; being part of Block No. 24, Stanford Heights.

32. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-sixth street and the easterly line of Kenyon avenue, formerly Stanyan avenue, running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Kenyon avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Clipper street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said southerly line of Clipper street 187.71 feet to the northwesterly line of lands of J. L. La Place and Paul J. Drioton; thence southwesterly and along said northwesterly line of the lands of said La Place and Drioton 229 feet 1 inch to the northerly line of Twenty-sixth street 127 feet, more or less, to the easterly line of Kenyon avenue and the point of commencement; being part of Block No. 20, Stanford Heights.

33. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Clipper street and the easterly line of Kenyon avenue, formerly Stanyan avenue; running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Kenyon avenue 130 feet, more or less, to the southerly line of lands of Mary L. Craig; thence easterly and along said southerly line of lands of Mary L. Craig to its intersection with the northwesterly line of lands of J. L. La Place and Paul J. Drioton; thence southwesterly and along said northwesterly line of the lands of said La Place and Drioton to its intersection with the northerly line of Clipper street; thence westerly and along said northerly line of Clipper street 205.46 feet to the easterly line of Kenyon avenue and the point of commencement; being part of Block No. 11, Stanford Heights.

34. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Thirty-first street and the easterly line of Kenyon (formerly Stanyan) avenue, running thence easterly and

along said southerly line of Thirty-first street 560 feet to the westerly line of Twin Peaks avenue; thence at a right angle southerly along said line of Twin Peaks avenue 228 feet to the northerly line of Avoca street; thence at a right angle westerly along said northerly line of Avoca street 560 feet to the easterly line of Kenyon avenue; thence at a right angle northerly along said line of Kenyon avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Thirty-first street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 94 as per map entitled "Map of Sunnyside Addition No. 1," filed March 11, 1892, in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco, and recorded in Liber E and F of Maps, at page 165.

35. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Duncan street and the easterly line of Fowler avenue, running thence easterly and along said southerly line of Duncan street 663 feet to the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle southerly 228 feet to the northerly line of Twenty-eighth street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said northerly line of Twenty-eighth street 663 feet to the easterly line of Fowler avenue; thence at a right angle northerly and along said easterly line of Fowler avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Duncan street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 45, Stanford Heights.

36. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Duncan street and the southeasterly line of Corbett avenue and running thence northeasterly along Corbett avenue 412 feet, more or less, to the southwesterly line of the lands of J. J. Morey; thence at a right angle southeasterly 132.67 feet; thence at an angle southeasterly 220.68 feet to a point in the said northerly line of Duncan street; distant thereon 20 feet westerly from the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue; and thence at an angle westerly along said line of Duncan street 593 feet $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches to the said westerly line of Fowler avenue and the point of commencement.

Being all of lots Nos. 13 to 33, both inclusive and portions of lots Nos. 34 to 40, both inclusive in Block No. 40, Stanford Heights, as per map of same filed in the office of the Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, on July 18, 1891.

37. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Twenty-fourth street (if extended) with the easterly line of land conveyed by F. L. A. Pioche to Samuel L. Theller by deed dated January 30,

1871, and recorded in Liber 596 of Deeds, page 258; thence easterly along the southerly line of said Twenty-fourth street (if extended) 18 chains and 40 links to the westerly line of land now or formerly owned by Mary Jane Parsons; thence along said line north $17\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west 4 chains 94 links; thence north along said line of Mary Jane Parsons' land 16 chains; thence west 16 chains 97 links to the easterly line of land conveyed as aforesaid by F. L. A. Pioche to Samuel L. Theller; thence south along said land 22 chains 15 links to point of commencement. Containing 36 59-100 acres of land; being a portion of San Miguel Rancho.

38. Commencing at a post in a fence on the northerly side of the road to the Ocean House, from which post the southeasterly corner of a new house on the road side bears north $62\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$ west 1.29 chains distant; thence running along the fence and north side of the road north 45° west 50 links; thence north $69\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west 87 links to the southeasterly corner of the new house; thence south $88\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west 46 links to the southwesterly corner of the new house; thence along the fence south $80\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west 74 links; thence south $34\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west 2.50 chains; thence south $46\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$ west 2.06 chains to a stake; thence leaving fence north $11\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ east 11.83 chains to a stake; thence to last course south $78\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$ east 4.54 chains to a stake; thence to last course south $11\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ west 7.87 chains to the point of commencement.

39. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Thirtieth street and the easterly line of Kenyan avenue, formerly Stanyan avenue, running thence southerly and along said easterly line of Kenyan avenue 228 feet, to the northerly line of said northerly line of Clarkson street 200 feet, thence at a right angle northerly 228 feet to the southerly line of Thirtieth street, thence at a right angle westerly and running along said southerly line of Thirtieth street 200 feet to the easterly line of Kenyon avenue and the point of commencement; being part of Block No. 80, Stanford Heights.

40. Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Fowler avenue where said line would be intersected by the southerly line of Twenty-eighth street if extended westerly; running thence southerly and along said westerly line of Fowler avenue to a point thereon which would be intersected by the northerly line of Thirty-first street if extended westerly; thence at a right angle westerly 134.128 feet, more or less, to the southeasterly line of lands, now or formerly of Adolph Sutro or the Estate of Adolph Sutro, deceased; thence northeasterly and along said

line of Sutro's land to the westerly line of Fowler avenue and the point of commencement.

41. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Day street and the westerly line of Kenyon avenue, formerly Stanyan avenue, running thence westerly and along said southerly line of Day street 560 feet to the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle southerly and along said easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet to the northerly line of Thirtieth street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said northerly line of Thirtieth street 560 feet to the westerly line of Kenyon avenue; thence at a right angle northerly and along said westerly line of Kenyon avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Day street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 74, Stanford Heights.

42. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Clarkson street and the westerly line of Kenyon (formerly Stanyan) avenue and running thence northerly and along said line of Kenyon avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Thirtieth street; thence at a right angle westerly along said line of Thirtieth street 560 feet to the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle southerly 228 feet to the said northerly line of Clarkson street and thence at a right angle easterly 560 feet to the said westerly line of Kenyon avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 81, Stanford Heights.

43. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Clipper street and the westerly line of Burnham (formerly Bellevue) street and running thence northerly along said line of Burnham street 312 feet 8 inches to the southerly line of Twenty-fifth street; thence at a right angle westerly along said line of Twenty-fifth street 193 feet 11 inches to the easterly line of High street; thence at an angle southwest-erly along said line of High street to the said northwesterly line of Clipper street, and thence at an angle north-easterly along said line of Clipper street 235 feet 9 inches to the said westerly line of Burnham street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 24 of Noe Garden Homestead Union.

44. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-sixth street and the northwesterly line of High street and running thence northeasterly along said line of High street 665 feet 6 inches, more or less to the southeasterly line of Corbett avenue; thence southwesterly and southeasterly along the said line of Corbett avenue 722 feet

9 inches, more or less, to the said northerly line of Twenty-sixth street, and thence at an angle easterly along said line of Twenty-sixth street 110 feet to the said line of High street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 25 of Noe Garden Homestead Union.

45. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Burnett (formerly Lincoln) avenue and the northerly line of Duncan street and running thence easterly along said line of Duncan street 560 feet to the westerly line of Burnham (formerly Bellevue) street; thence at a right angle northerly along said line of Burnham street 228 feet to the southerly line of Twenty-seventh street; thence at a right angle westerly along said line of Twenty-seventh street 560 feet to the said easterly line of Burnett avenue; and thence at a right angle southerly along said line of Burnett avenue 228 feet to the said northerly line of Duncan street and point of commencement; being all of Block No. 36, Fairview Terrace.

46. Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-eighth street with the easterly line of Burnett (formerly Lincoln) avenue and running thence easterly along said line of Twenty-eighth street 560 feet to the westerly line of Burnham (formerly Bellevue) street; thence at a right angle northerly along said line of Burnham street 228 feet to the southerly line of Duncan street; thence westerly along said line of Duncan street 560 feet to the said easterly line of Burnett avenue, and thence southerly along said line of Burnett avenue 228 feet to the said northerly line of Twenty-eighth street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 49 Fairview Terrace.

47. All of Block No. 25 as laid down and designated upon a certain map entitled "Subdivision of a part of the San Miguel Rancho, City and County of San Francisco, California, the property of F. L. A. Pioche and L. L. Robinson" filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco, on March 30, 1867, and recorded in Liber 2 A and B of maps. page 35.

48. All of Block No. 26 as said block is laid down and delineated upon a certain map entitled "Subdivision of a part of the San Miguel Rancho, City and County of San Francisco, California, the property of F. L. A. Pioche and L. L. Robinson", filed in the office of the County Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco on March 30, 1867, and recorded in Liber 2 A and B of Maps at page 35.

49. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Clarkson street and the easterly line of Kenyon avenue (formerly Stanyan avenue), running thence southerly and along said easterly line of Kenyon avenue 228 feet to the northerly line of Thirty-first street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said northerly line of Thirty-first street 560 feet to the westerly line of Twin Peaks avenue; thence at a right angle northerly and along said westerly line of Twin Peaks avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Clarkson street; thence at a right angle westerly and along said Clarkson street 560 feet to the easterly line of Kenyon avenue and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 89, Stanford Heights.

50. Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Clarkson street and the westerly line of Kenyon avenue, formerly Stanyan avenue, running thence westerly and along said southerly line of Clarkson street 560 feet to the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence at a right angle southerly and along said easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue 228 feet to the northerly line of Thirty-first street; thence at a right angle easterly and along said northerly line of Thirty-first street 560 feet to the westerly line of Kenyon avenue; thence at a right angle northerly and along said westerly line of Kenyon avenue 228 feet to the southerly line of Clarkson street and the point of commencement; being all of Block No. 88, Stanford Heights.

51. Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Bellevue street distant thereon 353.06 feet southerly from the southerly line of Twenty-fifth street; said point being the point of intersection of the southerly line of Clipper street with the westerly line of Bellevue street (as delineated on the Map of the Noe Garden Homestead Union, recorded in Liber "C" and "D" of Maps, pages 136 and 137), and running thence south 4° 15' east 814.94 feet along the westerly line of Bellevue street to the southerly line of Twenty-seventh street, thence north 85° 45' east 620 feet along said southerly line of Twenty-seventh street to the westerly line of Hoffman avenue, thence south 4° 15' east 584 feet along said westerly line of Hoffman avenue to the southerly line of Twenty-eighth street, thence south 85° 45' west 1240 feet to the westerly line of Burnett avenue, thence north 4° 15' west 876 feet along said westerly line of Burnett avenue to the southerly line of Army street, thence south 85° 45' west 55 feet more or less, along said southerly line of Army street, thence north 250 feet, more or less, to Corbett ave-

nue, thence running along Corbett avenue north 78° 45' east 143.88 feet, thence north 40° 00' east 50.16 feet, thence north 10° 00' east 99.66 feet, east 169.62 feet to the westerly line of High street produced; thence north 1° 38' west 127 feet along said westerly line of High street produced, to the southerly line of Clipper street produced; thence north 77° 00' east 168.44 feet along said southerly line of Clipper street produced and the southerly line of Clipper street to a point; thence north 77° 47' east 120.35 feet, continuing along said southerly line of Clipper street to the point of commencement.

52. Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Thirtieth street, distant thereon 830 feet easterly from the westerly line of Burnham street, formerly Bellevue avenue, thence at a right angle southerly 853.8 feet to the southwesterly line of Berkeley street, thence south 68° 22' east 92.52 feet to the intersection of the southwesterly line of Berkeley street, with the northwesterly line of Orchard street, thence south 66° 22' 30" east 62.81 feet to the intersection of the southerly line of Orchard street with the southwesterly line of Berkeley street, thence along said southwesterly line of Berkeley street south 51° 04' east 62.28 feet, thence south 10° 16' west 255.27 feet to the northeasterly line of Arbor street, thence south 85° 03' 48" west 96.72 feet to the intersection of the southerly line of Arbor street with the northwesterly line of Elk street, thence along said northwesterly and westerly line of Elk street, the following courses and distances

South 62° 10' west, 309.35 feet.

South 9° 24' west 85.15 feet

South 20° 18' east 48.81 feet

South 76° 38' 30" west 54.93 feet

South 1° 30' 30" west 478.13 feet

to the intersection of the westerly line of Elk street with the southerly line of Chenery street, thence along said southerly line of Chenery street south 74° 14' 30" east 260.21 feet, thence south 66° 27' 30" east 202.90 feet to a point on the southerly line of Chenery street distant thereon 27.61 feet northwesterly from the intersection of the southerly line of Chenery street with the westerly line of Burnside avenue, thence easterly 700 feet more or less, thence northerly 182 feet, more or less, to the southerly line of Thirtieth street, thence westerly and along said southerly line of Thirtieth street 810 feet more or less, to the point of commencement; being a part of the San Miguel Rancho.

53. Commencing at the point of intersection of the westerly line of Burnett avenue with the southerly line of Army street, running thence west-

erly along the southerly line of Army street to the intersection of the southerly line of Army street with the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue; thence deflecting 45° to the left from the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue, if extended and produced northerly 141.42 feet distant to a point on the southerly side of Corbett Road; thence deflecting to the left $5^{\circ} 43' 19''$ 224.82 feet distant; thence deflecting to the left $34^{\circ} 25' 41''$ 50 feet distant; thence deflecting to the left $36^{\circ} 20' 19''$ 107.25 feet distant; thence deflecting to the left $12^{\circ} 06' 28''$ 301.08 feet distant; thence deflecting to the right $19^{\circ} 49' 19''$ 94.95 feet distant; thence deflecting to the right $23^{\circ} 16' 30''$ 201.33 feet distant; thence deflecting to the left $8^{\circ} 59' 01''$ 101.90 feet; thence deflecting to the right $15^{\circ} 52' 58''$ 172.67 feet distant; thence deflecting to the left $20^{\circ} 03' 31''$ 77.23 feet distant; thence deflecting to the left $7^{\circ} 52' 65.17$ feet distant; thence deflecting to the left $11^{\circ} 39' 42''$ 335 feet distant; thence deflecting to the left 90° and running along the westerly boundary line of the lands of J. J. Morey 132.67 feet distant, thence deflecting to the left $26^{\circ} 41' 21''$ 220.88 feet distant to a point on the northerly line of Duncan street 20 feet westerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Duncan street with the westerly line of Stanford Heights avenue; thence easterly along the northerly line of Duncan street (if extended and produced) easterly to the intersection of the northerly line of Duncan street with the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue; running thence southerly along the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue to a point where the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue intersects the southerly line of Valley street; thence easterly along the southerly line of Valley street to a point 150 feet distant; thence at right angles southerly to a point on the northerly line of Twenty-ninth street distant thereon 150 feet easterly from the easterly line of Stanford Heights avenue, thence easterly along the northerly line of Twenty-ninth street to a point where the northerly line of Twenty-ninth street intersects the easterly line of Kenyon avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Kenyon avenue to a point where the easterly line of Kenyon avenue intersects the northerly line of Thirtieth street, thence easterly along the northerly line of Thirtieth street 200 feet, thence at right angles southerly to a point on the northerly line of Clarkson street distant thereon 200 feet easterly from the easterly line of Kenyon avenue, thence easterly along the northerly line of Clarkson street to a point where the northerly line of

Clarkson street intersects the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue, thence southerly along the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue to a point where the easterly line of Twin Peaks avenue intersects the northerly line of Avoca street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Avoca street to a point distant thereon 150 feet westerly from the westerly line of Burnett avenue; thence at right angles southerly to a point on the northerly line of Thirty-second street distant thereon 150 feet westerly from the westerly line of Burnett avenue; thence easterly along the northerly line of Thirty-second street to a point where the northerly line of Thirty-second street intersects the easterly line of Burnett avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Burnett avenue to a point where the easterly line of Burnett avenue intersects the northerly line of Surrey street, running thence in a northwesterly direction to a point on the southerly line of Thirty-first street (if extended and produced westerly) distant thereon 600 feet westerly from the easterly line of Fowler avenue; thence in a northeasterly direction to a point on the southerly line of Clipper street where same is intersected by the boundary line of the land of Mary L. Craig (if extended and produced southerly); thence northerly and along said last described line to the northwesterly corner of the said land of Mary L. Craig; thence in a northeasterly direction to the top of the most southerly peak of the Twin Peaks; thence southeasterly to the point of intersection of the southerly line of Army street and the westerly line of Burnett avenue; said point being the point of commencement.

54. Commencing at a point where the southwesterly line of Chenery street is intersected by the northerly line of Surrey street (if extended and produced easterly); running thence easterly and along said northerly line of Surrey street (if extended and produced easterly) to a point distant thereon 1800 feet easterly from the westerly boundary line of the land of the Crocker Estate Company tract; thence in a northerly direction to a point where the northerly line of Valley street intersects the easterly line of Douglass street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Douglass street to a point where the easterly line of Douglass street intersects the northerly line of Twenty-seventh street; thence in a northwesterly direction to the top of the most southerly peak of the Twin Peaks three thousand five hundred (3,500) feet, more or less, distant thence in a southeasterly direction to the point of intersection of the southerly line of Army street and the westerly line of

Burnett avenue; thence southerly and along said westerly line of Burnett avenue to the southerly line of Twenty-eighth street; thence easterly and along said southerly line of Twenty-eighth street to the westerly line of Hoffman avenue; thence southerly and along said westerly line of Hoffman avenue to the northerly line of Thirtieth street; thence easterly and along said northerly line of Thirtieth street to a point distant thereon 150 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hoffman avenue; thence at a right angle southerly to the southwesterly line of Berkeley street, thence southeasterly, following the lines and angles of the southwesterly line of Berkeley street, to a point where same is intersected by the northwesterly line of Lot No. 16 in Block "H", as shown on "Map of Additions to Castro street addition and Glen Park Terrace" if extended and produced; thence southwesterly along said last described line to the northeasterly line of Arbor street; thence southwesterly to the point of intersection of the southwesterly line of Arbor street and the northwesterly line of Elk street; thence southwesterly, southerly, southeasterly, southwesterly and southerly following the courses, angles and distances of the northwesterly, westerly, southwesterly, northerly and westerly line of Elk street to its intersection with the southwesterly line of Chenery street; thence southeasterly to the point of commencement.

and also, to dismiss the proceedings in condemnation hereinabove referred to and to enter dismissal therein as to the defendants Frank Angle, Edwin Austin, Hannah Austin, Christina Anderson, Lester N. Bryte, A. Barsotti, David Behrend, Herman O. Brauer, Bay City Brick Company (a corporation), Matilda C. Banks, Anna B. Bauman, Mary H. Braunagel, Henry Braunagel, Allan Byrne, California Title Insurance and Trust company (a corporation), Nina D. Crittenden, James L. Crittenden, California Mutual Savings Fund, Loan and Building Association (a corporation), George H. Cardinet, Emile H. Cardinet, Jr., Capitola Corey, Mary E. Donnelly, Ellen Dore and Charlotte E. Horrigan, as administrators of the Estate of Maurice Dore, deceased, Mary Elizabeth Fitzhugh, Fugazi Banca Popolare Operaia Italiana (a corporation), Mary E. Fitzhugh, William M. Fitzhugh, Emma Gilbert, John Good, Robert D. Gourley, Ernest J. Gilbert, Annie Gilbert, Eugene Geary, Vere C. Geary, Juliet W. Garber, Lida J. Garber, Walter S. Hyde, Sarah D. Hamlin, Homeland Company (a corporation), Amy R. Hackney, Sarah Harris, A. L. Jensen, Elfie

Jensen, Magdalene Jensen, J. G. James Company (a corporation), Minnie E. Joseph, Minnie Joseph, George Keating, Peter Koener, Ettie Sarah Kirkland, Dora Kage, Edna Larsen, Joseph Lenahan, Francis M. Learnard, as executor of the last will and testament of John H. Collamore, deceased, Henrietta T. Lindsay, Robert A. Lindsay, Moneta Investment Company, (a corporation), Ogden Mills, Eugenia Marzola, Silvio Marzola, Monica Molley, Charlotte E. J. Nunan, Fred Nicolai, O. F. Olsen, Edgar D. Peixotto, Belle G. Palache, Elizabeth Mills Reid, Sophia Randall, G. G. Rowe, Joseph Reidy, Adolph Rosenthal, as trustee for Walter Mandelberg, Walter Mandelberg, Angelo Stefannetti, Isaac P. Straussburg, Charles A. Sutherland, Juliet G. Stringham, Anna Schmidt, Alexander Torok, Josephine Ciriaca Turrell, Trustees of Leland Stanford, Jr., University, Charles E. Urfer, Domenico Valerga, Susan Louisa Valerga, Thomas S. Webb, James Welsh, Jr., George Edward Wilson, Emilie Wagner, also known as Amelia Wagner, insofar as their interest relates to the lots, pieces or parcels of land hereinabove described.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang. —16.

Granting United Railroads Revocable Permit to Operate on Bay and Laguna Streets in Vicinity of Fort Mason.

The following Bill, laid over from last meeting, was taken up:

Bill No. — Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes, subject to the conditions imposed herein."

Privilege of the Floor.

Col. Geo. Williamson, representing Fort Mason, stated that he had applied to all the railroad companies for relief in the way of transportation to Fort Mason and the Transport Docks, but had been refused. Since the Exposition site at Harbor View has been determined on, however, the United Railroads is willing to make the extension to Fort Mason. He asked that the permit be granted, and assured the Board that after the Exposition, the Government would request the United Railroads to remove its tracks from the reservation to the public streets.

M. M. O'Shaughnessy, City Engineer, and Mr. Sanford, employee of City Engineer's office, also addressed the Board, stating that the grading of Polk street where proposed extension was asked for had been delayed for a num-

ber of years by litigation carried on by certain interests owning property in the vicinity of said street.

E. P. E. Troy, also addressed the Board, stating that the U. S. Government and the City would be at the mercy of the United Railroads under a revocable permit. He declared that the permit is not binding on the company who could cease operation after the Exposition if it desired. If permit took form of franchise, with all conditions incident thereto, all parties would be protected.

Amendment.

Supervisor Giannini moved that the United Railroads be granted a revocable permit on condition that it pay the Charter percentages fixed on a "trackage basis," and that in the event of the City desiring to take over that portion of the road for which permit is granted, it may do so by paying the then cost.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Payot—13.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, Murdock, Vogelsang—3.

Absent—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Nolan—2.

Action.

Whereupon, the Clerk was directed to confer with Bion J. Arnold and the Public Utility and Judiciary Committee in amending and preparing Bill for presentation.

Relative to Name on Municipal Railway Cars.

Supervisor Giannini moved that the name "Municipal Railway" be painted on the cars now being constructed.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Protection of the Name "Municipal."

Supervisor Giannini moved that some action be taken looking to the protection of the word "Municipal" as applied to civic enterprises.

Ordered referred to Judiciary Committee.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was passed for printing:

Calling and Providing for Charter Election.

Bill No. 2314, Ordinance No. — (New Series). "Calling and ordering a special election to be held on the 10th day of December, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors proposi-

tions to amend the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, as herein set forth, and providing for the manner of conducting such election, and designating the election precincts, polling places and names of the election officers of such precincts."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and passed for printing:

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Williams and Finnigan are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts during the construction of a sewer in Rhode Island street between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said Williams and Finnigan, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Board of Public Works to Recommend Street Work on Van Ness Avenue from Market to Bay Street Where Not Already Done.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 494.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to recommend the construction of sidewalks on Van Ness avenue, between Market and Bay streets, where not already done.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,

Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Mayor to Obtain Liberty Bell for Exposition.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:
J. R. No. 495.

Whereas, The people of California are desirous that the "Liberty Bell" be brought here from Philadelphia, to become one of the many great historic features of the 1915 Exposition; and

Whereas, His Honor, Mayor James Rolph, Jr., is about to visit Washington, D. C., to assist in the presentation of San Francisco's case at the Hetch Hetchy hearing to be held before the Secretary of the Interior; be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be respectfully requested to proceed to Philadelphia before his return from the East, and express to the Mayor and Council of that city (the custodians of the "Liberty Bell") the earnest prayer of our citizens that the petition signed by 50,000 school children of our State, that the historic relic be sent here under proper escort, be granted favorable consideration when it later is presented to them.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Masquerade Ball Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 496.

Resolved, That the joint parlors of the Native Sons and Native Daughters of the Golden West are hereby authorized to hold a masquerade ball at the Pavilion Rink, Sutter and Pierce streets, November 16, 1912, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds from said ball shall be devoted to charity, to-wit: The Homeless Children Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Relative to Speech-Making at Municipal Band Concerts.

Supervisor Koshland presented:

J. R. No. —

Whereas, The Municipal Band concerts were planned to extend the enjoyment of music in this community; and

Whereas, This purpose should not become admixed with any local or private or political objects; be it

Resolved, That hereafter there shall

be no speech-making at such concerts; and further

Resolved, That the concerts should take place only in such public squares or public places as the Board of Supervisors shall by resolution prescribe.

Ordered referred to Public Welfare Committee.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Mauzy and ordered referred to the Publicity Committee:

Recommending Acquisition of "Sutro Lands."

Whereas, In accordance with the expressed wish of the late Hon. Adolph Sutro, formerly Mayor of San Francisco, his heirs have given the City a most desirable option upon certain lands now separating Lincoln Park from the shores of the Golden Gate, said option including the site and buildings of the Sutro Baths and Museum; and

Whereas, In further accordance with Mr. Sutro's desires there has been offered the tract known as Sutro Heights as a free gift to the City when said adjoining shore lands are purchased; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Board, after due and careful consideration of the terms of the option and the offer of gift, recommends to the voters of the City and County of San Francisco that they vote "YES" upon the proposition to secure by purchase and gift these immensely valuable Sutro properties, in connection with which proposition this Board sets forth certain statements of fact, as follows:

1. The shore lands, including Sutro Baths and Museum, consist of 80 acres and have a frontage along the Golden Gate of over one and one-half miles.

2. These lands are jointly owned by the several heirs of the late Hon. Adolph Sutro, who offer the entire tract for the sum of six hundred and eighty-seven thousand dollars, including the Baths, Museum and all buildings and appurtenances.

3. "Sutro Heights", adjoining the eighty (80) acres of shore lands, includes 21.21 acres, making a total of 101.21 acres, equivalent to about thirty-nine (39) 50-Vara-Blocks.

4. Private development of the shore lands would tend to obstruct the magnificent view from many parts of Lincoln Park, which, unless these lands are secured, will be forever cut off from frontage on the Golden Gate.

5. The Sutro Baths, the largest in the world, were built at a cost of about Eight Hundred Thousand Dol-

lars (\$800,000.00), or more than is asked for all of the land and improvements. If secured by the City they will afford the School Department an opportunity to teach swimming under careful supervision, to school children whose parents desire such instruction.

6. The Baths are now self-sustaining.

7. A rental income from the Point Lobos avenue frontage of the shore lands, and from other buildings upon this property may readily be made to care for a considerable portion of the interest on the bonds.

8. Possession of these lands will provide a necessary right of way for the Mile-Rock sewer, draining that portion of the Ocean View district, westerly from Capitol avenue, the Ingleside district, the Sunset district and that portion of the Richmond district southerly and westerly from a line passing through the intersection of Twenty-sixth avenue and Fulton street, and Thirty-eighth avenue and

Clement; will give control of valuable street railway rights of way and terminals in the Cliff House section, and at the expiration of its franchise, those tracks and poles of the California Street Railway line, now located upon the shore lands, will become City property.

9. All documents binding the present owners to the offers outlined above are now in the possession of the Mayor. The options expire December 31st, and will not be renewed.

Referred to Publicity Committee.

Announcement.

Supervisor Payot announced that the Remedial Loan Association would be open for business the first week in December at 43 Fifth street with a subscribed capital of \$250,000.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon the Board at the hour of 6:30 p. m. o'clock took a recess until 1:30 p. m., Tuesday, Nov. 12, 1912.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors November 11, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Tuesday, November 12, 1912.

Monday, November 18, 1912.

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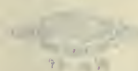
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, November 12, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The reading and approval of the Journal of the meeting of November 11, 1912, was laid over until next meeting.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9810 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Felix McHugh, construction ironstone pipe sewer, connecting Lincoln way with septic tank, Golden Gate Park (claim dated Oct. 18, 1912) \$829.60

Standard Portland Cement Co., cement, Board of Public Works (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912) 570.39

J. O'Keefe, hay, Relief Home (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912) 581.12

D. A. White, Chief of Police, contingent allowance (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912) 666.66

Spring Valley Water Co., water, public buildings

(claim dated Oct. 27, 1912) 1,936.88

Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants (claim dated Oct. 27, 1912) 10,950.42

Sun Tent & Awning Co., election tents (claim dated Oct. 19, 1912) 4,400.00

Spencer Street Planing Mill, construction election booths (claim dated Oct. 15, 1912) 5,250.00

Brown & Power Stationery Co., printing ballots (claim dated Oct. 25, 1912) 1,988.00

Brown & Power Stationery Co., printing poll and tally lists (claim dated Oct. 25, 1912) 2,196.00

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

Geo. F. Bartlett, transportation, hotel accommodation, etc., Hetch Hetchy investigation (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912) \$1,037.60

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, 1904.

State Improvement Co., final payment, sewer in Ocean avenue between Lee and Phelan avenues (claim dated Oct. 22, 1912) \$593.34

School Bond Fund, 1908.

Standard Elec. Time Co., final payment, clocks, Lowell High School (claim dated Oct. 30, 1912) \$1,400.00

Chas. Lauffer, assignee of V. J. Belknap, final payment, plumbing, Lowell High School (claim dated Oct. 24, 1912) 4,597.75

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Robt. C. Storrie & Co., 7th payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, contract No. 44 (claim dated Oct. 29, 1912) \$37,804.48

Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 16th payment, construction Twin Peaks Reservoir (claim dated Oct. 28, 1912) 9,402.07

U. S. Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Co., 8th payment, cast-

iron pipe (claim dated Oct. 21, 1912) 676.91

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

Jean M. Gardia, land for Civic Center purposes, 24 ft. by 82½ ft., west line of Polk street, commencing 48 ft. south of Fulton street (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912) \$7,933.04

William Wolff, land for Civic Center purposes, 27½ ft. by 120 ft., south line of Fulton street, commencing 82½ ft. east of Polk street, with improvements (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912) 15,020.40

Charles Cohen et al., land for Civic Center purposes, 23 ft. by 82½ ft., east line of Polk street, commencing 92½ ft. north of Grove street (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912) 8,062.52

H. F. Dexter and F. E. Browning, Trustees, land for Civic Center purposes, 90 ft. by 192½ ft., southwest corner of McAllister and Larkin streets (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912), and improvements 106,390.03

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Providing \$5000 to Defray Expenses Party to Washington in Regard to Order to Show Cause Why Hetch Hetchy Permit Should not be Revoked.

Resolution No. 9811 (New Series).

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars be and is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Water Construction Fund by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to defray the expenses of the Mayor, the Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee of this Board, the City Attorney and an assistant City Engineer and assistants, and the Clerk of this Board to Washington, D. C., for the purpose of representing the City and County in the matter pending before the Department of the Interior concerning the use of the Hetch Hetchy Valley for a source of water supply.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9812 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized

to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For repairs to Fire Department buildings during the month of November, 1912 \$1,500.00

For repairs to Police Department buildings during the month of November, 1912 500.00

For general repairs to other buildings during the month of November, 1912 1,200.00

For street work in front of Jackson Park, Arkansas street from Seventeenth to Mariposa street 1,015.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

For defraying expenses of appraising lands, improvements, costs in litigation, expert witness fees, and other special expenses in connection with and pertinent to the acquisition of lands in the Civic Center; to be expended under the supervision of the Public Buildings Committee of the Board of Supervisors with approval of the City Attorney \$10,000.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Ordering Construction of Fire House at Corner of Grand and Wilde Streets and Appropriating \$30,000 Therefor.

Also, Bill No. 2310, Ordinance No. 2081 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of a fire house on property situate at intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said fire engine house, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars, out of the item, 'For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes,' in the budget of the fiscal year 1911-1912, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Unsold 1904 School Bonds Placed on Sale at Treasurer's Office.

Bill No. 2311, Ordinance No. 2082 (New Series), as follows: Reciting that certain school bonds of the issue of 1904 remain unsold after having been advertised for sale, no bids therefor having been received, and directing that such unsold bonds be placed on sale at the office of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, and fixing the price at which such bonds may be sold by the said Treasurer of said City and County.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby recited and declared that the Board of Supervisors on the 21st day of October, 1912, did adopt Resolution No. 9765 (New Series), by which Resolution the clerk of said Board was directed to give notice by advertisement as required by the Charter of said City and County, that on the 4th day of November, 1912, said Board would receive and consider bids for the purchase of school bonds, issue of 1904, of the seventeenth and eighteenth series, amounting to \$179,600.00.

That in compliance with said Resolution said Clerk did cause to be published in the official newspaper for a period of ten days prior to said 4th day of November, 1912, an advertisement and notice of such sale of said described school bonds, and that all of the requirements of the Charter of the City and County in respect thereto were fully complied with.

That no bids were or have been received for the purchase of said bonds so offered for sale, and the whole amount thereof remains unbid for and unsold.

Section 2. As provided in Section 10 of Article XII of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, it is hereby ordered that all of the school bonds advertised for sale and remaining unsold as above described and set forth, be placed on sale and offered for sale at the office of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, and said Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell said described bonds to any person desiring to purchase the same. That the price at which said bonds may be sold is the par or face value thereof, together with any and all interest that may have accrued thereon at the time of the delivery of the same to the purchaser.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland,

Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Amending Ordinance Relating to Duties of Fire Commissioners with Regard to the Issuance of Permits for Admission Within Fire Lines.

Bill No. 2312, Ordinance No. 2083 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 879, entitled 'Relating to the duties of the Board of Fire Commissioners' the provisions of which relate to the issuance of permits for admittance within fire lines, requiring a record of same to be kept and prescribing the number of passes to be issued during any one year."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Oil Boiler and Laundry Permits.

Resolution No. 9813 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

Eloesser & Heynemann, southwest corner of McAllister and Octavia streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Clay M. Greene, et al., northwest corner of Powell and Sacramento streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Columbia Dairy, 231 Franklin street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Jean Allec, northeast corner of Ellis and Larkin streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

Boiler.

California Milk Co., south side of Bay street, 126 feet 3 inches west of Taylor street, 20 horse power, for cleansing containers.

Laundry.

Yee Gee, 314 Seventh street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. 9814 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors and in accordance with Sections 198 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series) be and is hereby granted to the California Milk Company to maintain a stable for 30 horses on the south side of Bay street, 126 feet 3 inches west of Taylor street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

CONSIDERATION OF MAYOR'S VETO ON LOWER MARKET STREET AGREEMENT.

The following resolutions, returned

by his Honor the Mayor without his approval and with his objections thereto and subsequently referred to the Public Utilities Committee, were taken up on motion of Supervisor Giannini:

Offer of Settlement of Lower Market Street Dispute.

Resolution No. 9737 (New Series):

Whereas, on the 30th day of September, 1912, the Board of Supervisors made the following offer of settlement to the United Railroads of San Francisco with reference to disputed rights on lower Market street and with regard to the construction and operation of a municipal street railway, to-wit: Resolution No. 9720 (New Series); be it

Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors hereby makes the following offer of settlement to the United Railroads Company with reference to disputed rights on lower Market street; and with regard to the construction and operation of the Municipal Street Railway:

1. The United Railroads to dismiss appeal from the decision of the Superior Court forfeiting the Sutter Street Railway franchise, and to stipulate forfeiture of said franchise.

2. The United Railroads to specifically waive all right of action against the City based upon Section 5 of Order No. 1415 granting a franchise to the Market Street Railway Company which section contains the so-called "five blocks provision."

3. The outer tracks, with overhead equipment, from Sutter street to the Ferry to revert to the possession of the City. In which case the Sutter street cars may run thereon without cost of rental; or, the City will buy the outer tracks and then charge either a monthly rental to the United Railroads for the use of said outer tracks, or charge the United Railroads one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement

4. The City will give permit to the United Railroads for running Sutter street cars through to the Ferry on the outer tracks, said permit to hold good till the date of expiration of original, now forfeited, franchise.

5. The City to have the right to string its wires for the operation of its cars on Market street from Geary street to the Ferry upon the poles of the United Railroads without any charge or compensation therefor.

6. The electric current used from the United Railroads to be paid for in proportion to use by respective parties.

7. Transfers to be exchanged under proper restrictions at the intersection of the Municipal Railway with the Devisadero, Fillmore, Larkin, and pos-

sibly other street lines of the United Railroads.

8. All Municipal Railway cars to run through to the Ferry upon the outer tracks from Kearny street.

9. The City to have the right to operate its Municipal Railway on Point Lobos avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads, if, and when, it so desires upon payment of proportionate cost of construction and maintenance.

And Whereas, the United Railroads of San Francisco and the Sutter Street Railway Company have agreed to the following:

1st. The Sutter Street Railway Company will consent to an affirmance by the Supreme Court of the State of California of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco in the case of The People of the State of California ex rel D. S. O'Brien v. The Sutter Street Railway Company, which judgment was rendered on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book 51, page 471, said judgment of affirmance to include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court by adding after the words "from maintaining or operating a street railway on Market street or any part thereof from the City Front to Sutter street" the words "except as such street railway may and shall be maintained and operated by defendant. Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, in accordance with the terms of the stipulation entered into between the parties as follows":

2nd. The United Railroads waiving its rights to object to the use of Market street from Geary street to the City Front under provisions of Section 5 of Order 1514 of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco and under the provisions of Section 499 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and hereby consenting to the operation of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street.

3rd. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, and the City and County of San Francisco, through its Municipal Street Railway, to have joint ownership and use of the outer tracks and overhead equipment on Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon payment by the City of one-half of the cost of construction of said outer tracks and overhead equipment, it being understood and agreed that each of the parties to the agreement shall be liable and shall pay one-half of the value of maintenance, repair and replacement of said outer tracks and overhead equipment after joint operation shall have com-

menced. Said value to be determined by a representative of the City and a representative of the Railway who shall, in the event of a disagreement, select a third party to act as arbitrator, it being agreed that in no event shall the City pay more than Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars for its half interest. It is further agreed that at the expiration of the privilege herein granted to the Sutter Street Railway Company the said Railway shall receive from the city fifty (50) per cent of the value of its one-half interest in said tracks and equipment, said value to be determined in the same manner as the present determination is to be arrived at.

4th. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, accept and is hereby granted the privilege to operate its railroad over the outer tracks with electricity by means of the overhead trolley system for the period of years up to and including the 14th day of November, 1929. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, agreeing that it will not attempt to operate any cars over said outer tracks other than those now regularly operated on Sutter street, such other cars as the Board of Supervisors may, by ordinance, permit to be run. The time schedule and rights of way of the Sutter street cars on Market street and the United Railroads cars on Kearny street at the intersection of Geary street and at the intersection of Market street to be settled by agreement between the Superintendent of the Sutter Street Railway and the United Railroads on the one hand and the Superintendent of the Municipal Street Railway on the other and in case of disagreement the two to select a third person to act as arbitrator.

5th. The City and County of San Francisco will have the right to string its wires for the operation of the cars of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front upon the poles of the United Railroads without any charge or compensation therefor.

6th. The electric current made use of from the United Railroads by the Municipal Street Railway to be paid for by the City and County of San Francisco in proportion to its use.

In arriving at the charge for current the car miles operated over the joint tracks will be multiplied by the number of kilowatt hours per car mile by those cars, and the product in turn, multiplied by the price per kilowatt hour, which will be the cost price to the United Railroads. If this exceeds the price paid by the City for street railway purposes the United

Railroads will base its charge upon the same price as that paid by the City.

7th. Transfers to be exchanged under proper restrictions, at the intersection of the Municipal Street Railway with the Divisadero and Fillmore lines of the United Railroads, the City to have the option to abrogate this arrangement.

8th. The cars of the Municipal Street Railway will run through to the City Front upon the tracks to be constructed on Market street from Kearny street to Sutter street and thence upon Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon the so-called outer tracks heretofore constructed by the Sutter Street Railway Company.

9th. It is understood and agreed by the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads on their part that this agreement shall cover the loops at the City Front.

10th. The City and County of San Francisco to have the right to operate its Municipal Street Railway from Point Lobos avenue over the tracks of the United Railroads when it so desires upon the payment of an equal proportion of the cost of construction of the tracks and appurtenances used by such railways jointly.

11th. No word or expression in this agreement shall be construed as granting the Sutter Street Railway, or its assigns, a right on Market street beyond November 14, 1929.

12th. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to be a waiver on the part of the Board of Supervisors of its rights to regulate street railroad operation in the City and County of San Francisco.

Be it Resolved, That the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco is hereby authorized and requested to execute an agreement with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco whereby the City and County of San Francisco binds itself to perform on its part all that it is required to do under the terms of the agreement hereinabove set forth and whenever such agreement so executed by the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco and the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco shall have been filed with the Board of Supervisors then and in that event the City Attorney shall be and he is hereby requested, directed and authorized to enter into such agreement and stipulation as will carry out the purpose and intent of this resolution. And as a part of such stipulation and agreement upon the conditions and terms aforesaid the City Attorney is authorized, directed and requested to consent to the affirmance by the Supreme

Court of the State of California and the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco as modified by the agreement hereinbefore set forth in the case of The People of the State of California v. The Sutter Street Railway Company.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hacks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

City Attorney and Attorney General to Enter Into Stipulations with United Railroads in Matter of Settlement of Lower Market Street Dispute.

Resolution No. 9738 (New Series):

Whereas, by resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, the City Attorney was directed to prepare a settlement between said City and County on the one hand and the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco on the other, wherein and whereby "existing controversies and litigation in which the City is interested involving the rights to the use of the tracks constructed and claimed by the Sutter Street Railway Company and the right of the United Railroads of San Francisco to object to the use of Market street, from Geary street to the City Front, by a municipal street railway;" and

Whereas, a settlement has been agreed upon between the parties hereto under which and by which the rights of all the parties herein mentioned (Market street, from Geary street to the City Front) have been agreed upon and defined; and

Whereas, there is pending in the Supreme Court of the State of California an appeal on the part of the Sutter Street Railway Company in the case of the People of the State of California vs. the Sutter Street Railway Company, which said action was begun at the request of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco; and

Whereas, in the agreement entered into between the parties herein mentioned it is provided that a judgment of affirmance be consented to, which said judgment of affirmance will include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco by adding after the words "the Sutter Street Railway Company is excluded from the franchise and privilege of maintaining the outer or any street railway tracks on Market street, or any portion thereof from the City Front to Sutter street and from maintaining or operating a street railroad on Market street or any part thereof, from the City Front to Sutter street," the

words "except as such street railway may and shall be maintained and operated by defendant, the Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, in accordance with the terms of the stipulation entered into between the parties hereto;" and

Whereas, the City Attorney has recommended the settlement of such litigation in accordance with the terms of the agreement heretofore authorized by this Board;

Now, therefore, Be it ordained that the City Attorney is directed and hereby ordered to enter into such stipulation with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco as will carry into effect the agreement hereinabove mentioned, and the Attorney General of the State of California is hereby requested to join in such stipulation and to give his consent to the judgment of affirmance mentioned.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hacks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—17.

Absent—Supervisor McCarthy—1.

Memorandum of Agreement, made this — day of October, A. D. 1912, by and between the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation organized and existing under a Freeholder's Charter, known as the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, approved by the Legislature of the State of California on the 26th day of January, 1899, hereinafter called "City," party of the first part, and United Railroads of San Francisco, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, hereinafter called "Railroad," party of the second part, and the Sutter Street Railway Company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, hereinafter called "Railway," party of the third part witnesseth:

Whereas, By Ordinance known as Ordinance No. 923 (New Series), approved October 25th, 1909, the City and County of San Francisco passed what is known as Bill No. 1047 (New Series), Ordinance No. 923, determining and declaring that public interest and necessity demanded the construction of street railways along and upon the following streets, to-wit:

1. On Geary street from Market street to Point Lobos avenue, Point Lobos avenue from Geary street to Cliff avenue, Cliff avenue from Point Lobos avenue to a convenient terminal near the ocean, Tenth avenue from Point Lobos avenue to Golden Gate Park;

2. Over and along Market street from Geary to East street, and thereafter the said Board of Supervisors of the said City and County duly called a special election to be held in said City and County on the 30th day of December, 1909, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County the proposition, among other things, to incur a bonded indebtedness for the construction by said City and County of a street railway over and along said hereinabove described route, at which said election it was declared and determined to construct said railroad; and

Whereas, Railroad is the owner and is operating its railroad in the City and County of San Francisco, and particularly over and along Market street from Geary street to East street, and from Thirty-third avenue and Point Lobos avenue along Point Lobos avenue westerly to Forty-eighth avenue, and on Sutter street from Market street to Presidio avenue, the right to operate and maintain which said Railroad was granted by Order No. 1514 of said City and County, passed by the Board of Supervisors thereof on, to-wit, September 15th, 1879, and approved by the Mayor thereof on September 20th, 1879, and by Order No. 2781 of said City and County, passed by the Board of Supervisors thereof on, to-wit, July 9th, 1894, and approved by the Mayor thereof on, to-wit, July 9th, 1894; and by Order No. 1525 passed by the Board of Supervisors of said City and County on, to-wit, November 3d, 1879, and approved by the Mayor thereof on, to-wit, November 14th, 1879; and

Whereas, Railway owns and is operating a railroad commencing at the City Front on Market street, thence along Market street to Sutter street; which said rights were granted under Order No. 1525, passed by the Board of Supervisors of said City and County on, to-wit, November 3rd, 1879, and approved by the Mayor thereof on, to-wit, November 14th, 1879; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the parties hereto for the greater convenience and accommodation of the traveling public, and in compromise and settlement of all litigation now pending between the City and Railway, and especially the case of the People of the State of California, ex rel. D. S. O'Brien v. Sutter Street Railway Company, which case is now pending on appeal to the Supreme Court of the State of California, from a judgment rendered by the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in

Judgment Book No. 51, at page 471, of the records of said Superior Court, as well, also, as to litigation which might be commenced by Railroads concerning the right of the City to run its municipal railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front, claiming same to be in violation of Order No. 1514, as hereinabove set forth;

Now, therefore, it is mutually agreed by and between the parties hereto as follows:

1. Railway will consent to an affirmation by the Supreme Court of the State of California of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco in the case of The People of the State of California, ex rel. D. S. O'Brien vs. The Sutter Street Railway Company, which judgment was rendered on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book 51, page 471, of the records of said Superior Court, said judgment of affirmation to include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court in accordance with the provisions of those certain resolutions of the Board of Supervisors of said City and County of San Francisco, known as Resolution No. 9737 (New Series), and No. 9738 (New Series), respectively, passed by said Board of Supervisors October 14th, 1912, and approved by the Mayor of said City and County on, to-wit, October —, 1912, and Bill No. 2280, Ordinance No. —, passed by said Board of Supervisors October 14th, 1912, and approved by the Mayor of said City and County on, to-wit, October —, 1912. Copies of each of said resolutions and ordinances are hereunto annexed, marked Exhibits A, B and C, respectively, and expressly made a part hereof the same as though inserted herein at length.

2. Railroad hereby waives its right to object to the use of Market street from Geary street to the City Front under the provisions of Section 5 of Order No. 1514 of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and under the provisions of Section 499 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and hereby consents to the operation of said Municipal Railway by City on Market street as aforesaid:

3. Railroad and/or its assigns and City to have joint ownership and use of outer tracks and overhead equipment, except poles, on Market street from Sutter street to the City Front, heretofore constructed by Railway, upon payment by City of one-half of the cost of construction of said outer tracks and overhead equipment, it being understood and agreed that Railway and City shall each be liable for

and shall pay one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement of said outer tracks and overhead equipment after the joint operation shall have commenced. Said cost to be determined by a representative of the City and a representative of Railway, who shall, in the event of a disagreement, select a third party to act as arbitrator, it being agreed that in no event shall City pay more than Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars for its one-half interest.

It is further agreed that at the expiration of the privilege granted to Railway, said Railway shall receive from City fifty (50) per cent of the value of its one-half interest in said tracks and equipment, said value to be determined in the manner hereinabove last set forth.

2. Railway and/or its assigns accepts, and it is hereby granted the privilege to operate its cars over the outer tracks with electricity by means of the overhead trolley system for a period of years up to and including the 14th day of November, 1929. Railway and/or its assigns agree that it will not attempt to operate any cars over said outer tracks other than those now regularly operated on Sutter street, and such other cars as the Board of Supervisors may by ordinance permit to be run. The time schedule and rights of way of the Sutter street cars on Market street, and the United Railroads cars on Kearny street at the intersection of Geary street, and the City cars on Market street at the intersection of Geary street, to be settled by agreement by the Superintendent of Railway and Railroad on the one hand, and the Superintendent of the Municipal Street Railway on the other, and in case of disagreement the two to select a third person to act as arbitrator.

5. City will take and is hereby given the right to string its wires for the operation of the cars of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front upon the poles of Railroad, without any charge or compensation therefor.

6. The electric current used from Railroad by the Municipal Street Railway to be paid for by the City in proportion to its use. In arriving at the charge for current the car miles operated over the joint tracks will be multiplied by the number of kilowatt hours per car mile by these cars, and the product in turn multiplied by the price per kilowatt hour, which will be the cost price to Railroad. If this exceeds the price paid by City for street railway purposes, Railroad will base its charge upon the same price as that paid by the City.

7. Transfers to be exchanged under proper restrictions at the intersection of the Municipal Railway on

Geary street with the Divisadero and Fillmore street lines of Railroad, City to have the option to abrogate this transfer arrangement at any time.

8. Cars of the Municipal Street Railway operated by City shall have the right to run through to the City Front upon tracks to be constructed by City on Market street from Kearny street to Sutter street, there connecting with the so-called outer tracks heretofore constructed by Sutter Street Railway Company; thence upon Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon the said outer tracks heretofore constructed by Railway.

9. It is mutually agreed by Railway and Railroad that this agreement shall cover the so-called loop at the City Front, and permit the operation of the cars of the Municipal Railway on equal terms with the cars of Railway and Railroad.

10. City shall have the right to operate its Municipal Street Railway on Geary street, formerly known and hereinbefore referred to as Point Lobos avenue, from Thirty-second avenue to Cliff avenue over tracks of Railroad whenever it shall desire so to do, upon payment of an equal proportion of the cost of construction of the tracks and appurtenances used by City and Railroad jointly, and City and Railroad shall each be liable to pay one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement of said outer tracks and overhead equipment after said joint operation shall have commenced. City shall pay for cost of current as in this agreement provided for the cost of current used by City for the operation of said cars on Market street as aforesaid.

11. No word or expression in this agreement shall be construed as granting Railway and/or its assigns a right on Market street beyond November 14, 1929.

12. Nothing in this agreement shall be constructed to be a waiver on the part of the City to regulate street railroad operations in the City and County of San Francisco.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has by resolution of its Board of Supervisors caused its name to be hereunto subscribed by its Mayor, and its Great Seal to be hereunto attached by the Clerk of its Board of Supervisors, and the United Railroads of San Francisco and the Sutter Street Railway Company, have, by resolutions of their respective Boards of Directors caused their names to be subscribed hereto by their respective Presidents, Assistants to their Presidents or Vice-Presidents, and their respective corporate seals to be hereunto attached by their respective Secretaries, the

day and year first hereinabove written.

Done in triplicate.

(Sgd)

CITY AND COUNTY
OF SAN FRANCISCO.

Attest:

..... By
Clerk. Mayor.

Attest:

UNITED RAILROADS
OF SAN FRANCISCO.

(Sgd)

GEO. B. WILLCUTT,
Secretary.

By (Sgd)

THORNWELL MULLALLY,
Assistant to President.

Attest:

SUTTER STREET
RAILWAY COMPANY.

(Sgd)

By FRED C. BOECKMAN,
President.

H. F. SCOTT,
Secretary.

(Seal)

(Seal)

Veto Sustained.

The question being, "Shall the Resolutions finally pass notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor?" The roll was called with the following result:

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Absent—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hocks, Nolan—3.

Whereupon, the chair declared the motion *lost* and the Mayor's veto *sustained*.

Mayor Authorized to Enter Into Agreement With United Railroads and Sutter Street Railroad Company in Settlement of Lower Market Street Dispute.

Whereupon, the following Resolution was introduced and *adopted*:

Resolution No. 9815 (New Series).

Whereas, It is for the best interest of the City and County of San Francisco that the controversy now pending between the United Railroads of San Francisco and the Sutter Street Railway Company and the City and County of San Francisco, concerning the use by the City of Market street from Geary street to the City Front, for a municipal railway, and the use of the outer tracks on Market street, from Sutter street to the City Front, by the Sutter street Railway Company, should be amicably settled, with due regard for the rights of the people; therefore, with that end in view, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco be, and he is hereby authorized for and on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco to execute an agreement

with the United Railroads of San Francisco and the Sutter Street Railway Company, in the words and figures following, to-wit:

Memorandum of Agreement made this.....day of November, A. D. 1912, by and between the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation, party of the first part, and United Railroads of San Francisco, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, party of the second part, and the Sutter Street Railway Company, a corporation, organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, party of the third part.

Witnesseth:

Whereas, By ordinance known as Ordinance No. 923 (New Series), approved October 25th, 1909, the City and County of San Francisco passed what is known as Bill No. 1047 (New Series), Ordinance No. 923, determining and declaring that public interest and necessity demanded the construction of street railways along and upon the following streets, to-wit:

1. On Geary street, from Market street to Point Lobos avenue; Point Lobos avenue, from Geary street to Cliff avenue; Cliff avenue from Point Lobos avenue to a convenient terminal near the Ocean; Tenth avenue from Point Lobos avenue to Golden Gate Park.

2. Over and along Market street from Geary street to East street;

And thereafter the said Board of Supervisors of said City and County duly called a special election to be held in said City and County on the 30th day of December, 1909, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County the proposition, among other things, to incur a bonded indebtedness for the construction by said City and County of a street railway over and along said hereinabove described route, at which said election it was declared and determined to construct said railroad; and

Whereas, United Railroads of San Francisco is the owner and is operating its railroads in the City and County of San Francisco, and particularly over and along Market street from Geary street to East street, and from Thirty-third avenue and Point Lobos avenue along Point Lobos avenue westerly to Forty-eighth avenue, and on Sutter street from Market street to Presidio avenue, the right to operate and maintain which said railroad was granted by Order No. 1514 of said City and County, passed by the Board of Supervisors thereof on September 15th, 1879, and approved by the Mayor

thereof on September 20th, 1879, and by Order No. 2781 of said City and County passed by the Board of Supervisors thereof on July 9th, 1894, and approved by the Mayor thereof on July 9th, 1894; and by Order No. 1525 passed by the Board of Supervisors of said City and County on November 3rd, 1879, and approved by the Mayor thereof on November 14, 1879; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the parties hereto for the greater convenience and accommodation of the traveling public, and in compromise and settlement of the case of The People of the State of California, ex rel., D. S. O'Brien vs. Sutter Street Railway Company, which case is now pending on appeal to the Supreme Court of the State of California, from a judgment rendered by the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book No. 51, at page 471, of the records of said Superior Court as well, also in compromise and settlement of litigation which might be commenced by United Railroads of San Francisco concerning the right of the City to run its municipal railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front, said United Railroads of San Francisco claiming the same to be in violation of Order No. 1514 as hereinabove set forth.

Now, therefore, it is mutually agreed by and between the parties hereto, as follows:

1. Sutter Street Railway Company consents to an affirmance by the Supreme Court of the State of California of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, in the case of The People of the State of California, ex rel. D. S. O'Brien v. The Sutter Street Railway Company, which judgment was rendered on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book 51, page 471, of the records of said Superior Court, said judgment of affirmance to include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court in accordance with the provisions of this agreement.

2. United Railroads of San Francisco hereby waives its right to object to the use by the City and County of San Francisco, of Market street from Geary street to the City Front, under the provisions of Section 5, of Order No. 1514, of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and under the provisions of Section 499 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and hereby

consents to the operation of said municipal railway by the City and County of San Francisco on Market street, from Geary street to the City Front, as herein stipulated. By accepting the waiver of United Railroads of San Francisco of right to object to the use by the City and County of San Francisco of Market street from Geary street to the City Front and by accepting the consent of said United Railroads of San Francisco to the operation of said municipal railway on Market street, it is expressly understood and agreed by the parties hereto that the City and County of San Francisco does not admit the necessity of such waiver or consent, or the right of said United Railroads of San Francisco to object to said use of Market street, from Geary street to the City Front, for a municipal railway, but, on the contrary, the City and County of San Francisco claims that regardless of such waiver and consent, and regardless of the provisions of Section 5 of said order No. 1514, and of Section No. 499 of the Civil Code of the State of California, it has the legal right to operate said municipal railway on Market street, as aforesaid, from Geary street to the City Front. The Sutter Street Railway Company does not now object, and never will object, and concedes it has no right to object to the use by the City, of Market street from Geary street to the City Front, or to the use of the outer tracks on Market street, from Sutter street to the City Front, for the operation of said municipal railway.

3. Sutter Street Railway Company and/or its assigns, and the City and County of San Francisco shall have the joint ownership and use of outer tracks and appurtenances, and fixtures in the street and overhead equipment, except poles, on Market street, from Sutter street to the City Front, heretofore constructed by Sutter Street Railway Company, upon payment by the City and County of San Francisco of one-half of the actual value of said outer tracks and appurtenances and fixtures in the street and said overhead equipment, it being understood and agreed that the Sutter Street Railway Company and the City and County of San Francisco shall each be liable for, and shall pay one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and of such replacement as the Board of Public Works may deem necessary, of said outer tracks and appurtenances and fixtures in the street and overhead equipment after the joint operation shall have commenced. Said value of said outer tracks and appurtenances and fixtures in the street and

overhead equipment shall be determined by arbitrators, one appointed by the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco, and one appointed by Sutter Street Railway Company, and, in the event of a disagreement between them, they shall select an umpire, and the decision of the umpire as to such value shall be final and conclusive; it being agreed that in no event shall the City and County of San Francisco pay more than twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for its one-half interest.

4. Sutter Street Railway Company and/or its assigns is hereby granted the privilege to operate cars over said outer tracks, with electricity, by means of the overhead trolley system, for a period of years up to and including the 14th day of November, 1929, at midnight of which day the right herein granted to the Sutter Street Railway Company and/or its assigns, shall terminate absolutely, and the City and County of San Francisco shall have the right to purchase, from said Sutter Street Railway Company, its one-half interest in said tracks, appurtenances, fixtures in the streets and equipment, upon payment thereof of 50 per cent of the value thereof on the date of expiration of said privilege; said value to be determined in the manner hereinbefore set forth. Said privilege shall not become operative until the judgment of affirmance as modified by the Supreme Court, shall have been entered. Said Sutter Street Railway Company and/or its assigns agrees that it will not operate or attempt to operate any cars over said outer tracks other than those operated on Sutter street over the entire distance from Market street to Central avenue, and cars operated over the entire right-of-way from Central avenue west, described in Order No. 2781 granting to Adolph Sutro, his successors, and assigns, certain rights and privileges therein specified, except such cars of the Jackson street line as may be diverted from Jackson street into Fillmore street and thence into Sutter street, and no cars operated by said United Railroads of San Francisco or Sutter Street Railway Company, switched into Sutter street from streets intervening between Market street and Central avenue, except the Jackson street cars, as aforesaid, shall ever be operated on said outer tracks, provided, however, that the headway or interval between cars, of the said cars other than the cars of said Municipal Railway, so permitted by this agreement to be operated on said outer tracks, shall, at no time, be less than one and one-half (1½) minutes. Nothing in this paragraph shall

be construed to revive or extend any rights, privileges or franchises granted by said Order No. 2781, heretofore abandoned or forfeited by United Railroads of San Francisco or its predecessors.

5. The City and County of San Francisco shall have, and is hereby given the right, to string its wires for the operation of the cars of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front upon the poles of the United Railroads of San Francisco, without any charge or compensation therefor.

6. The electric current supplied by the United Railroads of San Francisco and used by the Municipal Street Railway, shall be paid for by said City and County of San Francisco in proportion to its use. In arriving at the charge for current, the car miles operated over the joint tracks will be multiplied by the number of kilowatt hours per car mile used by these cars, and the product in turn multiplied by the price per kilowatt hour, which will be the cost price to the United Railroads of San Francisco. If this exceeds the price paid by said City and County of San Francisco for street railway purposes, the United Railroads of San Francisco will base its charge upon the same price as that paid by the City and County of San Francisco.

7. Transfers shall be exchanged by the United Railroads of San Francisco and the City and County of San Francisco at the intersection of Geary street with Divisadero street, between the Divisadero street lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco and the line of the Municipal Railway on Geary street. Transfers issued for this point of intersection, however, shall not be honored by either party to this agreement unless presented by passengers boarding the cars at this point. Transfers shall be exchanged by the above named parties at the intersection of Geary street with Fillmore street, between the Fillmore street lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco and the said line of the Municipal Railway. Transfers issued for this point of intersection, however, shall not be honored by either party to this agreement unless presented by passengers boarding the cars at this point. There shall be no compensation from any party to the other for honoring of transfers at the intersection of the Municipal Railway with the lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco at Divisadero and Fillmore streets, except the reciprocal privilege of transferring passengers. Transfers shall also be exchanged, should the City so elect, by the above

mentioned parties at the following places and upon the following terms, namely:

At the intersection of Geary street with Larkin street, between the Larkin street lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco and the said line of the Municipal Railway. Transfers issued for this point of intersection, however, shall not be honored by either of the above named parties, unless presented by passengers boarding the cars at this point of intersection; and also at the intersection of Geary street with Kearny street between the Kearny and Third street lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco and the said line of the Municipal Railway. Transfers issued for this point of intersection, however, shall not be honored by either party to this agreement unless presented by passengers boarding the cars at this point of intersection. All transfers from the United Railroads of San Francisco collected at the intersection of the Municipal Railway and Kearny and Larkin street lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco by Municipal Railway on its said line shall be redeemed at the end of each month by United Railroads of San Francisco at the rate of two (2) cents each; all transfers from said Municipal Railway collected at the intersection of the Municipal Railway and the Kearny and Larkin streets lines by United Railroads of San Francisco on its Larkin and Kearny streets lines, shall be redeemed at the end of each month by the City and County of San Francisco at the rate of three (3) cents each.

Transfers shall be issued under such traffic rules and regulations as shall be mutually agreed upon by the parties hereto, to prevent the misuse and abuse of the privilege.

The right, if exercised by the City, to exchange transfers at Kearny and Larkin streets shall continue from whatever date the City elects until January 1st, 1917, when further transfer arrangements may be made upon such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreed upon between the parties hereto.

The said City and County of San Francisco shall have the right, at any time, to abrogate this transfer arrangement, as to all of said intersecting lines, or any of them.

The provisions of this paragraph are and shall be without prejudice to any right which the City and County of San Francisco has, or may hereafter have, under the Constitution and laws of the State of California, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City and County of San Francisco, to re-

quire exchange of transfers at other points along the line of the Municipal Railway.

The transfer privileges herein granted shall not be extended to permit transfers from Market street lines of the United Railroads to Municipal Railway, or to permit transfers from Municipal Railway to Market street lines of United Railroads, nor shall passengers boarding a Municipal Railway car on Market street going west transfer off the Kearny street line of United Railroads of San Francisco, unless the parties hereto subsequently agree thereto.

8. Cars of the Municipal Street Railway operated by the City and County of San Francisco have the right to run through to the City Front upon the tracks to be constructed by said City and County of San Francisco on Market street from Kearny street to Sutter street, there connecting with the so-called outer tracks heretofore constructed by Sutter Street Railway Company; thence upon Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon said outer tracks.

In the event of blockade on said outer tracks, or interruption of traffic thereon, or cessation of current between Sutter street and the City Front, the City and County of San Francisco shall have the right, without cost, to switch the cars of the Geary Street Municipal Railway on to the middle tracks of the United Railroads of San Francisco until said blockade is cleared, the cause of the interruption of traffic removed, or the current resumed.

For the purpose of said switching the City and County of San Francisco shall have the right now, or at future time, to construct the necessary switching tracks at places to be selected by said City and County. In no event, however, shall the United Railroads have the reciprocal, or any right, to switch its cars on to said outer tracks.

9. It is mutually agreed by the parties hereto that this agreement shall cover the so-called loops at the City Front, or any other loops or terminal system that may hereafter be constructed, and shall permit the operation of the cars of the municipal railway upon and over said loops or terminal system and each of them.

10. The City and County of San Francisco has the right to operate its Municipal Street Railway on Geary street, formerly known, and hereinbefore referred to as Point Lobos avenue, from Thirty-third avenue to Forty-eighth avenue, over tracks of the United Railroads of San Francisco and thence to Cliff avenue, formerly Point

Lobos avenue, whenever it shall desire to do so, upon the payment of an equal proportion of the value of the tracks and appurtenances so used by the City and County of San Francisco and the United Railroads of San Francisco jointly at the time of the commencement of such use. Said value shall be determined in the manner hereinafter provided for the determination of the value of the outer tracks on lower Market street. Said United Railroads and said City and County shall be liable to pay one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement of said tracks and overhead equipment on Geary street from Thirty-third avenue to Forty-eighth avenue, after such joint operation shall have commenced. The City and County of San Francisco shall pay for the cost of current over said portion of said tracks of the United Railroads of San Francisco as in this agreement provided for the cost of current used by the City and County of San Francisco for the operation of said cars on Market street, as aforesaid.

11. No provision, word or expression in this agreement shall be construed as granting the Sutter Street Railway Company and-or its assigns any right on Market street beyond November 14, 1929.

12. This agreement is and shall be without prejudice to any right which the City and County of San Francisco has, or may hereafter have, under the Constitution and laws of the State of California, and the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco to regulate street railroads, tracks and cars and the management, maintenance and operation thereof, and without prejudice to any of its rights under ordinances of the Board of Supervisors heretofore or hereafter adopted, all of which rights are expressly reserved by said City and County; it being understood and agreed that neither the Sutter Street Railway Company nor the United Railroads of San Francisco, by consenting to this provision, shall be deemed to have waived any of its rights, except as in this agreement set forth.

13. In the event of the failure or refusal of the Supreme Court to modify said judgment in the case of The People of the State of California ex rel. D. S. O'Brien vs. Sutter Street Railway Company, in all of the respects hereinabove provided for, then this agreement shall become null and void and shall be of no force or effect whatever.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has by resolution of its Board of Supervisors caused its name to be hereunto sub-

scribed by its Mayor, and its Great Seal to be hereunto attached by the Clerk of its Board of Supervisors, and United Railroads of San Francisco and Sutter Street Railway Company have by resolution of their respective Boards of Directors caused their names to be subscribed hereto by their respective Presidents, Assistants to their Presidents or Vice-Presidents, and their respective corporate seals to be hereunto attached by their respective Secretaries, the day and year first herein above written

Done in triplicate

Attest:

Clerk.

Attest:

Attest:
CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

By Mayor.

UNITED RAILROADS OF SAN FRANCISCO.

By
SUTTER STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

By

Be it Resolved Further, that the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco be and he is hereby authorized and requested to execute said agreement with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco and the City and County of San Francisco; and whenever such agreement so executed by the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco and the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco shall have been filed with the Board of Supervisors, then and in that event the City Attorney shall be and is hereby requested, directed and authorized to enter into such agreement and stipulation as will carry out the purpose and intent of this resolution. And as a part of such stipulation and agreement upon the conditions and terms aforesaid the City Attorney is authorized, directed and requested to consent to the affirmance by the Supreme Court of the State of California of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco as modified by the agreement hereinbefore set forth in the case of The People of the State of California vs. The Sutter Street Railway Company.

Supervisor Koshland moved to amend by inserting the following:

"13. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to validate any rights, privileges or franchises granted either to the United Railroads of San Francisco or the Sutter Street Railway

Company or their predecessors which may have become or which may hereafter become invalid for any cause whatsoever."

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution, as amended, was adopted as Resolution No. 9815 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Bancroft explained by saying he would vote for permit because he thought it best we could do, but that he did not like the way the matter had been jammed through the Board without being placed on the ballot.

Supervisor Koshland explained his vote by stating that he would vote in favor of the resolution, although he feared that the omission of the clause providing for full ownership of the tracks when desired may become the cause of serious contention.

Supervisor Murphy explained his vote by saying that he was in favor of the permits and always was. He stated that he would vote for the resolution because the other side has shown a willingness to sit down and settle with the City on an amicable basis for the accommodation of the public.

Motion to Place on Ballot.

Supervisor Bancroft moved that Election Commissioners be requested to submit this on ballot as a declaration of policy so that the voters can express themselves as to whether they are in favor or against this amended agreement.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Koshland—2.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—13.

Absent—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Hocks, Nolan—3.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Giannini explained his vote by saying that he was in favor of submitting matter to people, but inasmuch as the City Attorney has advised against doing so in this manner he would vote No.

Directing City Attorney and Requesting the Attorney-General to Enter Into Stipulation With the United Railroads for Settlement of Litigation in re Use of Outer Tracks on Lower Market Street.

Resolution No. 9816 (New Series), as follows:

Whereupon, the following resolution was presented and adopted by the following vote:

Whereas, by resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, the City Attorney was directed to prepare a settlement between said City and County on the one hand and the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco on the other, wherein and whereby existing controversies and litigation in which the City is interested, involving the rights to use the tracks constructed and claimed by the Sutter Street Railway Company and the right of the United Railroads of San Francisco to object to the use of Market street from Geary street to the City Front by a municipal street railway; and

Whereas, a settlement has been agreed upon between the parties hereto under and by which the rights of all the parties herein mentioned on Market street from Geary street to the City Front, have been agreed upon and defined, and

Whereas, there is pending in the Supreme Court of the State of California an appeal on the part of the Sutter Street Railway Company in the case of the People of the State of California vs. the Sutter Street Railway Company, which said action was begun at the request of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and

Whereas, in the agreement entered into between the parties herein mentioned it is provided that a judgment of affirmance be consented to, which said judgment of affirmance will include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco by adding after the words "the Sutter Street Railway Company is excluded from the franchise and privilege of maintaining the outer or any street railway tracks on Market street, or any portion thereof, from the City Front to Sutter street and from maintaining or operating a street railway track thereon and street railroad on Market street or any part thereof, from the City Front to Sutter street," the words "except as such street railway may and shall be maintained and operated by defendant, the Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, in accordance with the terms of the stipulation entered into between the parties hereto;" and

Whereas, the City Attorney has recommended the settlement of such litigation in accordance with the terms of the agreement heretofore authorized by this Board. Now, therefore, be it

Ordained, That the City Attorney is directed and hereby ordered to enter into such stipulation with the Sutter Street Railway Company and the United Railroads of San Francisco as will carry into effect the agreement hereinabove mentioned, and the Attorney General of the State of California is hereby requested to join in such stipulation and to give his consent to the judgment of affirmation mentioned.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Gaglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the following bill was presented and *passed for printing*:

Granting Permission to the Sutter Street Railway Company to Operate Overhead Trolley System on Outer Tracks on Lower Market Street Until November 14, 1929.

Bill No. 2315, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting the Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, permission to and including November 14, 1929, to operate an overhead trolley system on Market street, from Sansome street to the City Front, in accordance with the terms and agreements this day authorized."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Gaglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Granting Revocable Permit to United Railroads to Use Portions of Bay and Laguna Streets for Street Railway Purposes.

The following Bill was also introduced and *passed for printing* by the following vote:

Bill No. 2316, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes, subject to the conditions imposed herein.

Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to the United Railroads of San Francisco to lay down, construct, maintain and operate certain street railways in the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

First: To lay down, construct, maintain and operate a double track street railroad, upon and along the following streets, namely: Commencing at

the intersection of Polk and Bay streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, there connecting with street railway tracks to be constructed on said Polk street; thence running westerly along said Bay street to a point approximately one hundred and fifty feet west of the westerly line of Van Ness avenue; and thence curving into Fort Mason Military Reservation, there to connect with certain railway tracks to be constructed within said reservation, in accordance with a revocable license issued to the United Railroads of San Francisco by the Secretary of War of the United States, under date of October 16, 1912.

Together with permission, likewise revocable at the pleasure of this Board, to operate said street railway by the overhead electric system.

Second: To lay down, construct, maintain and operate a single track street railway upon and along the following streets, namely: Curving out of Fort Mason Military Reservation at a point on Laguna street approximately fifty feet south of the south line of Beach street; thence south along Laguna street to a point approximately twenty-five feet north of the south line of North Point street; thence curving into Fort Mason Military Reservation, there to connect with the railway tracks to be constructed in Fort Mason Military Reservation in accordance with the revocable license of the Secretary of War above referred to.

Together with permission likewise revocable at the pleasure of this Board, to operate said street railway by the overhead electric system.

Section 2. This permission hereby given is subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. That the Board of Supervisors may revoke this permit at any time without notice, and within forty-eight hours after receiving notice of such revocation said United Railroads shall cease operating its cars over any tracks constructed under the authority herein granted, and within three months thereafter shall remove all tracks, poles, wires and appurtenances in said streets and shall restore such streets to as good a condition as before such removal, and upon a failure to remove such tracks, poles, wires, and appurtenances, the same shall revert to and become the property of the City and County, and no claim for damage on account of such reversion shall be made against said City and County or its officers.

1a. That the City and County of San Francisco shall have the privilege at any time of taking over all trackage constructed under the terms of the permit located on city streets, upon payment to the United Railroads of the full appraised value thereof.

2. That no assignment of any right herein granted shall be made by said United Railroads without first obtaining consent of the Board of Supervisors.

2a. That the said United Railroads shall pay to the City and County of San Francisco as a consideration for the use of said track privilege a proportion of the gross earnings of the Polk street route as now operated and known as "9th and Polk," which percentage is to be determined in the proportion which the length of the new track privilege bears to the total length of the Polk street operating line, to-wit:

Polk and Larkin Line, Brannan to Bay Sts., center line to center line	14236 ft.
Bay Street Extension center line of Polk Street to Ft. Mason line	753 ft.
Laguna Street Loop from Ft. Mason line	344 ft.
	1097 ft.

Total

Taxable mileage, per cent of entire line including extension. Pct.

(1) Bay street only..... 5.02

(2) Bay St. and Laguna St. loop

Per centage of gross receipts:

(1) Bay street only..... 0.15

(2) Bay street including Laguna street loop

3. That under the order of the Board of Supervisors, said United Railroads shall pave the entire roadway of the streets occupied by its tracks, and construct such terminal system and facilities as may be deemed necessary for the convenience of the public.

4. That the City and County, for the purpose of operating a municipal street railway, shall have the right to use the tracks and appurtenances constructed in the streets under this permit, or any portion thereof, and also to use all or any portion of the tracks, terminals and appurtenances constructed by said United Railroads with the Fort Mason Military Reservation, sharing with said United Railroads the expense of operation and installation under such working and business agreement as may be approved by the Secretary of War.

Before exercising any rights under this ordinance, the United Railroads of San Francisco, by its proper officers, shall execute its acceptance hereof and file the same in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Payot—13.

Noes—Supervisors Murdock, Vogelsang—2.

Absent—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hocks, Nolan—3.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Recommendation of Supervisors to Electors That Proposed Bond Issues Be Approved.

Resolution No. 9817 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors has submitted to the people for their approval at a special election to be held on December 20, 1912, certain bond issues, to-wit:

1. Sutro property	\$700,000
2. City and County Hospital and Jail.....	1,700,000
3. Aquatic park.....	800,000
4. Twin Peaks	200,000
5. Police and fire signal system	750,000

and

Whereas, this Board of Supervisors believes that public necessity and a regard for the continued welfare of the people demand the passage of these bonds; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Board of Supervisors unanimously recommends said bonds with its approval to the electorate, and urges every qualified voter to vote for their passage; and be it

Further Resolved, That the Publicity Committee of this Board of Supervisors is hereby authorized and instructed to issue suitable literature and to take such other means as in its judgment may be necessary, to properly lay the object, scope and necessity for such bond issues before the people.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, the Board at the hour of 5:05 p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

MONDAY NOVEMBER 18, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, November 18, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.
READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of November 11, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Protest of Labor Council Against Franchise Amendment.

The following communication was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From the San Francisco Labor Council, transmitting resolutions of said organization against the submission of Charter Amendment No. 34, relating to the granting of franchises, to the electors at this time.

Ordered referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Relative to Boundaries of the Assessment District for Proposed Fillmore Street Tunnel.

The following communication was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Divisadero Street Improvement Association, inviting Supervisors to attend meeting of said association in Turn Verein Hall, Sutter, near Divisadero street, on Monday evening, November 18, 1912, at 8:30 p. m., for the purpose of discussing the boundaries of the assessment district of the proposed Fillmore street tunnel.

Ordered referred to the Lands and Tunnels Committee.

Protest Against Charter Amendment No. 9, Relative to Department of Electricity.

The following matter was presented and read by Clerk:

Communication—From the California State Association of Electrical Contractors, opposing Charter Amendment No. 9, and requesting that it be not approved by Board of Supervisors.

Ordered referred to Judiciary Committee.

Invitation to Attend General Meeting of North Beach Promotion Association.

The following invitation was presented, read and accepted:

Communication—From North Beach Promotion Association, inviting Supervisors to attend its next general meeting to be held on Wednesday, November 20, 1912, at Jean Parker School, Broadway, between Powell and Mason streets.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented the following reports, which were received, read and ordered filed:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, Chairman.

Health Committee, by Supervisor Cagliero, Chairman.

Lighting Service and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee, by Supervisor Payot, Chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9818 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund, 1911-1912.

Seagrave Co., motor propelled Tractor, Fire Dept. (claim dated June 29, 1912) \$6,943.00

Seagrave Co., two motor hose wagons and chemical engines, Fire Dept. (claim dated June 29, 1912) 14,562.00

School Bond Fund, 1908.

Chas. E. Thomas Co., 6th payment, heating and ventilating, Girls' High School (claim dated Nov. 4, 1912) 2,400.00

The J. Looney Co., plumbing, Girls' High School, 4th payment (claim dated Oct. 18, 1912) 2,943.75

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Contra Costa Construction Co., 3rd payment, hauling and laying mains, contract 49 (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912) 25,709.15

Caldwell & Co., 7th payment, Fort Mason Pumping Station, contract 34 (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912) 5,029.55

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

Grant Fee, 1st payment, completion San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Nov. 4, 1912) 6,975.00

Butte Engr. & Elec. Co., 2nd payment, electric wiring, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912) 4,350.00

Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.

McLean, Haggans & Aden, 5th payment, construction Islais Creek Incinerator, contract 3 (claim dated Nov. 4, 1912) 12,178.50

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue, July 1, 1910.

F. Rolandi, 4th payment

construction of car house, etc. (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	30,192.94	pairs (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912)	774.32
Gruver & McCafferty, 2d pay- ment, underground conduit (claim dated Nov. 4, 1912)	12,004.54	Massachusetts Bonding & In- surance Co., 14th payment southerly section Mission street Viaduct (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	6,199.05
Julius Heyman Co., 1st pay- ment, redwood cross-ties (claim dated Oct. 23, 1912)	5,409.61	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., lighting, month of October, 1912 (claim dated Nov. 7, 1912)	35,040.91
<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue, 1912.</i>		The San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, im- pounding, etc., animals for October, 1912 (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912)	850.00
Edward J. Dollard, Delia Hasty et al., for purchase of land southwest corner of Polk and Fulton streets, 48 ft. by 82½ ft. (claim dated Nov. 2, 1912)	20,423.94	J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, etc., Police Department (claim dated Oct. 25, 1912)	732.40
William Cohen, for purchase of land southwest corner of Larkin and Birch streets, 30 ft. by 100 ft. (claim dated Nov. 2, 1912)	52,093.38	M. Finlayson, 1st payment general construction, Chemical Engine House No. 12 (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912)	2,391.00
<i>Sewer Bond Fund, 1984.</i>		Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli- eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.	
Karl Ehrhart, 2nd payment, Woolsey street sewer (claim dated Nov. 4, 1912)	2,380.80	Authorizing Payment of \$17,000 to Bake- well & Brown, Architects, for Prepara- tion of City Hall Plans.	
C. J. Harney, 2nd payment, Brannan street sewer, 1st street, to Central place (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	4,291.06	Resolution No. 9819 (New Series), as follows:	
State Construction Co., 4th payment, Stanyan street sewer, Frederick street to Oak street (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	3,795.38	Resolved, That the sum of seven- teen thousand dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be expended out of City Hall-Civic Center Im- provement Fund, Bond Issue 1912, for payment to Bakewell and Brown, architects, for preparation of City Hall plans as per contract.	
<i>Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.</i>		Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli- eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.	
Daniel Contracting Co., 5th payment, contract 17, North Point Main Sewer (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	11,061.66	Providing \$1265 for Payment of Services of Delos F. Wilcox, Franchise Expert.	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 2nd payment, contract 48, North Point Main sewer (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	10,851.38	Resolution No. 9820 (New Series), as follows:	
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., 5th payment, contract 47, North Point Main sewer (claim dated Nov. 6, 1912)	7,067.25	Whereas, there was adopted on the fourteenth day of October, 1912, by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco Journal Res- olution No. 455, extending an invita- tion to Dr. Delos F. Wilcox to come to San Francisco for the purpose of con- sulting with the Board relative to pro- posed amendments affecting franchise matters, and	
<i>Library Fund.</i>		Whereas, the said Dr. Delos F. Wil- cox stated that he would come to San Francisco for such consultation for the sum of one thousand dollars and ex- penses; and	
Geo. A. Mullin for G. E. Stechert & Co., books for Public Library (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	898.82	Whereas, the Board of Supervisors accepted such offer and Dr. Wilcox came to San Francisco and assisted in the preparation of the Public Utility	
Emporium, books for Public Library (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	722.21		
<i>General Fund, 1912-1913, Budget Item No. 34.</i>			
Delos F. Wilcox, services drafting Charter Amend- ments, etc. ((claim dated Nov. 8, 1912)	1,265.00		
Lawson Roofing Co., repairs to school buildings (claim dated Oct. 26, 1912)	552.00		
Ajax Brass & Iron Works, iron work for sewer re-			

and Franchise Charter Amendments to be submitted to the Electors December 10th, 1912; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the sum of twelve hundred and sixty-five dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Investigation of Public Utility Fund, Budget Item No. 34, in full payment for the services and expenses of the said Delos F. Wilcox.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
Calling and providing for Special Bond
Election.

Bill No. 2313, Ordinance No. 2084
(New Series).

Calling and providing for a special election to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on the 20th day of December, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County five propositions to incur a bonded indebtedness by said City and County for : (1) The acquisition of certain lands and improvements thereon, being a portion of "Sutro Property" located contiguous to Lincoln Park; (2) the completion of certain municipal buildings known as the San Francisco Hospital and County Jail; (3) the acquisition of certain lands for a public aquatic park; (4) the acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park; (5) the construction of a fire and police signal system (including buildings) and the acquisition of lands therefor; this Ordinance being the second of a series of ordinances to be adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco under and by virtue of which it is proposed to incur a bonded indebtedness of said City and County for the purposes herein enumerated.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
Calling and Providing for Charter Elec-
tion.

Bill No. 2314, Ordinance No. 2085
(New Series), entitled, "Calling and ordering a special election to be held on the 10th day of December, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors propositions to amend the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, as herein set forth, and providing for the manner of conducting such election, and designating the election precincts, polling places and names of the election officers of such precincts."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,

Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Boiler, Oil and Garage Permits.

Resolution No. 9821 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following revoca-
ble permits are hereby granted:

Boiler.

Masonic Hall Association Building,
northwest corner of Van Ness avenue
and Oak street, for heating purposes.

Storage Tanks.

Andrew Peninou, 3407 Sacramento
street, capacity 2000 gallons.

Pacific Telephone and Telegraph
Company, west side of Hyde street 84
feet north of Sutter street, capacity
1500 gallons.

J. R. Hodson, north side of Lily
street, 286 feet west of Franklin street,
capacity 1500 gallons.

Garage.

A. F. Hoch, southwest side of Eighth
street, 137 feet 6 inches northwest of
Mission street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot Vogelsang—16.

Stable Permits.

Resolution No. 9822 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revoca-
ble at the will of the Board of Super-
visors, and in accordance with Sections
197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008
(New Series), be and is hereby granted
to the following named to maintain
stables at the hereinafter described lo-
cations, to-wit:

B. Ramorino, in rear of 4298 Mis-
sion street, for two horses.

E. G. A. Haderer, on west side of
Redondo street, about 75 feet south
of Thirty-third avenue, for two horses.

William Fest and Max Blumenfeld,
at southeast corner of Post and Brod-
erick streets, for thirty-five horses.

J. F. Makowski, on west side of
Twenty-sixth avenue, between Lincoln
way and Irving street, for four horses,
for a period of six months from No-
vember 1, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Recommended.

The following resolution was pre-
sented and on motion ordered recom-
mended to the Fire Committee:

Fire Commissioners to Cause Touring
Cars of the Department to be Changed
and Equipped with Portable Chemical
Tanks.

Whereas, the efficiency of motor
driven fire fighting apparatus has been
clearly demonstrated, and has received

the unqualified recommendation of the Chief of the Fire Department, the Board of Fire Commissioners and this Board of Supervisors, and,

Whereas, there are at present three touring cars in the service of the Fire Department which cannot possibly be necessary, but which can be made of material assistance in fire fighting by removing the tonneaus and substituting portable chemical tanks, which can be used either by chiefs or their operators in the speedy extinction of fires of smaller magnitude, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Fire Commissioners be and they are hereby requested to make these changes in at least two of the machines with all possible speed out of Budget Item No. 430.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Installation of Water Pipe in Forest Hill.
Permit to Newell-Murdoch Realty Co.

Resolution No. 9823 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, on the 30th day of September, 1912, and October 7, 1912, petitions were filed with the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco by the Newell-Murdoch Realty Company, asking for permission to install and maintain an 8-inch pipe for the purpose of supplying water to the residents of the Forest Hill property, said pipe to connect with the pumping station of the Spring Valley Water Company at Laguna Honda; and

Whereas, the petition filed by said Company on the 7th day of October, 1912, was accompanied by a blue print map showing the location of the proposed pipe under and through the Relief Home Tract, which blue print map shows that the said pipe would extend across the said Relief Home Tract a distance of 64.34 feet; and

Whereas, A communication from the City Attorney stated that the granting of such permit will not impair the rights of the City and County, provided certain conditions are complied with by the said Newell-Murdoch Realty Company, and the City Engineer having advised that the pipe to be installed is of sufficient size to accommodate the needs of the Forest Hill properties; now therefore be it

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted the said Newell-Murdoch Realty Company to install and maintain said pipe in accordance with its said petition and the blue print accompanying the same, which is hereby referred to and made a part hereof, for the purpose of supplying water to the Forest Hill properties, subject to the following conditions which are

hereby agreed to by the said Newell-Murdoch Realty Company:

1. That the titles to said pipe installed under and across the Relief Home property as per blue print map, be transferred and conveyed to the City and County of San Francisco.

2. That a connection with said pipe be made on the property of the Relief Home Tract, at a point to be selected by the Superintendent of the Relief Home, for the purpose of supplying water for fire protection, and the said Newell-Murdoch Realty Company hereby agrees to supply water for the purpose of fire protection to be taken from said pipe at the point selected by said Superintendent.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdoch, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 9824 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Williams and Finnigan are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts during the construction of a sewer in Rhode Island street between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided, also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by said Williams and Finnigan, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdoch, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$351,242.70 and numbered consecutively 28,999 to 29,691, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed

and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

NEW BUUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printings*

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, that the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.

John Daniel, final payment, construction section "G" North Point main sewer (claim dated November 12, 1912) \$25,621.61

Rocco Cereghino and Asunta Depaoli et al., for purchase of land approximately 25 by 200 feet, between Geneva and Huron avenues for sewer right of way (claim dated October 31, 1912) 1,000.00

Sewer Bond Fund, 1904.

Williams and Finnigan, final payment, sewer construction, Steuart street between Howard and Folsom streets, (claim dated November 4, 1912) 4,614.98

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

Robinson Nugent, repaving over side sewers (claim dated November 1, 1912) 966.98

Park Fund.

The Lewis Motor Truck Co., 1 motor truck (claim dated October 19, 1912) 4,750.00

Geary Street Railway Fund, July 1, 1910.

John G. Sutton Co., first payment, power conductors (claim dated November 7, 1912) 578.65

P. J. Gartland, track construction (claim dated November 7, 1912) 1,170.00

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

Pacific Fire Extinguisher Co., second payment, heating and ventilating, San Francisco hospitals (claim dated November 11, 1912) 750.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvements Fund, 1912.

John Reid, Jr., retaining fee

in accordance with resolution No. 16838 of Board of Public Works (claim dated November 14, 1912) 2,500.00

Frederick H. Meyer, retaining fee in accordance with resolution No. 16838 of Board of Public Works (claim dated November 14, 1912) 2,500.00

Philip Paschel, appraising Civic Center property (claim dated November 4, 1912) 800.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Coast Improvement Co., final payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, contract 48 (claim dated November 12, 1912) 2,376.40

General Fund 1912-1913.

Daily Journal of Commerce, printing notice of election (claim dated October 30, 1912) 539.25

McSheehy Bros., furnishing election booths September 3 and November 5, 1912 (claim dated November 8, 1912) 2,825.10

Neal Publishing Co., printing supplement to Great Register (claim dated November 4, 1912) 824.96

Sun Tent & Awning Co., election tents (claim dated October 19, 1912) 4,400.00

Union Transfer Co., hauling election supplies per contract (claim dated November 4, 1912) 511.00

Whitcomb Estate by James Otis, trustee, rent, temporary City Hall, November, 1912 (claim dated November 9, 1912) 5,250.00

Donald Ward Williams, administrator of estate of A. P. Williams, erroneous payment of taxes (claim dated October 30, 1912) .. 837.60

Sperry Flour Co., flour, etc., Relief Home (claim dated November 1, 1912) 942.90

Sherry Freitas Co., Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim dated November 1, 1912) 1,549.85

Peter Caubu, milk, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated November 4, 1912) 664.95

P. J. Gartland, first payment, paving of Geary street (claim dated November 6, 1912) 7,156.42

Antioch Sand Co., sand (claim dated November 6, 1912) 1,351.94

Barber Asphalt Co., asphalt

(claim dated November 6, 1912)	3,235.53
Pacific Portland Cement Co., lime rock dust (claim dated November 6, 1912)	1,726.00
Spring Valley Water Co., water for streets month of October (claim dated November 6, 1912)	649.68
City Street Improvement Co., first payment, paving Lincoln Way, (claim dated November 7, 1912)..	3,729.38
Fay Improvement Co., grading and paving Arkansas street, between 17th and Mariposa streets (claim dated November 1, 1912)	1,000.00
O. C. Holt, fourth payment general construction, Engine House No. 28 (claim dated November 12, 1912)	5,955.00
The Rincon Publishing Co., printing public documents (claim dated November 15, 1912)	847.71

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series):

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 549.	
For borings to determine nature of ground along the line of Twin Peaks tunnel; additional appropriation..	\$1,500.00
For preparation of plans and specifications for proposed Fillmore street tunnel; additional appropriation	1,500.00
For paying City's portion of the cost of constructing a sewer in Fourteenth avenue, between Geary and Anza streets, in front of City property	696.35
City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912.	
For payment of retaining fee to John Galen Howard, consulting architect, in accordance with Resolution No. 16838 of the Board of Public Works.....	\$2,500.00
Geary Street Railway Fund, 1910.	
For plans and inspection, Geary Street Railway, additional appropriation.....	\$10,000.00

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Accepting Statement of the United Railroads as Lessee of the Gough Street

Railroad Company and the Parkside Transit Company Showing Percentages Due City on Gross Receipts from Passenger Fares.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9825 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, the United Railroads of San Francisco as lessee of the Gough Street Railroad Company, and as lessee of the Parkside Transit Company, and on its own behalf, has filed with the Board of Supervisors statements showing the taxable receipts arising under the franchises granted by ordinances Nos. 288, 425, 1196 and 1460, which franchises grant permission to operate and maintain street railroads.

And Whereas, the sum of \$64.47 being three percentum of the taxable receipts of said Gough Street Railroad Company for the months of September and October, 1912, and the sum of \$233.90 being three percentum of the taxable receipts of said Parkside Transit Company for the months of September and October, 1912, and the sum of \$319.00, being three percentum of the taxable receipts of the Parnassus Avenue extension of the United Railroads of San Francisco for the months of September and October, 1912, are now due and payable to the City and County of San Francisco, under the terms of the several franchises hereinbefore noted,

And Whereas, said statements have been examined and verified by William Dolge, Expert to the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the aforesaid statements be and are hereby accepted and approved, and that the said United Railroads of San Francisco, on its own behalf, and as lessee of the Gough Street Railroad Company, and as lessee of the Parkside Transit Company, be and is hereby directed to deposit the sum of \$617.37 with the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, said sum to be placed by the City Treasurer to the credit of the General Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
Board of Public Works Authorized and Directed to Advertise for Proposals for Grading Roadway of San Bruno Avenue from Dwight Street to Railroad Avenue.

Also, Resolution No. 9826 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading of the roadway of San

Bruno avenue, from Dwight street to Railroad avenue.

Further Resolved, That a sufficient sum will be set aside by the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors for the grading of said roadway when bids for said grading shall have been received.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
Board of Public Works Authorized and
Directed to Advertise for Proposals for
Paving and Curbing Highland Avenue
Between Mission Street and Holly Park
Circle in Front of City Property.

Also, Resolution No. 9827 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the paving and curbing of Highland avenue, between Mission street and Holly Park Circle in front of City property.

Further Resolved. That a sufficient sum will be set aside by the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors for the paving and curbing in front of said City property when bids for same shall have been received.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Giving Notice of Bond Elections.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:
Bill No. 2317, Ordinance No. —
(New Series) entitled, "Giving notice of a special election to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on the 20th day of December, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County five propositions to incur a bonded indebtedness by said City and County for:
(1) The acquisition of certain lands and improvements thereon, being a portion of "Sutro Property" located contiguous to Lincoln Park; (2) the completion of certain municipal buildings known as the San Francisco Hospital and County Jail; (3) the acquisition of certain lands for a public aquatic park; (4) the acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park; (5) the construction of a fire and police signal system (including buildings) and the acquisition of lands therefor; this ordinance being the third of a series of ordinances to be adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco under and by virtue of which it is proposed to incur a bonded indebtedness of said City and

County for the purposes herein enumerated."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Boiler and Oil Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boiler.

Marin County Milk Producers, No.
15 Oak Grove street, fifteen horse-
power, for pasteurizing milk.

Storage Tanks.

Patrick A. Dolan, south side of
Lombard street 137 feet 6 inches east
of Pierce street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Marin County Milk Producers, No.
15 Oak Grove street, capacity 1500 gal-
lons.

Behlow Estate Company, northwest
corner of Clay and Montgomery
streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

J. B. V. Laplace, east side of Polk
street 85 feet south of Turk street, ca-
pacity 1500 gallons.

J. Barbe, 1533 Pacific street, capacity
1500 gallons.

Meyer Estate, north corner of Sixth
and Minna street, capacity 2000 gal-
lons.

Greenwich Terrace House Holding
Association, southwest corner of Green-
wich and Leavenworth streets, capac-
ity 2000 gallons.

Henry Browning, southwest corner
of Mason and Clay streets, capacity
1500 gallons.

California Milk Co., south side of
Bay street 126 feet 3 inches west of
Taylor street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were
adopted:

Denying Laundry Permit.

Resolution No. 9828 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That in the exercise of
the sound and reasonable discretion of
the Board of Supervisors, permission
is hereby denied S. Baba to establish,
maintain and conduct a laundry at the
southwest corner of Ellis and Bourbin
streets, or to maintain a boiler on the
west side of Bourbin street 75 feet
south of Ellis street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Denying Cabinet Shop Permit.

Also, Resolution No. 9829 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in the exercise of the
sound and reasonable discretion of the
Board of Supervisors, permission is

hereby denied the Parquet Flooring and Manufacturing Company to conduct a cabinet shop at 1731 Fifteenth street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series) be and is hereby granted to Vittorio Noce, to maintain a stable for one horse in the rear of 371 Paris street.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Denying Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 497.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission be denied to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

Ferro Bros., on south side of Twenty-third street, 25 feet west of York street, for eight additional horses.

The Soko Transfer Company, on the southeast line of Federal street, 80 feet northeast of Second street, for thirty horses.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Install and Remove Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 498.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Co be and is hereby instructed to install and remove street lamps as follows:

Install Single Top Gas Lamps.

One at north side of Winter lane 80 feet east of Mason street.

One at north side of Shipley street 120 feet west of Fourth street.

Two on Lilac street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets.

One on Joice street, between California and Sacramento streets.

One on north side of Geary street 103 feet west of Fillmore street.

One on south side of Geary street, 206 feet west of Fillmore street.

One at southeast corner of Geary and Steiner streets.

One at northwest corner of Geary and Steiner streets.

One on south side of Geary street 99 feet west of Steiner street.

One on north side of Geary street 198 feet west of Steiner street.

One on south side of Geary street 297 feet west of Steiner street.

One on north side of Geary street 396 feet west of Steiner street.

One on south side of Geary street 495 feet west of Steiner street.

One on north side of Geary street 594 feet west of Steiner street.

One on south side of Geary street 693 feet west of Steiner street.

One on north side of Geary street 792 feet west of Steiner street.

One on southeast corner of Geary and Scott streets.

One on northwest corner of Geary and Scott streets.

One on south side of Geary street 103 feet west of Scott street.

One on north side of Geary street 206 feet west of Scott street.

One on north side of Geary street 103 feet west of Divisadero street.

One on south side of Geary street 206 feet west of Divisadero street.

One at southeast corner of Geary and Broderick streets.

One at northwest corner of Geary and Broderick streets.

One at southeast corner of Geary street and Masonic avenue.

One on north side of Geary street 200 feet west of Broderick street.

One at northeast corner of Geary and Baker streets.

One at southwest corner of Geary and Baker streets.

One at north side of Geary street 103 feet west of Baker street.

One at south side of Geary street 206 feet west of Baker street.

One at southeast corner of Geary and Lyon streets.

One at the south side of Geary street 86 feet west of Lyon street.

One at north side of Geary street 172 feet west of Lyon street.

Remove Single Top Gas Lamps.

One on south side of Geary street 148 feet west of Fillmore street.

One on southwest corner of Geary and Steiner streets.

One on south side of Geary street 310 feet west of Steiner street.

One on north side of Geary street 472 feet west of Steiner street.

One on south side of Geary street 633 feet west of Steiner street.

One on southwest corner of Geary and Scott streets.

One on north side of Geary street 175 feet west of Scott street.

One on south side of Geary street 187 feet west of Divisadero street.

One on southwest corner of Geary

and Broderick streets.

One on north side of Geary street 151 feet west of Broderick street.

One on northwest corner of Geary and Baker streets.

One on north side of Geary street 122 feet west of Baker street.

One on north side of Geary street 116 feet west of Lyon street.

Install Arc Lamps.

One at corner of Rhode Island and Mariposa streets.

One at corner of Garden lane and Islais Creek.

One at corner of Cotter street and Islais Creek.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Masquerade Ball Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 499.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to wit:

Portola Circle No. 78, U. A. O. D., November 23, 1912, at University Mound Hall, No. 2438 San Bruno avenue.

Independent Finnish Temperance Association, December 14, 1912, at Finnish Temperance Hall, No. 425 Hoffman avenue.

Hannoveraner Verein, January 4, 1913, at the German House, Polk and Turk streets.

Chevra Shaave Refooah, March 23, 1913, at Dreamland Rink, Steiner and Post streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Granting National Ice and Cold Storage Company Permission to Install Water Main in Langton Street.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, that permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to The National Ice and Cold Storage Company to lay a 6-inch cast-iron water main from the property of the Company situate on the easterly line of Langton street about 375 feet north

of Bryant street; thence southerly along the easterly line of Langton street to connect with the main of The National Ice and Cold Storage Company now laid on the south side of Bryant street, which is operating the National Ice and Cold Storage Company plant at Kansas and Division streets; provided the said pipe shall be laid under the supervision and direction of the Board of Public Works; provided further, that the National Ice and Cold Storage Company shall pave the roadway over said pipe and keep the same in repair.

Referred to City Attorney.

The following bills were introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on motion ordered *referred to City Attorney*:

Approving and Accepting Deed for Opening of Ocean Avenue.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series)

"Approving and accepting a deed of lands from the Residential Development Company of San Francisco (a corporation), for the opening of Ocean avenue from the easterly line of Plymouth avenue to the westerly line of Corbett avenue."

Approving and Accepting Deed to Lands for Opening of Corbett Avenue.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Approving and accepting a deed of lands from the Residential Company of San Francisco (a corporation), for the opening of Corbett avenue from the easterly line of the San Miguel Rancho to the westerly line of the San Miguel Rancho."

Passed for Printing.

The following bills were *passed for printing*:

Establishing Grades, Shepard Place.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2318, Ordinance No. —, (New Series) entitled, "Establishing grades on Shepard place."

Full Acceptance, Geary Street.

Also Bill No. 2319, Ordinance No. —, entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Geary street between Seventh and Eighth avenues."

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Also Bill No. 2320, Ordinance No. —, entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Anza street and Fifteenth avenue; crossing of Burrows street and San Bruno avenue; crossing of Balboa street and Sixteenth avenue."

Also Bill No. 2321, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled "Chang-

ing and re-establishing the official grades on Gates street between Powhattan and Eugenia avenues."

Also Bill No. 2322, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Clifford street between Pluto street and Upper Terrace, and on Pluto street between Lower Terrace and the northerly boundary line of San Miguel Rancho."

Also Bill No. 2323, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Arkansas street between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets."

Also, Bill No. 2324, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Norwich street between Alabama and Harrison streets; on Harrison street between Norwich and Ripley street between Folsom and Alabama streets."

Also, Bill No. 2325, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Caselli avenue between Danvers street and Falcon avenue on Falcon avenue between Danvers street and Caselli avenue; on Danvers street between Caselli and Falcon avenues, and on Mono street between Eagle street and Corbett avenue."

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2326, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same."

The provisions of which order the following street work, to-wit:

That artificial stone sidewalks nine (9) feet in width be constructed on Twenty-third avenue, between California and Clement streets, where artificial stone sidewalks at least six (6) feet in width are not already constructed.

That Twenty-third avenue between Geary and Clement streets be improved by constructing thereon artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width where artificial stone sidewalks at least six (6) feet in width are not already constructed.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

A 15-inch with 1 brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Ulloa street, between the center and westerly lines of Seventeenth avenue.

A 12-inch along the center line of Ulloa street between the easterly and center lines of Seventeenth avenue; and an 8-inch along the center line of Seventeenth avenue between the center and northerly lines of Ulloa street.

That an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer with 27 Y branches and one brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Rhode Island street from the southerly line of Twentieth street to a point 328 feet southerly therefrom; that an 8-inch vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer be constructed along the center line of Rhode Island street between the center and southerly lines of Twentieth street; and that a 12-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed iron-stone pipe sewer with one brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Rhode Island street between the center and northerly lines of Twentieth street.

That an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer with 32 Y branches and three brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Kansas street from a point 20 feet southerly from Twentieth street to a point 416 feet southerly from Twentieth street; that an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer be constructed along a line at right angles to the center line of Kansas street at a point 416 feet southerly from Twentieth street from the center line of Kansas street to a point five feet easterly from the westerly line thereof; that an 8-inch vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer with 48 Y branches and four brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along a line parallel with and five feet at right angles easterly from the westerly line of Kansas street from a point 416 feet southerly from Twentieth street to Twenty-second street; and that an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer be constructed from a point on the northerly line of Twenty-second street five feet easterly from the westerly line of Kansas street to the point of intersection of the center line of Twenty-second street and the center line of Kansas street.

That the crossing of Judah street and Twenty-seventh avenue be improved by the construction of redwood curbs and broken rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof; by the construction of a broken rock pave-

ment on the roadway thereof; and by the construction of the following vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewers and appurtenances:

A twelve (12) inch along the center line of Twenty-seventh avenue, between the center and northerly lines of Judah street; an eight (8) inch with one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Judah street, between the center and easterly lines of Twenty-seventh avenue and an eight (8) inch along the center line of Twenty-seventh avenue between the center and southerly lines of Judah street.

That Bacon street between Girard street and San Bruno avenue be improved by constructing granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9830 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Corbett avenue in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office on November 6, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Also, Resolution No. 9831 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Park street in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office on October 22, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Resolution No. 9832 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Polk, Chestnut and Francisco streets in accordance with rec-

ommendation of the Board of Public Works, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Spring Valley Water Company to Extend Main in Nineteenth Avenue and Taraval Street to New Fire House.

J. R. No. 500.

Resolved, That the Spring Valley Water Company is hereby directed to extend the four-inch main in Nineteenth avenue and Taraval street to the site of the proposed fire house now in course of construction on the east line of Nineteenth avenue, 225 feet north of Rivera street, for water service.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Relative to Removal of Obstructions from Berry Street.

Also, J. R. No. 501.

Whereas, Numerous complaints have been made to the Committee on Streets and Sewers regarding the obstructions on the roadway of Berry street, between Third and Fourth streets, caused by the lumber yard and machine shop in said block; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to cause the lumber and obstructions to be kept off the roadway of said street, so that the same may be open to public use as a public street.

Further Resolved, That the Board of Public Works advise the Board of Supervisors why the lumber has not been removed from the roadway of Berry street, between Second and Third streets, as directed by Journal Resolution No. 459.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

(Clerk directed to obtain report from Board of Public Works as to what has been done in matter of other resolutions on same subject.)

Santa Fe Railway Company to Construct Drawbridge at Kentucky Street Across Islais Creek.

Also, J. R. No. 502.

Whereas, The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, as the successor in interest of the San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railway Company, crosses the Islais Creek channel diagonally through Kentucky street, under a franchise granted by Ordinance No. 260, approved April 4, 1901, providing that said San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railway Company will, at any time when required by resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, construct a drawbridge across the waterway known upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco as Islais Creek Channel, sufficient to accommodate travel upon said street, or any drawbridges that may be required by said Board of Supervisors, over any other channel which exists now or may hereafter exist; the same to be built under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works; therefore

Resolved, That the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company (a corporation), as the successor in interest of the San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railway Company (a corporation), is hereby directed to construct a drawbridge at Kentucky street across the waterway known upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco as Islais Creek Channel, sufficient to accommodate the travel upon said street; the said drawbridge to be built under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION
OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MO-
TIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR RE-
PORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
Supervisor Jennings Appointed Mayor
Pro Tem.

J. R. No. 503.

Resolved, That Supervisor Jennings be and is hereby elected President pro tem of this Board, and as such to act as Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco during the absence of his Honor James Rolph, Jr.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-

eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.
On motion of Supervisor George E.
Gallagher:

**Street Signs to be Distributed to Im-
provement Club.**

J. R. No. 504.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby requested to have the Superintendent of Public Buildings distribute the street signs now in his possession to the improvement clubs who wish to install the said signs in their respective districts.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock,
Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and on his motion ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee:

**United Railroads to Remove Defective
Wheels from its Cars and Place and
Keep Same in Cleanly Condition.**

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, complaint has been made by property owners and residents living along Polk street that the cars of the United Railroads on said street are equipped with flat wheels which cause intolerable noise and destroy the rest and peace of the neighborhood, and

Whereas, complaint is also made that the cars of said company are uncleanly and a menace to the health of the patrons of the road; therefore be it

Resolved, That the United Railroads be and it is hereby requested to cause the defective wheels on all of its cars to be removed and said cars to be placed and kept in a cleanly and sanitary condition.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Payot and ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee:

**Board of Public Works to Explain Why
No Work has Been Done During Past
Month on the Polytechnic High School.**

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, no laborers or mechanics have been employed on the Polytechnic High School for a month past and work thereon has been at an absolute standstill, and

Whereas, the steel and other structural material is lying on the ground exposed to the inclemency of the weather; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to furnish the Board of Supervisors at as early a date as possible with an explanation

as to why no work has been done on the Polytechnic High School during the past month.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Publicity and Judiciary Committees to Inaugurate a Campaign for Charter Amendment Election.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

J. R. No. 505.

Resolved, That the Committee on Publicity and the Judiciary Committee be and they are hereby authorized and directed to inaugurate and prosecute a campaign for the purpose of explaining to the public the pending Charter amendments.

Relative to Use of Streets for Street Lighting Purposes.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and on motion of Supervisor Hayden referred to the *Lighting Committee* by the following vote:

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That any resolutions or orders of this Board to install street lights at any given location shall not be construed to grant any rights to use any street for any purpose other than to operate such street lights, and the right is reserved to this Board to discontinue any street light and when so discontinued all fixtures supplying the same shall be removed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—9.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Koshland, McCarthy, Payot—6.

Absent—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, McLeran, Vogelsang—3.

Passed for Printing.

The following bill was introduced under suspension of the rules and passed for printing:

Ordering Construction of Fire House, Girard and Wilde Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Bill No. 2327, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows: Ordering the construction of a fire house on property situate at intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract

for the construction of said fire engine house, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars, out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes," in the budget of the fiscal year 1912-1913, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized, instructed and empowered to enter into contract for the construction of a fire engine house on land belonging to the City and County of San Francisco and situated at the intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor under direction of said Board and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners and filed in the office of the Board of Supervisors, which plans and specifications are hereby approved and adopted.

Section 2. The sum of thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings and for purchase of land for Fire Department purposes," in the budget of the fiscal year 1912-1913 for the construction of said fire engine house.

Section 3. The said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate in the said contract for the construction of said fire engine house, conditions that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in said specifications on file in the office of said Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Section 4. Bill No. 2310, Ordinance No. 2081 (New Series), erroneously printed as Ordinance No. 2801 (New Series) is hereby repealed.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

RECESS.

Whereupon, the Board, on motion of Supervisor Vogelsang, took a recess until 4 p. m., Tuesday, November 19, 1912.

JOHN W. ROGERS,
Acting Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, December 2, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, John W. Rogers, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

JOHN W. ROGERS,

Acting Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Tuesday, November 19, 1912.

Monday, November 25, 1912.

Monday, December 2, 1912.

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JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, November 19, 1912, 4 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors at the hour of 4 p. m. *reassembled*, having taken a recess from meeting of 18th inst.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Relative to Settlement of Lower Market Street Franchise Dispute.

Whereupon, the following proceedings were had:

Indefinite Postponement.

The following entitled Bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Murphy *indefinitely postponed* by the following vote:

Bill No. 2315, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Granting the Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, permission to and including November 14, 1929, to operate an overhead trolley system on Market street from Sansome street to the City Front in accordance with the terms and agreements this day authorized.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Privilege of the Floor.

Assistant City Attorney Havens was granted the privilege of the floor and spoke in part as follows:

I appeared before the Board yesterday afternoon and stated that an application had been made to the Supreme Court to affirm the judgment rendered by Judge Sewell in the litigation between the United Railroads and the City with the modification authorized by this Board November 12. That application was made yesterday morning and word was sent to both sides about noon requesting the preparation of a formal order, the order was prepared and taken to the Cham-

bers of the Chief Justice about 4 o'clock in the afternoon and we were then informed that a protest had been made by certain interested parties upon the ground that the ordinance which had been introduced before the court was an ordinance granting a public utility privilege and therefore under the referendum provisions of the Charter would not become final until 60 days after approval by the Mayor, and therefore requesting the Supreme Court to act that any modification of the judgment based upon the recommendation would be based upon an ordinance not legal. Some argument was had and the Chief Justice stated that he was not the court and that the matter would be taken up this morning at 11 o'clock, and all were requested to be present.

As the result of that there was a conference last night in the Mayor's office with some of the members of the Board, the attorney of the United Railroads and myself on behalf of the City Attorney's office, and after a lengthy discussion, it was decided that it would be wise for this Board not to enact the ordinance introduced at the last meeting and passed to print; but at this meeting to introduce another ordinance and allow it to be printed the next day and passed next week, and then to allow the 60 day period to elapse before any application is made to the Supreme Court to modify the judgment.

It is thought by some attorneys who considered this matter that this ordinance is nothing more than a regulation or control of existing franchises. If that is true, the argument made and protest made is without effect.

It may be necessary for an election to determine whether the proposed settlement is valid. In view of that it was thought the wiser course to allow the 60 days to pass.

The agreement is made and executed and all that remains is to pass this ordinance.

Representing the City Attorney's office, I recommend that the first action be indefinitely delayed and the second ordinance introduced and passed as soon as it can be; if that is done, it is planned to make no further applica-

tion to the Supreme Court—the stipulation for that has been withdrawn and there is nothing before the court at present.

The reason for this action, he stated, was to get a settlement about which there could be no controversy.

E. P. E. Troy was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that there was no power in the Board of Supervisors to grant such a privilege; that it is in the nature of a franchise, should take the form of a franchise and be subject to all the conditions of the Charter governing franchises.

Granting Franchise of Lower Market Street to Sutter Street Railroad Company.

Whereupon, Supervisor Murphy presented the following bill and moved its passage to print:

Bill No. 2328, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

"Granting to the Sutter Street Railway Company or its assigns, permission to operate cars and maintain an overhead trolley over the tracks jointly owned by the City and County of San Francisco and said company, or its assigns, on Market street, between Sansome and Sutter streets to the ferry for a period ending midnight, November 14, 1929."

Whereas, On the 12th day of November, 1912, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, duly passed and adopted its certain Resolution No. 9815 (New Series), in and by which the Mayor of said City and County of San Francisco was authorized, for and on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco, to execute an agreement with United Railroads of San Francisco and Sutter Street Railway Company, a copy of which agreement was set forth, in full, in said resolution; and

Whereas, Under the authority conferred by the terms of the aforesaid resolution, the agreement therein set forth has been duly executed by the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco on behalf of said City and County of San Francisco, and by the duly authorized officers of the United Railroads of San Francisco and Sutter Street Railway Company; and

Whereas, Said executed agreement is as follows:

Memorandum of agreement made this 19th day of November, A. D. 1912, by and between the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation, party of the first part, and United Railroads of San Francisco, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California party of the second part, and the Sutter Street Railway Company, a corporation, organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws

of the State of California, party of the third part,

Witnesseth:

Whereas, By ordinance known as Ordinance No. 923 (New Series), approved October 25th, 1909, the City and County of San Francisco passed what is known as Bill No. 1047 (New Series), Ordinance No. 923, determining and declaring that public interest and necessity demanded the construction of street railways along and upon the following streets, to-wit:

1. On Geary street, from Market street to Point Lobos avenue; Point Lobos avenue from Geary street to Cliff avenue; Cliff avenue from Point Lobos avenue, to a convenient terminal near the Ocean; Tenth avenue from Point Lobos avenue to Golden Gate Park;

2. Over and along Market street from Geary street to East street;

And thereafter the said Board of Supervisors of said City and County duly called a special election to be held in said City and County on the 30th day of December, 1909, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County the proposition, among other things, to incur a bonded indebtedness for the construction by said City and County of a street railway over and along said hereinabove described route, at which said election it was declared and determined to construct said railroad; and

Whereas, United Railroads of San Francisco is the owner and is operating its railroads in the City and County of San Francisco, and particularly over and along Market street from Geary street to East street, and from Thirty-third avenue and Point Lobos avenue along Point Lobos avenue westerly to Forty-eighth avenue, and on Sutter street from Market street to Presidio avenue, the right to operate and maintain which said railroad was granted by Order No. 1514 of said City and County, passed by the Board of Supervisors thereof on September 15th, 1879, and approved by the Mayor thereof on September 20th, 1879, and by Order No. 2781 of said City and County passed by the Board of Supervisors thereof on July 9th, 1894, and approved by the Mayor thereof on July 9th, 1894; and by Order No. 1525 passed by the Board of Supervisors of said City and County on November 3rd, 1879, and approved by the Mayor thereof on November 14, 1879; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the parties hereto for the greater convenience and accommodation of the traveling public, and in compromise and settlement of the case of *The People of the State of California ex rel., D. S. O'Brien vs. Sutter Street Railway Company*, which case is now pending on appeal

to the Supreme Court of the State of California, from a judgment rendered by the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book No. 51, at page 471, of the records of said Superior Court as well, also in compromise and settlement of litigation which might be commenced by United Railroads of San Francisco concerning the right of the City to run its municipal railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front, said United Railroads of San Francisco claiming the same to be in violation of Order No. 1514 as hereinabove set forth.

Now, therefore, It is mutually agreed by and between the parties hereto, as follows:

1. Sutter Street Railway Company consents to an affirmation by the Supreme Court of the State of California of the judgment of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, in the case of The People of the State of California, ex rel., D. S. O'Brien vs. The Sutter Street Railway Company, which judgment was rendered on the 24th day of November, 1911, and entered on the 9th day of January, 1912, and recorded in Judgment Book 51, page 471, of the records of said Superior Court, said judgment of affirmation to include a modification of the judgment of the Superior Court in accordance with the provisions of this agreement.

2. United Railroads of San Francisco hereby waives its right to object to the use by the City and County of San Francisco of Market street from Geary street to the City Front, under the provisions of Section 5, of Order No. 1514, of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and under the provisions of Section 499 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and hereby consents to the operation of said municipal railway of the City and County of San Francisco on Market street, from Geary street to the City Front, as herein stipulated, by accepting the waiver of United Railroads of San Francisco of right to object to the use by the City and County of San Francisco of Market street from Geary street to the City Front, and by accepting the consent of said United Railroads of San Francisco to the operation of said municipal railway on Market street, it is expressly understood and agreed by the parties hereto that the City and County of San Francisco does not admit the necessity of such waiver or consent, or the right of said United Railroads of San Francisco to object to said use of Market street, from

Geary street to the City Front, for a municipal railway, but, on the contrary, the City and County of San Francisco claims that regardless of such waiver and consent, and regardless of the provisions of Section 5 of said Order No. 1514, and of Section No. 499 to the Civil Code of the State of California, it has the legal right to operate said municipal railway on Market street, as aforesaid, from Geary street to the City Front. The Sutter Street Railway Company does not now object, and never will object, and concedes it has no right to object to the use by the City, of Market street from Geary street to the City Front, or to the use of the outer tracks on Market street, from Sutter street to the City Front, for the operation of said municipal railway.

3. Sutter Street Railway Company and/or its assigns, and the City and County of San Francisco shall have the joint ownership and use of outer tracks and appurtenances, and fixtures in the street and overhead equipment, except poles, on Market street, from Sutter street to the City Front, heretofore constructed by Sutter Street Railway Company, upon payment by the City and County of San Francisco of one-half of the actual value of said outer tracks and appurtenances and fixtures in the street and said overhead equipment, it being understood and agreed that the Sutter Street Railway Company and the City and County of San Francisco shall each be liable for, and shall pay one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and of such replacement as the Board of Public Works may deem necessary, of said outer tracks and appurtenances and fixtures in the street and overhead equipment after the joint operation shall have commenced. Said value of said outer tracks and appurtenances and fixtures in the street and overhead equipment shall be determined by arbitrators, one appointed by the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco, and one appointed by Sutter Street Railway Company, and, in the event of a disagreement between them, they shall select an umpire, and the decision of the umpire as to such value shall be final and conclusive; it being agreed that in no event shall the City and County of San Francisco pay more than twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for its one-half interest.

4. Sutter Street Railway Company and/or its assigns is hereby granted the privilege to operate cars over said outer tracks, with electricity, by means of the overhead trolley system, for a period of years up to and including the 14th day of November, 1929, at midnight of which day the right herein granted to the Sutter Street Railway

Company and/or its assigns, shall terminate absolutely, and the City and County of San Francisco shall have the right to purchase, from said Sutter Street Railway Company, its one-half interest in said tracks, appurtenances, fixtures in the streets and equipment, upon payment therefor of fifty (50) per cent of the value thereof on the date of expiration of said privilege, said value to be determined in the manner herein set forth. Said privilege shall not become operative until the judgment of affirmance, as modified by the said Supreme Court, shall have been entered. Said Sutter Street Railway Company and/or its assigns agrees that it will not operate or attempt to operate any cars over said outer tracks other than those operated on Sutter street over the entire distance from Market street to Central avenue, and cars operated over the entire right-of-way from Central avenue west, described in Order No. 2781 granting to Adolph Sutro, his successors, and assigns, certain rights and privileges therein specified, except such cars of the Jackson street line as may be diverted from Jackson street into Fillmore street and thence into Sutter street, and no cars operated by said United Railroads of San Francisco or Sutter Street Railway Company, switched into Sutter street from streets intervening between Market street and Central avenue, except the Jackson street cars, as aforesaid, shall ever be operated on said outer tracks; provided, however, that the headway or interval between cars, of the said cars other than the cars of said Municipal Railway, so permitted by this agreement to be operated on said outer tracks, shall, at no time, be less than one and one-half (1½) minutes. Nothing in this paragraph shall be construed to revive or extend any rights, privileges or franchises granted by said Order No. 2781, heretofore abandoned or forfeited by United Railroads of San Francisco or its predecessors.

5. The City and County of San Francisco shall have, and is hereby given the right, to string its wires for the operation of the cars of the Municipal Street Railway on Market street from Geary street to the City Front upon the poles of the United Railroads of San Francisco, without any charge or compensation therefor.

6. The electric current supplied by the United Railroads of San Francisco and used by the Municipal Street Railway, shall be paid for by said City and County of San Francisco in proportion to its use. In arriving at the charge for current, the car miles operated over the joint tracks will be multiplied by the number of kilowatt hours per car mile used by these cars, and the prod-

uct in turn multiplied by the price per kilowatt hour, which will be the cost price to the United Railroads of San Francisco. If this exceeds the price paid by said City and County of San Francisco for street railway purposes the United Railroads of San Francisco will base its charge upon the same price as that paid by the City and County of San Francisco.

7. Transfers shall be exchanged by the United Railroads of San Francisco and the City and County of San Francisco at the intersection of Geary street with Divisadero street, between the Divisadero street lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco and the line of the Municipal Railway on Geary street. Transfers issued for this point of intersection, however, shall not be honored by either party to this agreement unless presented by passengers boarding the cars at this point. Transfers shall be exchanged by the above named parties at the intersection of Geary street with Fillmore street, between the Fillmore street lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco and the said line of the Municipal Railway. Transfers issued for this point of intersection, however, shall not be honored by either party to this agreement unless presented by passengers boarding the cars at this point. There shall be no compensation from any party to the other for the honoring of transfers at the intersection of the Municipal Railway with the lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco at Divisadero and Fillmore streets, except the reciprocal privilege of transferring passengers. Transfers shall also be exchanged, should the City so elect, by the above mentioned parties at the following places and upon the following terms, namely:

At the intersection of Geary street with Larkin street, between the Larkin street lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco, and the said line of the Municipal Railway. Transfers issued for this point of intersection, however, shall not be honored by either of the above named parties, unless presented by passengers boarding the cars at the point of intersection and also at the intersection of Geary street with Kearny street between the Kearny and Third street lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco and the said line of the Municipal Railway. Transfers issued for this point of intersection, however, shall not be honored by either party to this agreement unless presented by passengers boarding the cars at this point of intersection. All transfers from the United Railroads of San Francisco collected at the intersection of the Municipal Railway and Kearny and Larkin street lines of the United Railroads of San Francisco by

Municipal Railway on its said line shall be redeemed at the end of each month by United Railroads of San Francisco at the rate of two (2) cents each; all transfers from said Municipal Railway collected at the intersection of the Municipal Railway and the Kearny and Larkin street lines by United Railroads of San Francisco on its Larkin and Kearny street lines, shall be redeemed at the end of each month by the City and County of San Francisco at the rate of three (3) cents each.

Transfers shall be issued under such traffic rules and regulations as shall be mutually agreed upon by the parties hereto, to prevent the misuse and abuse of the privilege.

The right, if exercised by the City, to exchange transfers at Kearny and Larkin streets shall continue from whatever date the City elects until January 1st, 1917, when further transfer arrangements may be made upon such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreed upon between the parties thereto.

The said City and County of San Francisco shall have the right, at any time, to abrogate this transfer arrangement, as to all of said intersecting lines, or any of them.

The provisions of this paragraph are and shall be without prejudice to any right which the City and County of San Francisco has, or may hereafter have, under the Constitution and laws of the State of California, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City and County of San Francisco, to require exchange of transfers at other points along the line of the Municipal Railway.

The transfer privileges herein granted shall not be extended to permit transfers from Market street lines of the United Railroads to Municipal Railway or to permit transfers from Municipal Railway to Market street lines of United Railroads, nor shall passengers boarding a Municipal Railway car on Market street going west transfer on the Kearny street line of United Railroads of San Francisco, unless the parties thereto subsequently agree thereto.

8. Cars of the Municipal Street Railway operated by the City and County of San Francisco have the right to run through to the City Front upon the tracks to be constructed by said City and County of San Francisco on Market street from Kearny street to Sutter street, there connecting with the so-called outer tracks heretofore constructed by Sutter Street Railway Company; thence upon Market street from Sutter street to the City Front upon said outer tracks.

In the event of blockade on said outer tracks, or interruption of traffic thereon, or cessation of current be-

tween Sutter street and the City Front, the City and County of San Francisco shall have the right, without cost, to switch the cars of the Geary street Municipal Railway on to the middle tracks of the United Railroads of San Francisco until said blockade is cleared, the cause of the interruption of traffic removed, or the current resumed.

For the purpose of said switching the City and County of San Francisco shall have the right now, or at future time, to construct the necessary switching tracks at places to be selected by said City and County. In no event, however, shall the United Railroads have the reciprocal, or any right, to switch its cars on to said outer tracks.

9. It is mutually agreed by the parties hereto that this agreement shall cover the so-called loops at the City Front, or any other loops or terminal system that may hereafter be constructed, and shall permit the operation of the cars of the Municipal Railway upon and over said loops or terminal system and each of them.

10. The City and County of San Francisco has the right to operate its Municipal Street Railway on Geary street, formerly known, and hereinbefore referred to as Point Lobos avenue, from Thirty-third avenue to Forty-eighth avenue, over tracks of the United Railroads of San Francisco and thence to Cliff avenue, formerly Point Lobos avenue, whenever it shall desire to do so, upon the payment of an equal proportion of the value of the tracks and appurtenances so used by the City and County of San Francisco and the United Railroads of San Francisco jointly, at the time of the commencement of such use. Said value shall be determined in the manner hereinbefore provided for the determination of the value of the outer tracks on lower Market street. Said United Railroads and said City and County shall be liable to pay one-half of the cost of maintenance, repair and replacement of said tracks and overhead equipment on Geary street from Thirty-third avenue to Forty-eighth avenue, after such joint operation shall have commenced. The City and County of San Francisco shall pay for the cost of current over said portion of said tracks of the United Railroads of San Francisco as in this agreement provided for the cost of current used by the City and County of San Francisco for the operation of said cars on Market street, as aforesaid.

11. No provision, word or expression in this agreement shall be construed as granting the Sutter Street Railway Company and/or its assigns any right on Market street beyond November 14, 1929.

12. This agreement is and shall be without prejudice to any right which the City and County of San Francisco has, or may hereafter have, under the Constitution and laws of the State of California, and the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco to regulate street railroads, tracks and cars and the management, maintenance and operation thereof, and without prejudice to any of its rights under ordinances of the Board of Supervisors heretofore or hereafter adopted, all of which rights are expressly reserved by said City and County; it being understood and agreed that neither the Sutter Street Railway Company nor the United Railroads of San Francisco, by consenting to this provision, shall be deemed to have waived any of its rights, except as in this agreement set forth.

13. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to validate any rights, privileges or franchises granted either to the United Railroads of San Francisco or the Sutter Street Railway Company or their predecessors which may have become or which may hereafter become invalid for any cause whatsoever.

14. In the event of the failure or refusal of the Supreme Court to modify said judgment in the case of *The People of the State of California, ex rel., D. S. O'Brien vs. Sutter Street Railway Company*, in all of the respects hereinabove provided for, then this agreement shall become null and void and shall be of no force or effect whatever.

In Witness Whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has by resolution of its Board of Supervisors caused its name to be hereunto subscribed by its Mayor, and its Great Seal to be hereunto attached by the Clerk of its Board of Supervisors, and United Railroads of San Francisco and Sutter Street Railway Company have, by resolution of their respective Boards of Directors caused their names to be subscribed hereto by their respective Presidents, Assistants to their Presidents or Vice-Presidents, and their respective corporate seals to be hereunto attached by their respective Secretaries, the day and year first herein above written.

Done in triplicate.

(Seal)

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO. By JAMES ROLPH, Jr., Mayor.

Attest: JOHN W. ROGERS, Acting Clerk, Board of Supervisors.

(Seal)

UNITED RAILROADS OF SAN FRANCISCO.

By THORNWELL MULLALLY, Assistant to the President.

Attest: GEORGE B. WILLCUTT, Secretary.

(Seal)
SUTTER STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

By FRED C. BOECKMANN, President.

Attest: H. S. SCOTT, Secretary.

Witnesses:

THOS. E. HAVEN.

WM. M. ABBOTT.

Now, Therefore, Be it Ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, is hereby granted permission, pursuant to the terms of said agreement and not otherwise, to maintain and operate cars by an overhead trolley over the tracks jointly owned by the City and County of San Francisco and the said company on Market street between Sansome and Sutter streets to the City Front for the period ending midnight November 14, 1929.

Section 2. The permission hereby granted shall not be exercised until the Supreme Court of the State of California shall have affirmed the judgment in the case of *People ex rel D. S. O'Brien vs. Sutter Street Railway Company*, as in said agreement provided.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect sixty (60) days from and after the date of its approval by the Mayor or Acting Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot.

Absent—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hocks, Vogelsang.

Motion.

Supervisor Koshland moved that the opinion of the City Attorney be obtained as to whether or not Sec. 6, Chapter II, Art. II, and Sections 7a, 7b, 7c, Chapter II, Article III applied in this matter.

Privilege of the Floor.

Assistant City Attorney Havens was granted the privilege of the floor and stated that it was his opinion that the sections mentioned do not apply, and that the way in which the matter is now presented is the proper legal way.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the question being taken the foregoing Bill was passed for printing by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Action Deferred.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on mo-

tion of Supervisor McCarthy *laid over one week*:

Granting United Railroads Permission to Use Portions of Bay and Laguna Streets for Street Railway Purposes.

Bill No. 2316, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes, subject to the conditions imposed herein."

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, the Board at the hour of 5 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

JOHN W. ROGERS,
Acting Clerk.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, November 25, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Quorum present.

In the absence of his Honor Mayor Rolph, Acting Mayor Thomas Jennings presided.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The reading and approval of the journals of the meetings of November 12, 18 and 19, 1912, was, on motion, laid over one week.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk.

Statement of Votes Cast for and Against Declaration of Policy in re Andrew J. Carnegie Library Gift.

Department of Elections, City Hall, San Francisco, Nov. 22d, 1912.

To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors, San Francisco.

Gentlemen:—Enclosed please find statement of votes cast for and against the Proposed Declaration of Policy in re Andrew Carnegie gift.

Respectfully,

J. H. ZEMANSKY,
Registrar of Voters.

STATEMENT OF VOTES.

General Election, November 5, 1912.

		Proposed Declaration of Policy.	
		Providing for the rejection of or the refusal to accept or use any gift or donation from Andrew Carnegie for library or other public purposes.	
		Yes.	No.
	Total Vote.	2326	2131
21	6404	1426	1564
22	4142	2387	2113
23	6188	2432	3570
24	7394	2387	5111
25	8714	3367	7118
26	12389	1883	5935
27	9158	1919	5479
28	8715	2763	4536
29	8990	2465	5522
30	9823	1879	5941
31	9451	1904	5960
32	9152	1176	2633
33	5126		
Total. 105,646		28,314	57,613

Department of Elections, City Hall, San Francisco, November 22, 1912.

To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

I, J. H. Zemansky, Registrar of Voters and Secretary of the Board of Election Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, hereby certify that statement of votes hereto attached is a true and correct statement of the votes cast on the Proposed Declaration of Policy at the general election held on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1912, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, as said statement appears entered in the records of the proceedings of the Board of Election Commissioners of said City and County, now in my custody.

Witness my hand and official seal this 22nd day of November, 1912.

J. H. ZEMANSKY,

Registrar of Voters and Secretary of the Board of Election Commissioners.

Endorsement of Lower Market Street Settlement.

Also, *Communication*—From the Mission Promotion Association, informing the Board that at its meeting held on Monday evening, November 18, 1912, it unanimously endorsed the compromise agreement entered into between the municipality and the United Railroads Company with reference to the use of the outer tracks on lower Mar-

ket street, and upon motion was placed on file.

Use of Nineteenth Avenue as Automobile Boulevard.

Supervisor George E. Gallagher announced that a delegation of ladies were present desiring to be heard in protest against the conversion of Nineteenth avenue boulevard into an automobile speedway, and upon his motion the matter was referred to the Police Department for its attention and enforcement of existing ordinance regulating speed of automobiles.

Adjustment of Telephone Complaint.

Supervisor Hayden presented a communication addressed by Mrs. R. G. O. Mueller, expressing her appreciation of action taken by the Telephone Rates Committee in relieving her of trouble with the telephone company in the matter of the installation of her residence telephone, and upon motion was referred to the Telephone Rates Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were presented, read and ordered filed.

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Gianini, Chairman.

Health Committee, by Supervisor Caglieri, chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by G. E. Gallagher, chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolf Koshland, chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorization.

Resolution No. 9833 (New Series):

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.

John Daniel, final payment, construction Sec. "G," North Point main sewer (claim dated November 12, 1912) \$25,621.61
Rocco Cereghino and Assunta Depaoli et al., for the purchase of land approximately 25 by 200 feet, between Geneva and Huron avenues, for sewer right of way (claim dated October 31, 1912) .. 1,000.00

Sewer Bond Fund, 1904.

Williams & Finnigan, final payment, sewer construction, Steuart street, between Howard and Folsom streets (claim dated Nov. 4, 1912) \$4,614.98

Tearing Up Streets Fund.

Robinson Nugent, repaving over side sewers (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912) \$966.98

Geary Street Railway Fund, July 1, 1910.

John G. Sutton Co., first payment, power conductors (claim dated November 7, 1912) \$578.65

P. J. Gartland, track construction (claim dated November 7, 1912) 1,170.00

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

Pacific Fire Extinguisher Co, second payment, heating and ventilating, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated November 11, 1912) \$750.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912.

John Reid Jr., retaining fee in accordance with Resolution No. 16838 of Board of Public Works (claim dated November 14, 1912). \$2,500.00

Frederick H. Meyer, retaining fee, in accordance with Resolution No. 16838 of Board of Public Works (claim dated November 14, 1912) 2,500.00

Philip Paschel, appraising Civic Center property (claim dated November 4, 1912) 800.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Coast Improvement Co., final payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, Contract 48 (claim dated November 12, 1912) \$2,376.40

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Daily Journal of Commerce, printing notice of elections (claim dated October 30, 1912) \$539.25

McSheehy Bros., furnishing election booths, September 3 and November 5, 1912 (claim dated November 8, 1912) 2,825.10

Neal Publishing Co., printing supplement to Great Register (claim dated November 4, 1912) 824.96

Sun Tent and Awning Co., election tents (claim dated October 19, 1912) 4,400.00

Union Transfer Co., hauling election supplies per contract (claim dated November 4, 1912) 511.00

Whitcomb Estate, by James

Otis, Trustee, rent temporary City Hall, November, 1912 (claim dated November 9, 1912)	5,250.00	specifications for proposed Fillmore street tunnel; additional appropriation	1,500.00
Donald Ward Williams, administrator of estate of A. P. Williams, erroneous payment of taxes (claim dated October 30, 1912)	837.60	For paying City's portion of the cost of constructing a sewer in Fourteenth avenue, between Geary and Anza streets, in front of City property	696.35
Sperry Flour Co., flour, etc., Relief Home (claim dated November 1, 1912)	942.90	<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912.</i>	
Peter Caubu, milk, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated November 4, 1912)	664.95	For payment of retaining fee to John Galen Howard, consulting architect, in accordance with Resolution No. 16838 of the Board of Public Works	2,500.00
P. J. Gartland, first payment, paving of Geary street (claim dated November 6, 1912)	7,156.42	<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, 1910.</i>	
Antioch Sand Co., sand (claim dated November 6, 1912) ..	1,351.94	For plans and inspection, Geary Street Railway, additional appropriation	\$10,000.00
Barber Asphalt Co., asphalt (claim dated November 6, 1912) ..	3,235.53	Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.	
Pacific Portland Cement Co., lime, rock dust (claim dated November 6, 1912) ..	1,726.00	<i>Boiler and Oil Permits.</i>	
Spring Valley Water Co., water for streets, month of October (claim dated November 6, 1912)	649.68	Resolution No. 9835 (New Series): Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:	
City Street Improvement Co., first payment, paving Lincoln Way (claim dated November 7, 1912)	3,729.33	<i>Boiler.</i>	
Fay Improvement Co., grading and paving Arkansas street, between Seventeenth and Mariposa streets (claim dated November 1, 1912)	1,000.00	Marin County Milk Producers, No. 15 Oak Grove street, fifteen horse power, for pasteurizing milk.	
O. C. Holt, fourth payment, general construction, Engine House No. 28 (claim dated November 12, 1912) ..	5,955.00	<i>Storage Tanks.</i>	
The Rincon Publishing Co., printing public documents (claim dated November 15, 1912) ..	847.71	Patrick A. Dolan, south side of Lombard street, 137 feet 6 inches east of Pierce street, capacity 1,500 gallons.	
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.		Marin County Milk Producers, No. 15 Oak Grove street, capacity 1,500 gallons.	
<i>Appropriations.</i>		Behlow Estate Company, northwest corner of Clay and Montgomery streets, capacity 1,500 gallons.	
Resolution No. 9834 (New Series): Resolved that the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:		J. B. V. Laplace, east side of Polk street, 85 feet south of Turk street, capacity 1,500 gallons.	
<i>For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, etc., Budget Item No. 549.</i>		J. Barbe, 1533 Pacific street, capacity 1,500 gallons.	
For borings to determine nature of ground along the line of Twin Peaks Tunnel, additional appropriation ..	\$1,500.00	Meyer Estate, north corner of Sixth and Minna streets, capacity 1,500 gallons.	
For preparation of plans and		Greenwich Terrace House Holding Association, southwest corner of Greenwich and Leavenworth streets, capacity 2,000 gallons.	
		Henry Browning, southwest corner of Mason and Clay streets. capacity 1,500 gallons.	
		California Milk Co., south side of Bay street, 126 feet 3 inches west of Taylor street, capacity 1,500 gallons.	
		Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.	
		<i>Stable Permit.</i>	
		Resolution No. 9836 (New Series): Resolved, That permission, revoca-	

ble at the will of the Board of Supervisors and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and is hereby granted to Vittorio Noce, to maintain a stable for one horse in the rear of 371 Paris street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Permit to Open Street.

Resolution No. 9837 (New Series): Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to the National Ice and Cold Storage Company to lay a 6-inch castiron water main from the property of the company, situate on the easterly line of Langton street, about 375 feet north of Bryant street; thence southerly along the easterly line of Langton street to connect with the main of the National Ice and Cold Storage Company plant at Kansas and Division streets; provided the said pipe shall be laid under the supervision and direction of the Board of Public Works; provided further that the National Ice and Cold Storage Company shall pave the roadway over said pipe and keep the same in repair.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Establishing Grades.

Bill No. 2318, Ordinance No. 2086 (New Series), Establishing grades on Shepard place.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Full Acceptance, Geary Street.

Bill No. 2319, Ordinance No. 2087 (New Series), Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Geary street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2320, Ordinance No. 2088, (New Series), Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Anza street and Fifteenth avenue; crossing of Burrows street and San Bruno avenue; crossing of Balboa street and Sixteenth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E.

Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2321, Ordinance No. 2089 (New Series), Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Gates street between Powhattan and Eugenia avenues.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Bill No. 2322, Ordinance No. 2090 (New Series), Changing and re-establishing the Official Grades on Clifford street between Pluto street and Upper Terrace, and on Pluto street between Lower Terrace and the northerly boundary line of San Miguel Rancho.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Bill No. 2323, Ordinance No. 2091 (New Series), changing and re-establishing the official grades on Arkansas street between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Bill No. 2324, Ordinance No. 2092 (New Series) changing and re-establishing the official grades on Norwich street between Alabama and Harrison streets; on Harrison street between Norwich and Ripley streets, and on Ripley street between Folsom and Alabama streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Bill No. 2325, Ordinance No. 2093 (New Series) changing and re-establishing the official grades on Caselli avenue between Danvers street and Falcon avenue; on Falcon avenue between Danvers street and Caselli avenue; on Danvers street between Caselli and Falcon avenues, and on Mono street between Eagle street and Corbett avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2326, Ordinance No. 2094 (New Series) ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San

Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same, the provisions of which order the following work:

That artificial stone sidewalks nine (9) feet in width be constructed on Twenty-third avenue, between California and Clement streets, where artificial stone sidewalks at least six (6) feet in width are not already constructed.

That Twenty-third avenue between Geary and Clement streets be improved by constructing thereon artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width where artificial stone sidewalks at least six (6) feet in width are not already constructed.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

A 15-inch with 1 brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Ulloa street between the center and westerly lines of Seventeenth avenue.

A 12-inch along the center line of Ulloa street between the easterly and center lines of Seventeenth avenue; and an 8-inch along the center line of Seventeenth avenue between the center and northerly lines of Ulloa street.

That an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer with 27 Y branches and one brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Rhode Island street from the southerly line of Twentieth street to a point 328 feet southerly therefrom; that an 8-inch vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer be constructed along the center line of Rhode Island street between the center and southerly lines of Twentieth street; and that a 12-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer with one brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Rhode Island street between the center and northerly lines of Twentieth street.

That an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer with 32 Y branches and three brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Kansas street from a point 20 feet southerly from Twentieth street to a point 416 feet southerly from Twentieth street; that an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer be constructed along a line at right angles

to the center line of Kansas street at a point 416 feet southerly from Twentieth street from the center line of Kansas street to a point five feet easterly from the westerly line thereof; that an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer with 48 Y branches and four brick manholes with castiron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along a line parallel with and five feet at right angles easterly from the westerly line of Kansas street from a point 416 feet southerly from Twentieth street to Twenty-second street; and that an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer be constructed from a point on the northerly line of Twenty-second street five feet easterly from the westerly line of Kansas street to the point of intersection of the center line of Twenty-second street and the center line of Kansas street.

That the crossing of Judah street and Twenty-seventh avenue be improved by the construction of redwood curbs and broken rock sidewalks on the angular corners thereof; by the construction of a broken rock pavement on the roadway thereof; and by the construction of the following vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewers and appurtenances:

A twelve (12) inch along the center line of Twenty-seventh avenue, between the center and northerly lines of Judah street; an eight (8) inch with one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Judah street, between the center and easterly lines of Twenty-seventh avenue, and an eight (8) inch along the center line of Twenty-seventh avenue between the center and southerly lines of Judah street.

That Bacon street between Girard street and San Bruno avenue be improved by constructing granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks of the full official width.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hooks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Ordering Construction of Fire House at Girard and Wilde Streets.

Bill No. 2327, Ordinance No. 2095 (New series) ordering the construction of a fire house on property situate at intersection of the southwesterly line of Girard street with the northwesterly line of Wilde street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works and approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners; authorizing and directing the Board of

Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said fire engine house, and to expend therefor a sum not to exceed thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars, out of the item "For construction and equipment of Fire Department buildings, and for purchase of lands for Fire Department purposes," in the budget of the fiscal year 1912-1913, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Action Deferred.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion *laid over one week*:

Granting United Railroads Permission to Use Portions of Bay and Laguna Streets for Street Railway Purposes.

Bill No. 2316, Ordinance No. — (New Series), granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the United Railroads of San Francisco to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$99,840.65, numbered consecutively 29,692 to 30,016, inclusive, were presented, read and order *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid by the following vote*:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Accepting Offer of Bernard Katchinski to Sell for \$93,063.69 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9838 (New Series)

Whereas, an offer has been received from Bernard Katchinski to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes; and Whereas, the price at which said

parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; be it

Resolved, that the offer of Bernard Katchinski to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land free of all incumbrances including taxes: For the purchase of said

land	\$96,000.00
Rebate on taxes for current fiscal year allowed	63.69

\$96,063.69

—is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Grove street with the westerly line of Polk street; running thence northerly along said westerly line of Polk street 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle westerly 142 feet 8 inches; thence southwesterly 19 feet 2 1/4 inches; thence westerly 19 feet 5 1/2 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line of Grove street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Grove street 170 feet to the said westerly line of Polk street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Accepting the Offer of the Sullivan Estate Co. to Sell for \$18,014.13 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Also Resolution No. 9839 (New Series).

Whereas, an offer has been received from the Sullivan Estate Company to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, the price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; be it

Resolved, that the offer of the Sullivan Estate Company to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:
 For the purchase of said land \$18,000.00
 Rebate on taxes for current
 fiscal year allowed 14.13

—is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit::

Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Polk street, distant thereon 137 feet 6 inches northerly from the northerly line of Grove street; running thence northerly along said westerly line of Polk street 40 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle westerly 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 40 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle easterly 137 feet 6 inches to the said westerly line of Polk street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes: Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Accepting the Offer of Elizabeth F. Wainwright to Sell for \$30,416.49 Certain Land and Improvements Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9640 (New Series).

Whereas, an offer has been received from Elizabeth F. Wainwright to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes; and

Whereas, the price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof; be it

Resolved, that the offer of Elizabeth F. Wainwright to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to

the following described land, free of all incumbrances including taxes:
 For the purchase of said
 land and improvements ..\$30,389.00
 Rebate on taxes for current
 fiscal year allowed 27.49

—is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the north line of McAllister street, distant thereon 167 feet 7 inches easterly from the easterly line of Polk street; running thence easterly along said northerly line of McAllister street 60 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 60 feet; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 5.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the City and County upon the payment of the agreed purchase price as aforesaid.

Ayes: Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Mayor to Sell at Auction Certain Shack Building Situate at East Line of Evans Avenue and the Southeast Line of Newhall Street.

Also J. R. No. 506.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction, in accordance with provisions of the Charter, the certain building situate at the northeast line of Evans avenue and the southeast line of Newhall street, heretofore used as a dead animal reduction works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George F. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That Elmer Carlson is

hereby granted an extension of sixty days from and after December 5, 1912, within which to complete the contract for yard work of the Lowell High School.

This extension is granted for the reason that work was stopped pending revision of plans; and be it

Further Resolved, that the advertising charges for printing this resolution are hereby remitted.

Authorization.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue, January 1, 1910.

Pacific Tool and Supply Company, machine shop equipment, Polytechnic High School (claimed at Nov. 4, 1912), \$2671.90.

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue, 1912.

John Galen Howard, payment of retaining fee in accordance with Resolution No. 16838 of Board of Public Works (claim dated Nov. 14, 1912), \$2500.00.

Elizabeth F. Wainwright, for purchase of land, north line of McAllister street, 167½ ft. east of Polk street, 60 ft. by 120 ft. (claim dated Nov. 20, 1912), \$30,416.49.

Sullivan Estate Company, for purchase of land west line of Polk street, 97 ft. south of Fulton street, 40½ ft. by 137½ ft. (claim dated Nov. 18, 1912), \$18,014.13.

B. Katchinski, for purchase of land northwest corner Polk and Grove streets, 137½ ft. by 170 ft. (claim dated Nov. 13, 1912), \$96,063.70.

Hall of Justice Bond Issue, 1908.

Standard Electrical Const. Co., final payment, electric wiring, Hall of Justice (claim dated Apr. 4, 1912), \$897.50.

Geary Street Railway Fund, July 1, 1910.

Eccles & Smith, first payment, tie plates, Geary Street Railway (claim dated October 30, 1912), \$2304.00.

Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.

The Destructor Co., 8th payment, garbage inclinerators (claim dated Nov. 18, 1912), \$6940.87.

Water Construction Fund, July 1, 1910.

J. H. Dockweiler, expense of preparation of data regarding water supply sources for submission to U. S. Engineers (claim dated Nov. 15, 1912), \$1135.90.

J. H. Dockweiler, preparation of

data regarding water supply sources for submission to U. S. Engineers (claim dated November 15, 1912), \$750.00.

Cyril Williams, Jr., expenses of preparation of data regarding water supply sources Livermore Valley (claim dated Nov. 15, 1912), \$537.65.

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Selby Smelting and Lead Co., bolts, pig lead, etc. (claim dated Nov. 20, 1912), \$16,994.76.

Judson Manufacturing Co., 2nd payment, steel construction, Pumping Station No. 2 (claim dated Nov. 20, 1912), \$875.00.

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Harris & Cahen, eggs, Tuberculosis Hospital (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$586.40.

Miller & Lux Incorporated, meats, San Francisco Hospital (claim Oct. 31, 1912), \$604.83.

Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Nov. 8, 1912), \$1108.74.

Daily Journal of Commerce, advertising (claim dated Nov. 16, 1912), \$1390.96.

Daily Journal of Commerce, advertising (claim dated Nov. 19, 1912), \$1641.58.

State of California, maintenance in state schools (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$584.07.

Catholic Humane Bureau, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$4322.55.

The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$625.54.

The Albertinum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Nov. 2, 1912), \$621.14.

Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$1042.61.

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$1270.10.

Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vincent's Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$1758.19.

Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$671.00.

John Galen Howard, services as consulting architect, October, 1912, (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912), \$675.00.

G. W. McGinn & Co., 1st payment, improvement of roadway of Howard street, between Fourth and Eighth streets (claim dated Nov. 15, 1912), \$3177.90.

Fay Improvement Co., grouting over basalt blocks, Eighth street, Bryant to Harrison streets (claim dated Nov. 14, 1912), \$803.00.

Fay Improvement Co., grouting on Eighth street, Folsom to Harrison

streets (claim dated Nov. 14, 1912), \$839.52.

Producers' Hay Co., hay and oats, Police Department (claim dated Oct. 30, 1912), \$525.14.

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series):

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912.

For payment to Bakewell & Brown, architects, for preparation of City Hall plans as per contract with Board of Public Works, \$10,000.00.

School Bond Fund, 1908.

For construction of Starr King School, additional to \$52,500.00 heretofore appropriated, as per recommendation by Board of Public Works, filed November 20, 1912, \$12,500.00.

For equipment of Grattan School, \$1150.00.

Geary Street Railway Bond Fund, 1910.

For painting trolley poles of Geary Street Railway, \$1200.00.

For purchase of two "cross-overs" for Geary Street Railway, per recommendation by Board of Public Works, filed November 16, 1912, \$2768.00.

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904.

For construction of sewers and appurtenances in Steuart street from Howard to Folsom streets, additional appropriation, per recommendation by Board of Public Works, filed Nov. 16, 1912, \$368.58.

Transferring to Credit of Civil Service Commission \$5000 Appropriation Provided in Ordinance 1971 and Resolution 9603.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars heretofore appropriated by Ordinance No. 1971 (New Series) and Resolution No. 9603 (New Series) be transferred to the credit of the Civil Service Commission, the same to be expended by said Civil Service Commission as authorized and directed by said Ordinance and Resolution.

Transfer of \$11,433.82 to the Beale Street Assessment Fund.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the sum of eleven thousand four hundred and thirty-three and 82-100 dollars (\$11,433.82) heretofore appropriated from the General Fund by Resolution No. 9367

(New Series) and authorized to be expended for the Harrison Street Bridge, be and the same is hereby transferred to the Beale Street Assessment Fund and authorized to be expended in the payment of demands against said last named fund by the Board of Public Works.

Rescinding Appropriation Heretofore Made for Construction of Sewers, etc., in Beach Street, Between Laguna and Webster Streets, etc.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That so much of Resolution No. 9515 (New Series), as authorizes the expenditure of \$41,200.00 for the construction of sewer and appurtenances in Beach street, between Laguna and Webster streets; Webster street, between Beach and Tonquin streets, between Webster and Baker streets, approved June 26, 1912, be, and the same is hereby rescinded.

Authorizing and Directing the Board of Public Works to Enter Into Contract with Gorriell Brothers for the Construction of Sewers, etc., in Beach, Fillmore and Tonquin Streets.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with Gorriell Brothers for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Beach, Fillmore and Tonquin streets, between Laguna and Pierce streets, at their bid price of \$32,719.37, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same out of "Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904," the sum of \$35,000.00. said amount to include inspection, incidentals and possible extras; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition of said contract for the construction of said sewers and appurtenances that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—14.

Board of Public Works to Enter Into Contract With Karl Ehrhart for the Construction of Sewers, etc., in Tonquin Street, Between Baker and Pierce Street.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized

and directed to enter into contract with Karl Ehrhart for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Tonquin street, between Baker and Pierce streets, at his bid price of \$20,120.60, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same out of "Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904," the sum of \$22,000.00, said amount to include inspection, incidentals and possible extras; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the construction of said sewers and appurtenances that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Creating a Special Fund Designated "Municipal Railway Fund" and Transferring \$10,000 thereto.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That a Special Fund is hereby created as provided in Section 16 of Article XII of the Charter, to be designated "Municipal Railway Fund," into which shall be paid all receipts resulting from the operation of the Geary Street Railway; also

Resolved, That the sum of ten thousand dollars is hereby transferred from the Geary Street Railway Construction Fund, Bond Issue, 1910, to said Municipal Railway Fund, and said sum is authorized to be expended in the initial equipment and contingent operating expenses of the Geary Street Railway. The sum hereby transferred is hereby declared to be a loan to the fund hereby created and so much thereof as may be used for operating expenses shall be retransferred to the Geary Street Railway Construction Fund from the surplus earnings of the Geary Street Railway.

Oil Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series).

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted the McKenzie Estate to maintain a storage tank at the northwest corner of Van Ness avenue and Bush street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Denying Permission to Maintain a Jointer and Saw Table at No. 674 McAllister Street.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

J. R. No. 507.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the

sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied M. Cushner to maintain and operate a jointer and saw table at No. 674 McAllister street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Pasteurization of Milk.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: Bill No. 2329, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Regulating the pasteurizing of milk, defining same and regulating the method under which the same shall be produced.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Pasteurizing milk is hereby defined as follows: To be the heating of every portion of the milk to not less than 140 degrees Fahrenheit, maintaining same at that temperature for at least 20 minutes and immediately cooling the same to at least 45 degrees Fahrenheit.

The use of this term shall be limited to milk produced and sold under the following conditions:

A. Any person, firm or corporation desiring to produce pasteurized milk for sale in the City and County of San Francisco shall make application to the Department of Public Health on blanks provided for that purpose.

B. A permit shall be granted by the Department of Public Health if it appears upon investigation that the pasteurizing equipment installed is such that 99 per cent of all bacteria and all pathogenic bacteria are killed in milk treated therein at a temperature of not less than 140 degrees F. maintained at that temperature for twenty minutes. Further, that the pasteurizing apparatus is equipped with a recording thermometer of such a type that the same may be kept locked by the Department of Public Health.

C. The thermometric record of all pasteurization of milk shall become the property of the Department of Public Health and shall be collected by its authorized representatives.

D. Milk intended for pasteurization shall conform to the following requirements:

It shall be the product of a dairy rating not less than 60 per cent on the score card Department of Public Health.

All pasteurized milk shall be plainly marked on each bottle or other container in which such milk is delivered to consumers with a label bearing

the inscription "Pasteurized Milk" together with a serial number.

F. All utensils used in the production and handling of pasteurized milk must be properly cleaned and sterilized each time before using, and shall be so constructed that all parts are absolutely free from places where milk can accumulate or soak in so that it cannot be removed by simple washing and the surface coming in contact with the milk or cream must be smooth and free from rust.

G. Pasteurized milk shall be delivered to the consumer not later than twenty-four hours after pasteurization.

H. Milk once pasteurized must not be re-pasteurized.

I. Any violation of the regulations for the production of pasteurized milk shall result in a revocation of the permit to produce pasteurized milk for sale in the City and County of San Francisco.

Regulating the Sale of Milk or Cream.

Also, Bill No. 2330, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Regulating the sale of milk or cream in quantities of one quart or less.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. No person, firm or corporation shall sell, offer for sale, expose for sale, or keep with the intention of selling, any milk or cream in quantities of one quart or less, in stores or in other places where merchandise or commodities other than milk or cream is sold, offered for sale or exposed for sale, or kept with the intention of selling (except where the milk or cream is to be consumed upon the premises) unless the milk or cream is kept, offered for sale, exposed for sale, or sold in tightly closed bottles or receptacles of a similar character, upon the cap or covers of which is printed or inscribed in a conspicuous and legible manner the name of the person, firm or corporation bottling said milk or cream in such bottle or receptacle. It shall be unlawful for any such bottle or receptacle to have blown into it, or otherwise indicated thereon, the name of any person, firm or corporation other than or different from that which is indicated on said cover or cap.

Section 2. No person shall transfer any milk from one can, bottle or receptacle on any street, alley or thoroughfare, or upon a delivery wagon, or other vehicle, or in any place in the City and County of San Francisco, except in a milk-house or creamery, the sanitary condition of which has been approved by the Department of Public Health.

Section 3. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars and not more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not less than twenty-four hours, and not more than thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect January 1, 1913.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Denying Permission to Maintain a Stable in Premises Situate West Side of Polk Street, North of Chestnut Street.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 508.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Alfonso Milani to maintain a stable for one horse in premises situate on the west side of Polk street, 33 feet 6 inches north of Chestnut street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Caglieri and laid over one week:

Ostrich Farm Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), granting permission to the Golden Gate Ostrich Farm, to maintain an ostrich farm for 30 ostriches in premises block bounded by 46th avenue, 47th avenue, Sutro Heights avenue and Balboa street, and

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Granting Permission to Hold Masquerade Balls.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 509.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes, to-wit:

Non A. Mes, at Majestic Hall, Fillmore and Geary streets, December 14, 1912.

C. F. York, at Franklin Hall, Fillmore street, November 29, 1912.

Independent Rifles, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, December 7, 1912.

Mrs. Charles Maranto, at Bay Shore Hall, 37 Leland avenue, November 30, 1912.

Gladys Day, at Richmond Hall, corner of Fourth avenue and Clement street, November 23, 1912.

Court America No. 7916, A. O. F., at Willopi Hall, Twenty-fourth and Castro streets, January 25, 1913.

Danish Ladies' Societies et al., at Knights of Pythias Hall, Valencia and Hermann streets, January 18, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Action Deferred.

The following Bill was introduced by Supervisor Hocks and *laid over one week*:

Licensing Exhibitions of Animals and Birds.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a license on public exhibitions of animals and birds."

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Full Acceptance.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2331, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Tenth avenue, between Geary and Anza streets.

Conditional Acceptance.

Also, Bill No. 2332, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Seventeenth avenue, between Cabrillo and Fulton streets; intersection of Sears street and Sickles avenue; crossing of Geary street and Twentieth avenue; crossing of Geary and Eighteenth avenue; crossing of Cabrillo and Seventeenth avenue.

Accepting a Deed to Lands for the Opening of Ocean Avenue.

Also, Bill No. 2333, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Approving and accepting a deed from the Residential Development Company of San Francisco (a corporation), for the opening of Ocean avenue from the easterly line of Plymouth avenue to the westerly line of Corbett avenue.

Accepting a Deed to Lands for the Opening of Corbett Avenue.

Bill No. 2334, Ordinance No. — (New Series) approving and accepting a deed of lands from the Residential Development Company of San Francisco (a corporation) for the opening of Corbett avenue from the easterly line of San Miguel Rancho to the westerly line of San Miguel Rancho.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Change of Grades on Ward Street.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9841 (New Series).

Resolved, that it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points herein after specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed November 15, 1912, to-wit:

On Ward street, southerly line of, at a point distant thereon 120 feet westerly from Berlin street, be raised 6 feet and established at 278.50 feet.

On Ward street, northerly line of, at a point distant thereon 120 feet westerly from Berlin street, be raised 6 feet and established at 280.50 feet.

On Ward street, between Berlin and Goettingen streets, be changed and established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations above given therefor, and the present official grade of Ward street at Berlin and at Goettingen streets.

The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which such change or modification of grade is contemplated, notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes: Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Change of Grades on Buena Vista Avenue.

Also Resolution No. 9842 (New Series).

Resolved, that it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points herein specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed November 15, 1912, to-wit:

On Buena Vista avenue, southwesterly line of, at the first angle, northwesterly from Congress street, at 464 feet. (The same being the present official grade.)

On Buena Vista avenue, northeasterly line of, at the first angle, northwesterly from Congress street, at 466 feet. (The same being the present official grade.)

On Buena Vista avenue, southwesterly curb line of, at the first tangent point northwesterly from Congress

street, be changed and established at 464.18 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, southwest-erly curb line of, at a point 37.17 feet southeasterly from the second tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 463.34 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at a point 37.17 feet southeasterly from the second tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 463.34 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at a point 27.17 feet southeasterly from the second tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 462.87 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, southwest-erly curb line of, at a point 27.17 feet southeasterly from the third tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 462.87 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, southwest-erly curb line of, at a point 17.17 feet southeasterly from the second tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 462.07 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at a point 17.17 feet southeasterly from the second tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 462.07 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at the second tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 460.24 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at a point 5.19 feet southeasterly from the third tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 456 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at the third tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 455.39 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, southwest-erly curb line of, at the third tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 454.15 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at a point 5.19 feet northwesterly from the third tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 454.59 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at the fourth tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 449.44 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, southwest-erly curb line of, at the fourth tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 448.94 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at the fifth tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 444.93 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, southwest-erly curb line of, at a point 24 feet southeasterly from the sixth tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 432.40 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at the sixth tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 429.81 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at a point 7.35 feet southeasterly from the seventh tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 426.43 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at the seventh tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 425.42 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, southwest-erly curb line of, at the seventh tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 424.30 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at a point 7.35 feet northwesterly from the seventh tangent point northwesterly from Congress street, be changed and established at 424.63 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, northeast-erly curb line of, at a point cut by a line at right angles to southwesterly line of, at the southeasterly line of Java street, be changed and established at 421.25 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, southwest-erly curb line of, at a point cut by a line at right angles to southwesterly line of, at the southeasterly line of Java street, be changed and established at 420.75 feet.

On Buena Vista avenue, at the first angle northwesterly from Java street, at 415 feet. (The same being the present official grade.)

On Buena Vista avenue, between Congress street and the first angle northwesterly from Java street, and on Java street at the intersection with Buena Vista avenue, be changed and established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations above given therefor and the present official grade of Java street at a point on the northerly line of, 32 feet west-erly from Buena Vista avenue, and

at a point on the southerly line of, 20 feet westerly from said Buena Vista avenue.

The Board of Supervisors hereby declares that no assessment district is necessary as no damage will result from said change of grades, inasmuch as the streets are ungraded and there are no existing street improvements.

The grade changes submitted herewith have been approved by the property owners.

The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which such change or modification of grades is contemplated, notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes: Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Change of Grades on De Wolf Street.

Also Resolution No. 9843 (New Series).

Resolved, that it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed November 15, 1912, to-wit:

On De Wolf street, northwesterly line of, at the intersection with Lawrence avenue, at 267 feet. (The same being the present official grade.)

On De Wolf street, southeasterly line of, at the intersection with Lawrence avenue, at 266 feet. (The same being the present official grade.)

On De Wolf street, northwesterly line of, at a point 120 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Lawrence avenue, be raised 0.50 of a foot, and established at 274 feet.

On De Wolf street, southeasterly line of, at a point 120 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Lawrence avenue, at 273 feet. (The same being the present official grade.)

On De Wolf street, on a line parallel with and 89 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Sickles avenue, be lowered 2.28 feet and established at 283.70 feet.

On De Wolf street, at the intersection with Sickles avenue, be lowered 0.50 of a foot and established at 289 feet.

On De Wolf street, between Lawrence and Sickles avenues and on Sickles avenue between a point 200 feet northwesterly from De Wolf street and Winnipeg avenue, be changed and established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations

above given therefor and the present official grade of Sickles avenue, at a point 200 feet northwesterly from De Wolf street and at Winnipeg avenue.

The Board of Supervisors hereby declares that no assessment district is necessary as no damage will result from said change of grades, inasmuch as the streets are ungraded and there are no existing street improvements.

In the preparation of diagrams for street work it is found that a modification of the official grade is desirable.

The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which such change or modification of grade or grades is contemplated, notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes: Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Change of Grades on Meacham Place.

Also, Resolution No. 9844 (New Series).

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed November 15, 1912, to-wit:

On Meacham place, on a line parallel with and 35 feet southerly from the southerly line of Post street, be established at124.80 ft.

On Meacham place, easterly line of, at a point 72 feet southerly from the southerly line of Post street, be established at122.80 ft.

On Meacham place, westerly line of, at a point 72 feet southerly from the southerly line of Post street, be established at122.50 ft.

On Meacham place, on a line parallel with and 137 feet 6 inches southerly from the southerly line of Post street, be established at120.60 ft.

On Meacham place, for a distance of 137.5 feet southerly from Post street, be established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations above given therefor and the present official grade of Meacham place at Post street.

The Board of Supervisors hereby declares that no assessment district

is necessary as no damage will result from said change of grades, inasmuch as the streets are ungraded and there are no existing street improvements.

The grade proposed will conform to improvements already constructed.

The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which such change or modification of grade is contemplated, notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors, Bancroft, Caglieri, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Directing the Southern Pacific Railroad Company to Pave the Roadway of Seventh Street, from Berry to Hooper Streets.

Also, J. R. No. 510.

Resolved, That the Southern Pacific Company (a corporation, as successor in interest of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company), is hereby directed to pave the roadway of Seventh street from Berry to Hooper streets, with basalt blocks, in accordance with the provisions of Order No. 2406, entitled, "Granting to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company certain rights and privileges," approved July 14, 1891.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Care of Sick and Indigent at San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau.

J. R. No. 511.

Whereas, It is apparent that the buildings now under construction at the Relief Home will not be ready for occupancy for some months to come, and

Whereas, The present buildings are crowded to their full capacity and will be unable to meet the increased demand for accommodations this coming winter, and

Whereas, The failure to complete these new buildings will leave a surplus fund on hand; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Health and the superintendent of the Relief Home be and they are hereby authorized to send all worthy cases of old, sick and indigent persons who apply for relief, and whom they are unable

to accommodate at the Relief Home on account of its crowded condition, to the San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau, provided, however, that the expense incident to their accommodation at said San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau shall be paid out of the surplus fund above referred to, and shall not exceed \$2,500.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Supervisor McCarthy, on behalf of the Finance Committee, presented the foregoing resolution in response to the resolution of Supervisor Koshland, which was recently adopted by the Board of Supervisors and which requested the Finance Committee to recommend an additional appropriation of \$2500.00 to the fund of the Relief Home to carry out the proposed plan of the San Francisco Co-operative Employment Bureau, for the care of homeless and indigent persons who may be unable to find accommodation in the city institutions.

Endorsement of Action of Mayor in Seeking Hetch Hetchy Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

J. R. No. 512.

Resolved. That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco expresses its confidence in Mayor James Rolph, Jr., and other representatives of the city now in Washington for the purpose of presenting to the honorable Secretary of the Interior the case of the people dwelling upon the shores of San Francisco Bay, who are pleading for the possibility of their future growth through the acquisition of a water supply adequate to their needs, and that the clerk of this Board be instructed to telegraph a copy of this resolution to his Honor the Mayor, assuring him and his associates in Washington of the unqualified support of this Board in their undertaking.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Requesting Southern Pacific to Transport Petition for Liberty Bell.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 513.

Whereas, The monster Liberty Bell petition signed by thousands of the school children of San Francisco is to be escorted by a military parade on Thanksgiving day to the Ferry building, where it will be turned over to the Southern Pacific Company for transportation to Philadelphia; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervi-

sors that the Southern Pacific Company be and it is hereby respectfully requested to transport this petition across the continent as an evidence of its interest in this worthy public movement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Relative to Municipal Opera House.

Supervisor Payot announced to the Board that the stock for the proposed Municipal Opera House has been over subscribed and that there was a waiting list. The success of the project was absolutely assured. He also stated that there was no foundation in the report that no provision had been made in the Opera House for the accommodation of people who were only able to pay a nominal price of admission. From the inception of the plan it was contemplated that a portion of the theater would be set aside for those who were only able to pay moderate prices.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon the Board at the hour of 3:15 o'clock p. m. adjourned to meet on Monday, December 2, 1912.

JOHN W. ROGERS,
Acting Clerk.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, December 2, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meetings of November 12 and 18 were read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Relative to Removal of Obstructions from Berry Street.

Communication.—From Board of Public Works, advising that Pope and Talbot was notified on November 23, 1912, to remove obstructions from Berry street, or that such obstructions would be removed by employees of said Board.

Ordered filed.

Request that Lower Market Street Agreement Be Submitted to Referendum Vote of the People.

Also, Communication.—From the Public Ownership Association, requesting that question of the adoption of the agreement between United Railroads and the City and County of San Francisco be submitted to referendum vote of the people.

Ordered referred to Public Utilities Committee.

Nineteenth Avenue No Longer Used for Automobile Demonstration.

Communication.—From the Police Department, stating that Nineteenth avenue is no longer permitted to be used for automobile demonstration.

Ordered filed.

Relative Assessment of State Property for Stockton Street Tunnel.

Also, Communication.—From J. O. Low, tax collector, transmitting correspondence from Hon. A. B. Nye, state controller, in matter of the assessment against the State of California for the construction of the Stockton Street Tunnel, payment for which has been declined.

Ordered referred to City Attorney.

Invitation to Discuss Merits of Proposed Charter Amendments.

Communication.—From North Beach Promotion Association, inviting Board to discuss merits of proposed charter amendments.

Ordered referred to Publicity Committee.

Protest Against Arguments Favoring Charter Amendments Being Mailed With Sample Ballot.

Communication.—From Public Ownership Association protesting against delivery with sample ballot of arguments in favor of Charter Amendments.

Ordered referred to Judiciary Committee.

Opponents Request Hearing on Charter Amendments.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk.

Communication.—From the Public Ownership Association, requesting that opponents of Charter Amendments be given a hearing in any meetings held by the Board for the purpose of advocating such amendments.

Ordered referred to Publicity Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered filed:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, Chairman.

Health Committee, by Supervisor Cagliari, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee, by Supervisor Payot, Chairman.

Public Utilities and Street Committees, by Supervisor Murphy, Chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, Chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following bill, heretofore *passed for printing*, was taken up and finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Granting to Sutter Street Railway Company Permission to Operate Its Cars on Lower Market Street.

Bill No. 2328, Ordinance No. 2096 (New Series), entitled, "Granting to the Sutter Street Railway Company, or its assigns, permission to operate cars and maintain an overhead trolley over the tracks jointly owned by the City and County of San Francisco and said company, or its assigns, on Market street, between Sansome and Sutter streets, to the ferry for a period ending midnight, November 14, 1929."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Granting United Railroads Permission to Use Portions of Bay and Laguna Streets for Street Railway Purposes.

The following entitled bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and, on motion of Supervisor McCarthy, *indefinitely postponed*:

Bill No. 2316, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the United Railroads of San Francisco to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes, subject to the conditions imposed herein."

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the following substitute bill was introduced by Supervisor Murphy and *passed for printing*:

Bill No. 2335, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes, subject to the conditions imposed herein.

Be it ordained by the people of the

City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to lay down, construct, maintain and operate certain street railways in the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

First: To lay down, construct, maintain and operate a double track street railroad, upon and along the following streets, namely: Commencing at the intersection of Polk and Bay streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, there connecting with street railway tracks to be constructed on said Polk street; thence running westerly along said Bay street to a point approximately one hundred and fifty feet west of the westerly line of Van Ness avenue; and thence curving into Fort Mason Military Reservation, there to connect with certain railway tracks to be constructed within said reservation, in accordance with a revocable license issued to the United Railroads of San Francisco by the Secretary of War of the United States, under date of October 16, 1912.

Together with permission, likewise revocable at the pleasure of this Board, to operate said street railway by the overhead electric system.

Second: To lay down, construct, maintain and operate a single track street railway upon and along the following streets, namely: Curving out of Fort Mason Military Reservation at a point on Laguna street approximately fifty feet south of the south line of Beach street; thence south along Laguna street to a point approximately twenty-five feet north of the south line of North Point street; thence curving into Fort Mason Military Reservation, there to connect with the railway tracks to be constructed in Fort Mason Military Reservation in accordance with the revocable license of the Secretary of War above referred to.

Together with permission, likewise revocable at the pleasure of this Board, to operate said street railway by the overhead electric system.

Section 2. This permission hereby given is subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. That the Board of Supervisors may revoke this permit at any time without notice, and within forty-eight hours after receiving notice of such revocation said United Railroads shall cease operating its cars over any tracks constructed under the authority herein granted, and within three months thereafter shall remove all tracks, poles, wires and appurtenances in said streets and shall restore such streets to as good a condition as before such removal, and upon a failure to remove such tracks, poles, wires and

appurtenances, the same shall revert to and become the property of the City and County, and no claim for damage on account of such reversion shall be made against said City and County or its officers.

1a. That the City and County of San Francisco shall have the privilege at any time of taking over all trackage constructed under the terms of the permit located on city streets, upon payment to the United Railroads of the full appraised value thereof.

2. That no assignment of any right herein granted shall be made by said United Railroads, without first obtaining consent of the Board of Supervisors.

2a. That the said United Railroads shall pay to the City and County of San Francisco as a consideration for the use of said track privilege a proportion of the gross earnings of the Polk street route known as "9th and Polk" as now operated, which percentage is to be determined as the proportion which the length of the new track privilege granted by the City and County of San Francisco bears to the total length of the Polk street operating line, to-wit:

Polk and Larkin line, center line of Brannan street to center line of Bay street,

Bay street extension, center line of Polk street to southerly line of Fort Mason Reservation.

Laguna street loop, from westerly line of Fort Mason Reservation southerly on Laguna street and to westerly line of reservation.

Total length of operating line, single track, 34,586 feet.

Length of taxable portion, 1,614 feet.

Proportion of line taxable, 4.73 per cent.

Proportion of gross receipts taxable, 0.142 (142-1000ths) per cent.

3. That upon the order of the Board of Supervisors, said United Railroads shall pave the entire roadway of the streets occupied by its tracks, and construct such terminal system and facilities as may be deemed necessary for the convenience of the public.

4. That the City and County, for the purpose of operating a municipal street railway, shall have the right to use the tracks and appurtenances constructed in the streets under this permit, or any portion thereof, and also to use all or any portion of the tracks, terminals and appurtenances constructed by said United Railroads within the Fort Mason Military Reservation, sharing with said United Railroads the expense of operation and installation under such working and business agreement as may be approved by the Secretary of War.

Before exercising any rights under this ordinance, the United Railroads of

San Francisco, by its proper officers, shall execute its acceptance hereof and file the same in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot.

Absent—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Vogelsang.

Final Passage.

The following bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Giving Notice of Bond Election.

Bill No. 2317, Ordinance No. 2097 (New Series), entitled, "Giving notice of a special election to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on the 20th day of December, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County five propositions to incur a bonded indebtedness by said City and County for: (1) The acquisition of certain lands and improvements thereon, being a portion of "Sutro Property" located contiguous to Lincoln Park; (2) the completion of certain municipal buildings known as the San Francisco Hospital and County Jail; (3) the acquisition of certain lands for a public aquatic park; (4) the acquisition of lands in the vicinity of Twin Peaks to be used as a public park; (5) the construction of a fire and police signal system (including buildings), and the acquisition of lands therefor; this ordinance being the third of a series of ordinances to be adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco under and by virtue of which it is proposed to incur a bonded indebtedness of said City and County for the purposes herein enumerated."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$23,664.96, and numbered consecutively 30,017 to 30,432 inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hay-

den, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.
Caldwell & Co., eighth payment, construction Pumping Station No. 2 (claim dated Nov. 22, 1912).....\$10,018.49
Chas. C. Moore & Co., final payment, furnishing and installing mechanical equipment for Pumping Station No. 1 (claim dated Nov. 20, 1912)..... 21,175.96

Park Fund.

Spring Valley Water Company, water furnished Golden Gate Park and squares (claim dated Oct. 25, 1912) \$1,983.98

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

John G. Sutton Co., assignee of J. Looney, final payment, plumbing, service building, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912)..... \$3,940.00

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

W. L. Holman Co., first payment, furnishing and delivering street cars (claim dated Nov. 27, 1912)\$23,100.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

To Percy V. Long, City Attorney, said amount to be paid by the said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, to Frank H. Powers, trustee, for amount of award in findings of the arbitrator in fixing values of the interests of the Lexington Realty Company, Healds Business College, Sunset Garage Company, and the Pan-American Motor Car Company, defendants, in action of the City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams, et al., in the Superior Court for the acquisition of lands for City Hall-Civic Center purposes, situate at the southwest

corner of McAllister and Larkin streets, of dimensions 120 feet by 152 feet and 3 inches (claim dated Nov. 29, 1912)\$265,656.68

To Percy V. Long, City Attorney, said amount to be paid by the said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, for amounts of award in decree of condemnation entered; action in the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams, et al., for the acquisition of land for City Hall-Civic Center purposes, situate on the south line of McAllister street 138 feet 4½ inches easterly from Van Ness avenue, of dimensions 38 feet 4½ inches by 120 feet (claim dated Nov. 29, 1912) 19,814.33

Reliance Automobile Company, for assignment of lease and bill of sale of fixtures, City Hall-Civic Center, land east line of Van Ness avenue, 35 feet south of Fulton, known as No. 342-352 Van Ness avenue (claim dated Nov. 15, 1912) 1,116.00

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Savings Union Bank and Trust Co., for erroneous payment of taxes (claim dated Nov. 27, 1912)..... \$586.36
Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912) 2,015.28
The Rincon Publishing Company, printing public documents (claim dated Nov. 29, 1912) 693.75
Wold & Kohn, third payment, general construction, Fire Engine House No. 46 (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912) 8,116.50
Commarty-Peterson Co., first payment, general construction, North End Police Station (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912) 5,100.00
Wold & Kohn, final payment, repairs to Tubercular Hospital (claim dated Nov. 27, 1912) 8,550.00
McSheehy Bros., hauling, erecting and storing election booths, per contract (claim dated Nov. 25, 1912) 1,172.08
Spencer Street Planing Mill, hauling and erection of election booths, per contract (claim dated Nov. 18, 1912) 1,637.70
Phillips & Van Orden Co., ballot paper (claim dated

Nov. 16, 1912)	1,220.40
Daily Journal of Commerce, advertising (claim dated Nov. 25, 1912)	1,102.13
Keenan Bros., overhauling and repairing Police automobile (claim dated Nov. 21, 1912), as per contract..	555.00
United States Tire Co., tires, bolts, etc., Fire Department (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	1,173.89
J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Fire Department (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912)	1,732.54
Producers Hay Co., oats, Fire Dept. (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912)	1,546.90
Egan Bros., straw, Fire Dept. (claim dated Nov. 5, 1912)	515.38
American La France Fire Engine Co., automobile wheels and supplies (claim dated Oct. 7, 1912)	597.33
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Fire Dept. (claim dated Nov. 12, 1912)	520.51
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Fire Dept. (claim dated Nov. 12, 1912)	628.24
Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912)	10,956.84
Spring Valley Water Co., water, public buildings (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912)	1,871.99
E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., paving gravel (claim dated Nov. 11, 1912)	625.00
Bion J. Arnold, investigation street railway systems (claim dated Nov. 25, 1912)	3,401.18

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

<i>For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.</i>	
For repairs to Fire Department buildings during month of December, 1912..	\$1,500.00
For repairs to Police Department buildings during month of December, 1912..	500.00
For general repairs to public buildings during month of December, 1912	1,000.00
For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets during month of December, 1912	40,000.00
For reconstruction of and repairs to sewers during month of December, 1912..	12,000.00
For furnishing and equipping	

Hall of Justice and City Hall; to be expended under direction of Public Buildings Committee of the Board of Supervisors..... 5,000.00
For the Reconstruction, Etc., of School Department Buildings, Budget Item No. 551.

For repairs to School Department buildings during month of December, 1912.. \$5,500.00

For Expense of Maintenance, Cleaning Streets, Etc., Budget Item 553.

For maintenance and cleaning, sweeping and sprinkling streets during month of December, 1912.....\$27,000.00

For Special Emergency Sanitary Measures, Budget Item No. 382a.

To be expended by the Board of Health for the continuance of special sanitation measures, for the months of December, 1912, and January and February, 1913, at the rate of \$1233.00 per month .. \$3,699.00

Geary Street Railway Bond Fund, 1910.

For the purchase of rail spikes by the Board of Public Works for the use of the Geary Street Railway.. \$427.50

Board of Public Works to Contract With R. C. Storrie & Co. for the Construction of Sewers and Appurtenances in Drumm Street, from Commercial to Jackson Streets; and in Jackson Street, from Commercial to Bay Street, and Appropriating \$66,000 Therefor.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with R. C. Storrie & Co. for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Drumm street, from Commercial street to Jackson street and in Jackson street from Commercial street to the bay, at their bid price of \$63,066.00, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same out of "Sewer Construction Account Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908," the sum of \$66,000.00; said appropriation to include inspection, house connections and possible extras; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition of said contract for the construction of said sewers and appurtenances that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Board of Public Works to Contract With Flinn & Treacy for the Improvement of Geary Street, from Buchanan to Divisadero Streets, and Appropriating \$18,000 Therefor.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with Flinn & Treacy for the improvement of Geary street from the easterly line of Buchanan street to the easterly line of Divisadero street at their bid price of \$17,254.19, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same out of "Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue 1910," the sum of \$6,380.00, and out of Budget Item No. 549, "For paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc., the sum of \$11,620.00, a total of \$18,000.00; said appropriation to include inspection and possible incidentals; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition of said contract for the improvement of said Geary street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Authorizing Payment of \$265,656.68 to Percy V. Long, City Attorney, in Satisfaction of Award of Arbitrator in the Acquisition of Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of two hundred and sixty-five thousand, six hundred and fifty-six dollars and sixty-eight cents (\$265,656.68) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue of 1912, to Percy V. Long, City Attorney, which said amount is to be paid to Frank H. Powers, Trustee, by said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, in payment for amount of award in the findings of the arbitrator, filed and entered November 27, 1912, in the office of the County Clerk of the City and County of San Francisco, ascertaining and fixing the values of the interests of the Lexington Realty Company, a corporation, Heald's Business College, a corporation, Sunset Garage Company, a corporation, and the Pan-American Motor Car Company, a corporation, defendants in the action of the City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams et al., No. 41,542, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, in and to that certain lot, piece or parcel of land commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of McAllister street with the westerly line of Polk street;

running thence southerly along said westerly line of Larkin street 120 feet to the northerly line of Ash street; running thence westerly along said northerly line of Ash street 152 feet 3 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the southerly line of McAllister street; running thence easterly along said southerly line of McAllister street 152 feet 3 inches to the said westerly line of Polk street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, which is required for public use of the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of a City Hall and Civic Center; and be it further

Resolved, That the payment of said sum of two hundred and sixty-five thousand, six hundred and fifty-six dollars and sixty-eight cents (\$265,656.68) to said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, out of the funds of said City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue of 1912, is hereby authorized and directed.

Authorizing Payment of \$19,814.33 to Percy V. Long, City Attorney, in Satisfaction of Judgment Rendered in Condemnation Proceedings for Certain Civic Center Lands.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nineteen thousand eight hundred and fourteen dollars and thirty-three cents (\$19,814.33) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue of 1912, to Percy V. Long, City Attorney, which said amount is to be paid into court by said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, in payment for amount of award in the decree of condemnation entered November 29, 1912, in the office of the County Clerk of the City and County of San Francisco, against Albert Knorp, George Knorp and Frank Knorp as executors of the last will and testament of Mary Ann Armstrong, deceased, defendants in the action of the City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams et al., No. 41,542, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, wherein and whereby the lot, piece or parcel of land commencing at a point on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 138 feet 4½ inches easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue; running thence easterly along said southerly line of McAllister street 38 feet 4½ inches; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the northerly line of Ash street; thence at a right angle westerly 38 feet 4½ inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the said southerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, was condemned for

the public use of the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of a City Hall and Civic Center; and be it further

Resolved, That the payment of said sum of nineteen thousand, eight hundred and fourteen dollars and thirty-three cents (\$19,814.33) to said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, out of the funds of said City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue of 1912, is hereby authorized and directed.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Accepting Offer of the Reliance Automobile Company to Assign Its Leaseholds, etc., on Properties in Civic Center.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9845 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The City and County of San Francisco has purchased for Civic Center purposes, the lot of land described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Grove street with the easterly line of Van Ness avenue; running thence northerly along said easterly line of Van Ness avenue 275 feet to the southerly line of Fulton street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fulton street 246 feet 4 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 137 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle westerly 62 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 137 feet 6 inches to the northerly line of Grove street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Grove street 184 feet to the said easterly line of Van Ness avenue and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 67: a portion of which said premises, known and designated as Nos. 342-352 Van Ness avenue, are occupied by the Reliance Automobile Company, a corporation, under lease; and

Whereas, Said Reliance Automobile Company has offered to sell and assign its said lease on said premises to the City and County of San Francisco, and to sell the fixtures installed on said premises by it for the sum of eleven hundred and sixteen (\$1116.00) dollars, and has also agreed to vacate said premises by the fifteenth day of December, 1912; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of said Reliance Automobile Company to assign its leasehold and to sell its said fixtures to the City and County of San Francisco for the sum of eleven hundred and sixteen (\$1116.00) dollars is hereby accepted: and be it further

Resolved, That the City and County of San Francisco hereby waives and abandons all claims it may have on any deposit or bond given by said Reliance Automobile Company to insure

or secure the payment of rents by it under said lease.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Imposing a License on Public Exhibitions of Animals.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks: Bill No. 2336, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

Imposing a license on public exhibitions of animals and birds.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Every person, firm or corporation (except theaters and circuses) maintaining and conducting any place where animals or birds are exhibited, and an admission fee is charged, shall pay a license of six (6) dollars per quarter.

Section 2. Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine not to exceed five hundred (\$500) dollars, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Absent—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Vogelsang—2.

Relative to Soliciting Business in Railroad Trains, Steamboat or Other Vehicle.

Also, Bill No. 2337, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows: Amending Ordinance No. 1898 (New Series), Regulating the use of hackney carriages, automobiles, taxicabs, and other public passenger vehicles, fixing the rates to be charged for the transportation of persons and personal baggage, regulating the use of boats in the waters of the bay, providing a punishment for any violation thereof and repealing Order No. 1611, Ordinances Nos. 446, 1033 and 514 (New Series), by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 34½, prohibiting the soliciting of patronage on trains or boats without permission of the owners.

That Ordinance No. 1898 (New Series) be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 34½, and to read as follows:

Section 34½. No person shall solicit patronage for any hotel, vehicle or other business, upon any railroad train, steamboat or vehicle whatsoever within the corporate limits of the City and County of San Francisco without first having obtained permission in writing so to do from the owner, lessee or managing agent of such owner, charterer or lessee of such railroad, steamboat or other vehicle.

Section 2. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed five hundred (500) dollars or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Y. W. C. A. Permitted to Use Grand Jury Rooms in Its Work Among Female Prisoners.

Also, J. R. No. 514.

Resolved, That the Young Women's Christian Association is hereby permitted to use the rooms of the Grand Jury in the Hall of Justice, and also the use of a closet therein, in discharge of its labors among female prisoners, subject to the consent of the Grand Jury, and at hours to be agreed upon so as not to conflict with the duties of said Grand Jury.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Board of Public Works to Turn Over Lincoln Tablet to Care and Custody of the Lincoln Grammar School Association.

Also, J. R. No. 515.

Whereas, a communication has been filed from the Lincoln Grammar School Association, requesting that the tablet heretofore attached to the Lincoln Monument which stood in front of the old Lincoln School, be turned over to its keeping; and

Whereas, said association intends erecting a memorial to Lincoln in the Civic Center; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said tablet now in the custody of the Board of Public Works is hereby turned over to the care and custody of the said association, without the City releasing its ownership or supervision thereof.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-

eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Ostrich Farm Permit.

Supervisor Caglieri presented:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to the Golden Gate Ostrich Farm, to maintain an ostrich farm for 30 ostriches, in the block bounded by Forty-sixth avenue, Forty-seventh avenue, Sutro Heights avenue and Balboa street; said farm to be conducted in strict accordance with the sanitary regulations of the City and County and stipulations on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Privilege of the Floor.

Dr. Merritt, representing the Sutro estate, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that he had information from citizens in Oakland that the ostrich farm in said city was a nuisance for reason of the smell arising therefrom and the large number of flies attracted. He declared that there is no sewer in the district in which it is proposed to establish the ostrich farm, and that under such conditions it would be difficult to maintain sanitary conditions in the vicinity. A nine-foot fence which it is proposed to construct around the property will tend to depreciate property. He declared that it was just as important to the district that the ostrich farm be prohibited as was the enactment of the "Two Cow" Ordinance, prohibiting keeping of more than two cows within said limits.

Dr. Neuhaus, was also granted the privilege of the floor and read several letters from persons living opposite the ostrich farm in Oakland and in Sacramento, declaring that such an institution was not a nuisance, but an attraction for tourists. He stated that no more than 40 birds would be housed at the proposed ostrich farm.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the above resolution was passed for printing by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 516.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Edouard Vours to maintain a stable for one horse in the rear of 2340 Geary street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Action Deferred.

The following bills were introduced and on motion *laid over one week*:

Regulating Excavations in Public Streets.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the making and refilling of excavations in the public streets, alleys, sidewalks and other public places, and repealing Ordinance No. 658 (New Series)."

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on motion *laid over two weeks*:

Intention to Change Grades, Main and Harrison Streets.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Declaring that it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed November 23, 1912, to wit:

On Main street, between Folsom and Bryant streets.

On Harrison street, between Beale and Spear streets.

Directing Eggs be Bought in Open Market.
Supervisor Koshland presented:

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, The Sherry-Freitas Company, which now holds the contract for Item No. 1108, for cold storage eggs, has refused and failed to deliver same in conformity with the specifications and contract; therefore be it

Resolved, That said article be bought in the open market as required by the public institutions; and be it further

Resolved, That if said article should cost more than the price at which the Sherry-Freitas Company was awarded the contract, such excess cost shall be charged to said firm; and be it further

Resolved, That the sureties upon their bond be notified hereof, and that the City Attorney be directed to prosecute any claims that may arise hereunder against said Sherry-Freitas Company.

Whereupon, the following report

was presented and read by the Clerk:

Report of Special Meeting of Supplies Committee, Held November 26, 1912, to Consider Egg Deliveries by Contractor Sherry-Freitas Company to the Department of Public Health.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Supplies received a complaint from the Department of Public Health that Contractor Sherry-Freitas Company had failed and refused to deliver cold storage eggs required by the various institutions of said department in conformity with the specifications and contract therefor.

Your committee thereupon fixed the above date for a hearing of the matter and invited said Sherry-Freitas Company to attend same.

A full committee was present at the hearing, also the Health Officer, the Superintendent of Supplies, the Superintendent of the Relief Home and the inspector of the San Francisco Wholesale Dairy Produce Exchange, T. J. Harris.

No member of the Sherry-Freitas Company attended, but said company was represented by E. C. Harrison, Esq., its attorney.

The following report of inspection was read:

San Francisco, Nov. 22, 1912.

Mr. A. Koshland, Member Board of Supervisors, Chairman Supplies Committee, San Francisco.

Sir—I have to herewith furnish you with a copy of a letter received this day from Sherry-Freitas Company, regarding 22 cases of eggs delivered on November 21st. In this connection these eggs were examined by Inspector Scott, who reported as follows:

One-half case, 15 doz.:

30 eggs slightly shrunken and loose;
10 eggs bad, shrunken, or seconds;
3 eggs checked.

One-half case, 15 doz.:

27 eggs slightly shrunken and loose;
9 eggs bad, shrunken, or seconds;
4 eggs checked.

One-half case, 15 doz.:

21 eggs slightly shrunken and loose;
9 eggs bad, shrunken, or seconds;
3 eggs checked.

One-half case, 15 doz.:

23 eggs slightly shrunken and loose;
11 eggs bad, shrunken, or seconds;
3 eggs checked.

One-half case, 15 doz.:

20 eggs slightly shrunken and loose;
6 eggs bad, shrunken, or seconds;
2 eggs checked.

Respectfully,
(Signed): R. G. BRODRICK,
Health Officer.

It was upon the foregoing report which showed that the eggs were not in

conformity with the specifications and contract, that the following letter was sent to the contractor:

November 22, 1912.

Sherry-Freitas Company, 347 Front St., San Francisco, Cal.

Gentlemen—Have to notify you that the 22 cases of eggs for the institutions of the Health Department, and which were delivered by you to the Central Office today, have been inspected and rejected by this department, the same not being "cold storage California extras," as per rules of San Francisco Wholesale Dairy Produce Exchange. You will therefore call and remove the eggs.

Respectfully,

(Signed): R. G. BRODRICK,
Health Officer.

In reply thereto the contractors wrote as follows:

Sherry-Freitas Company,
San Francisco, Nov. 23, 1912.

Department Public Health, Mission, near Seventh Streets; Attention Dr. Brodrick.

Dear Sir—In re twenty-two cases of eggs delivered Friday, November 21st, under contract with City and County of San Francisco, we desire to say same were up to the specifications, and that no better cold storage eggs can be obtained. We have made delivery, as per our contract, and will continue to do so; no eggs will be taken back after once being in your possession. If it is your intention not to receive these deliveries, we desire that you should notify us at once, so that we may proceed in proper manner to enforce the City and County of San Francisco to reimburse us for any loss that may be incurred by breach of contract.

Very respectfully,

SHERRY-FREITAS COMPANY.

(Signed): W. V. Sherry.

As the position taken by the contractors was, "that no better cold storage eggs could be obtained," and as the inmates and patients of the City and County Hospital, Relief Home for Aged and Infirm, Tuberculosis Hospital and Isolation Hospital were without this very necessary article of food, your Committee directed the Superintendent of Supplies to purchase same in the open market to fill the immediate wants of said institutions.

After a full hearing and consideration of all the facts in the case your Committee resolved to recommend to your Honorable Board the following resolution:

Whereas, The Sherry-Freitas Company, which now holds the contract for Item No. 1108, for cold storage eggs, has refused and failed to deliver same in conformity with the specifications and contract; therefore be it

Resolved, That said article be bought in the open market as required by the public institutions; and be it further

Resolved, That if said articles should cost more than the price at which the Sherry-Freitas Company was awarded the contract, such excess cost shall be charged to said firm; and be it further

Resolved, That the sureties upon their bond be notified hereof, and that the City Attorney be directed to prosecute any claims that may arise hereunder against said Sherry-Freitas Company.

Respectfully submitted,

ADOLF KOSHLAND,

FRED L. HILMER,

C. C. MURDOCK,

Supplies Committee.

M. Freitas, of Sherry-Freitas Company, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that his goods were rejected by reason of the prejudice of the inspector. He stated that chandlers for a number of different companies have passed favorably on the eggs. He opposed the breaking of the contract and the purchase of eggs in the open market and requested that the matter be postponed one week and that he be given a hearing in the matter.

Action Deferred.

Whereupon the above resolution was on motion of Supervisor Koshland was *laid over one week*:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Request of Civic League to Use Chambers of Board for Meetings.

The following matter was presented and read:

Communication—From the Civic League of Improvement Clubs, requesting permission to use chambers of the Board of Supervisors on second Thursday of each month at 8 p. m. for the purpose of holding its regular meetings.

Motion.

Supervisor Bancroft moved that the use of the chambers be denied to all organizations except for purposes of official business.

Amendment.

Supervisor Hayden moved as an amendment that public improvement associations be granted the use of the chambers of the Board.

Amendment lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Hayden, Hilmer, Mauzy, Nolan—4.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock—12.

Absent—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Vogelsang—2.

Motion Carried.

Whereupon, the question being taken on Supervisor Bancroft's motion same was carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15

No—Supervisor Hayden—1.

Absent—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Vogelsang—2.

Relative to City Hall and Civic Center.

Supervisor Bancroft announced that the purchase of necessary land at Civic Center had been completed, that the Commercial High School will be removed to the Library Block the first of the year, that the City Hall will be commenced about March 1, 1913, and that the Opera House and Library will be completed by 1915.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Repealing Resolution No. 9844 (New Series) Changing Grades on Meacham Place.

J. R. No. 517.

Resolved, That Resolution No. 9844 (New Series), approved November 29, 1912, to change and establish grades on Meacham place, is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was introduced under suspension of the rules and passed for printing:

Establishing Grades, Meacham Place.

Bill No. 2338, Ordinance No— (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Meacham Place."

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and ordered referred to Lighting and Rates Committee:

Lighting Committee to Rearrange Street Lights at Intersections.

J. R. No. —

Resolved, That the Lighting and Rates Committee of the Board of Supervisors is hereby directed to rearrange the lighting at the intersection of streets and avenues, to provide that not more than two lights, either gas or arc, shall be at any one intersection.

Lights Affected and to be Removed.

Divisadero street, between Califor-

nia and Haight streets, 38 gas lamps.

Twenty-fourth street, between Potrero avenue and Folsom street, 17 gas lamps.

Eighteenth and Guerrero streets, 2 gas lamps.

Polk and Post streets, 1 gas lamp.

Polk and Clay streets, 1 gas lamp.

Fifth and Mission streets, 1 gas lamp.

Total, 60 gas lamps in 33 blocks; cost per year, \$1308.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

City Attorney to Report a Plan of Procedure for Taking Over and Operating Presidio and Ferries Railway Company. On motion of Supervisor Koshland: Resolution No. 9846 (New Series).

Whereas, The franchise of the Presidio and Ferries Railway will expire on the 10th day of December, 1913; and

Whereas, Under the Charter of the City and County it is the policy of this community to gradually acquire for public ownership the public utilities operated therein; be it

Resolved, That the City Attorney be requested to report to the Board of Supervisors a plan of procedure to be followed by them for the purpose of operating a railway by the City and County of San Francisco along the line of the Presidio and Ferries Railway upon the expiration of the franchises of that Company, and that such plan of procedure include an opinion as to what rights, if any, the City may have in the roadbed, and also what procedure must be followed to acquire the rolling stock and other physical property of that Company if that be desired.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Absent—Supervisors A. J. Gallagher, Vogelsang—2.

Extension of Time, W. L. Holman Co. Supervisor Murphy presented:

Resolution No. 9847 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved. That W. L. Holman Company is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after the 8th day of December, 1912, within which to complete its contract for the furnishing and delivering of forty-three cars for the Geary Street Municipal Railway.

This extension of time is granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, and is granted with the express provision that

this extension and its acceptance thereof by the W. L. Holman Co., and the Pacific Coast Casualty Company, their surety, shall be deemed to be and shall be without prejudice to any right which the City and County of San Francisco may have or which may hereafter exist, to damages by reason of the failure of the W. L. Holman Company to complete the contract on or prior to December 8, 1912, or any other reason, and, without prejudice to any right against the Pacific Coast Casualty Company, upon the bonds of said company given as security for the faithful execution of said contract by the W. L. Holman Company arising out of or by reason of said failure of the W. L. Holman Company to complete said contract within said time or by any other reason.

Privilege of the Floor.

Assistant City Engineer Ransome was granted the privilege of the floor and stated that four cars are completed and delivered. Six more are all but completed and will be delivered by December 15. He declared that the Holman Company had seen the necessity of re-organization and had obtained the services of Jos. Gilman of the Oakland Traction Company, and he thought that more headway would be made in the matter. He expected that twenty cars will have been delivered by the last of January or the first of February.

Geo. Lull, Assistant City Attorney, also addressed the Board and stated that if the contract was cancelled and new bids called for it would cause great delay and probably nothing be accomplished thereby, for he thought it would be very difficult to recover on the bond. He also declared that no stipulation as to penalty in the event of failure to complete the contract in time had been inserted in the contract.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution was adopted as Resolution No. 9847 (New Series) by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jannings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Federal Government to Secure a Site for Navy Yard at Hunter's Point.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

Resolution No. 9848 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Federal Government is engaged in the construction of an interoceanic canal at Panama, at an approximate cost of \$400,000,000 for the purpose of facilitating commerce as well as providing for the naval and military needs of the Government; and

Whereas, Said Panama Canal can only become a source of revenue through the medium of tolls, and serve the purposes of a national utility, by the addition of ample docks and dry-docks for the ships using the same in the ports of the Pacific and Atlantic Oceans; and

Whereas, The City of San Francisco and the State of California have voted public bonds to the amount of \$10,000,000, which is to be added to the sum of \$7,500,000 subscribed by the citizens of San Francisco, for the purpose of celebrating in a fitting manner the completion of the nation's great interoceanic highway; and

Whereas, The State of California, as the owner of the water front of the City of San Francisco, is about to expend the sum of \$10,000,000 on a system of dock construction and belt railroad development, which will ultimately extend to Hunter's Point on San Francisco Bay, where an ideal site for a Government Navy Yard can be secured at a reasonable cost, with all necessary depths of water and rail approaches, thus conforming to the accepted Federal policy of harmonious and economical expenditures for common purposes; and

Whereas, Admiral Thomas Cowie, Paymaster General of the United States Navy in an address recently delivered before the Commercial Club of San Francisco, said that if San Francisco desires a larger share of the trade of the navy, it will not only have to provide for an ample fresh water supply, but provide ample depths of water and adequate docks for the ships of the navy, which will increase both in number and in size upon the completion of the Panama Canal; and

Whereas, Hon. George L. Von Meyer, Secretary of the Navy, according to the public prints, has expressed to Hon. James Rolph, Jr., the willingness of the Naval Department to do everything possible for the advancement of the naval requirements of the port of San Francisco which are to assume great proportions upon the completion of the Panama Canal; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, that the Federal representatives of the State of California, be, and are hereby respectfully requested to present to the Honorable Secretary of the Navy, the propriety as well as the necessity of securing at the present session of Congress, a site for a Naval Yard at Hunter's Point, where shelter and ample depths of water prevail in order that the same may be available for the needs of Govern-

ment vessels upon the completion of the Panama Canal.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Supervisor Caglieri requested that
copies of the above resolution be sent
to the California representatives in
Congress.

Billboard Ordinance.

The following Bill was presented
by Supervisor Payot with the recom-
mendation of the Public Welfare Com-
mittee that same be *passed to print*:

Bill No. 2339, Ordinance No. —
(New Series), entitled, "Regulating
the construction, erection and main-
tenance of billboards and other
boards, fences, signs and structures
erected for advertising purposes or
upon which any advertisement is
shown painted or displayed in any
way, and regulating bill posting and
bulletin sign painting and outdoor ad-
vertising."

Privilege of the Floor.

J. Chas. Green was granted the
privilege of the floor and urged that
billboards to the height of 20 feet be
permitted, providing same were safe-
ly and strongly constructed. He also
urged that he be permitted to con-
struct ornamental border around bill-
boards.

A. Uhl, representing the Chamber
of Commerce, stated that they were
not trying to legislate billboards out
of existence and did not desire to
injure any craft employed in the bus-
iness.

Motion.

Supervisor Mauzy moved to strike
out clause providing "under special

permit to be obtained from the Board
of Supervisors."

Motion *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Hocks, Mauzy,
McLeran, Nolan—4.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland,
McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—
12.

Absent—Supervisors A. J. Galla-
gher, Vogelsang—2.

Amendments.

Whereupon, Supervisor Payot
moved to amend as follows:

Add to Section 2—

Provided, however, that an orna-
mental border not wider than one foot
may be added thereto which shall
contain no advertising of any nature.

Add to Section 3, end of first sen-
tence a new sentence—

An ornamental border, not wider
than one foot, may be added to a bill-
board or other board for which a
special permit provided for in this
section is issued, provided, however,
said ornamental border shall contain
no advertising of any nature.

Amendments *carried* by the follow-
ing vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,
Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran,
Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—16.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon the above Bill, as
amended, was *passed for printing*:

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the
Board, at the hour of 6:00 p. m., ad-
journed.

JNO. W. ROGERS, Acting Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors December 9, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors
of the City and County of San Francisco, I, John W. Rogers, hereby certify that
the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said
Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

JOHN W. ROGERS,

Acting Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

Monday, December 9, 1912.

Tuesday, December 10, 1912.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, December 9, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presided.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

Amendment.

Supervisor Koshland moved Journal of December 2, 1912, be amended by recording him *absent* instead of voting *aye* on Bill No. 2335, granting United Railroads permit to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes.

Amendment *carried*.

Whereupon, the meetings of November 19 and 25 and December 2, 1912, as amended, were approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Protest of Electrical Workers Union Against Enlisted Men Installing Fire Alarm Boxes and Wires at Fort Mason.

The following matter was presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From International

Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local Union No. 151, protesting against installation of fire alarm boxes and wires by enlisted men of the United States Army.

Ordered *filed*.

Protest Against Ostrich Farm in Richmond District.

Also *Communication*—From the Estate of Adolph Sutro, opposing granting of a permit for an ostrich farm in Richmond District.

Ordered *filed*.

Complaint Against Lack of Water in Richmond District.

Also *Communication*—From Sutro Heights Improvement Club, complaining of lack of water in the Richmond District and requesting relief.

Ordered *filed*.

Part II of Arnold's Preliminary Report No. 10 on the Development of Transit System.

The following matters were presented, read by the Clerk and ordered *referred to the Public Utilities Committee*:

San Francisco, Calif., December 7, 1912.

John S. Dunnigan, Clerk Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Sir:

I take pleasure in handing you herewith Part II of Mr. Arnold's Preliminary Report No. 10 on the Development of Transit System.

Yours very truly,

BION J. ARNOLD.

By J. R. BIBBINS, Engineer.
(E. J. B. Encl.)

DEVELOPMENT OF TRANSIT SYSTEM

PRELIMINARY REPORT NO. 10—PART II.

EXTENSIONS, IMMEDIATE AND FUTURE.

Board of Supervisors,

City of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

From the standpoint of the average citizen interested in the development of your city, two necessities are apparent, both of which require immediate attention. These are:

1st. Extensions into unserved territory ;

2nd. Service improvements throughout the system.

Could it be said that San Francisco had already over-expanded, as in the case of several cities of the United States, the question of service might be regarded as the most urgent. But in San Francisco the occurrences of recent years have resulted in the fact that the city is now confronted with an abnormally rapid growth, accelerated by the expected opening of a great inter-oceanic waterway and the Exposition commemorating it. And the means are not available for meeting, in the immediate future, this certain civic growth. Therefore, the question of extensions to its public utilities, particularly street railways, becomes of most immediate and far-reaching consequence.

While the necessities of the present are being considered it is equally necessary that those of the near future and of a decade hence shall be anticipated as far as possible in order that *piecemeal* development may be avoided and a transit system planned which will eventually co-ordinate all of these successive steps into one efficient and unified *operating* system, whether under one or several managements, municipal or private. The extensions herein recommended are designed as parts of such a unified system, irrespective of ownership—*i. e.*, with a system developed only with reference to the best needs of the respective districts, and with duplication of capital investment eliminated.

This unified plan does not in any manner prevent the future control by the City of all of its traction lines, but may be regarded at the present time as simply the best means to a much-desired end—adequate service. From the standpoint of the patron, the ideal condition of service necessitates *ONE CITY, ONE FARE, UNIVERSAL TRANSFERS*.

However, plans have been prepared for the subdivision of this unified program of development into its component parts, one of which contemplates a privately operated system, and the other a municipally operated system, both covering the entire city as far as possible, and operating in direct competition. But such a plan necessarily results in extensive duplication of investment along parallel streets and consequently duplication of service.

In planning this program of extensions, a thorough study has been made of the topography, available thoroughfares, and physical obstructions throughout the entire city, with a view to securing the most practical results; and the necessary street improvements involved will be treated later in detail. It suffices here to note that the city may derive great advantage from a comparatively small amount of improvement work. The major improvements in the city plan have been so thoroughly covered in the Burnham report that only such minor and relatively inexpensive projects are

here contemplated as are essential to the proper development of the city and its transit system in the near future.

Similarly, definite consideration will be given in the location of these extensions to improved car routing and distribution of service. Particularly may be mentioned the necessities of so-called cross-town lines, making possible inter-communication between various local centers, of which there are many in San Francisco.

Here I desire to acknowledge the invaluable aid rendered by the various improvement clubs and commercial organizations of this city, and also by many public-spirited citizens in the matter of suggestions and data regarding the districts served. All of these suggestions have been analyzed, and while many of them have been found impracticable owing to existing physical obstructions, mostly excessive grades, some of them are entirely warranted, and are included herein. Of particular value may be mentioned the Merchants' Association report, submitted in 1907. It is of interest to note in this connection that of all the extensions shown therein (some, I understand, were practically agreed to by the United Railroads), there have only been constructed short lines on Gough Street, on Ninth Avenue (Sunset), on Cortlandt Avenue, and through Visitacion Valley, and that most of the extensions of recent years have been financed through the assistance, either directly or indirectly, of the property owners benefited thereby; also, that there have been no railway extensions whatever built under franchises granted since the last charter amendments took effect.

Transportation facilities to the Panama-Pacific Exposition have already been dealt with, on the score of exceptional urgency (Report No. 10, Part II), and therein were recommended such transit lines as will best co-ordinate with this greater system now under consideration. Much of the discussion in Part I will apply directly herein, as, for example, the following:

1. Maximum grades limited as close to 10% as possible.
2. Headway limited to one car per block on grades over 8%, for purposes of safety to passengers.
3. Full motor power on grades up to at least 8%.
4. Chicago standard of narrow cars and track centers, when possible, to preserve roadways wide enough for two vehicles on each side.
5. Curves to be designed to allow cars to pass thereon.
6. Duplication of investment and service by parallel lines to be avoided as far as possible.

In the exhibits hereto appended are presented:

1st. A record of the more important suggestions that have been made for transit facilities within the city—Figure 1.

2nd. Those improvements which may reasonably be recommended for present and future construction. Figure II shows

the topography and resulting physical obstructions with relation thereto. And for the purpose of accurately gauging these transit necessities, the actual distribution of sleeping population of the 1910 census is superimposed upon the map at a scale of 200 persons per dot.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

1st. A study of the relative growth of population, operated trackage and riding habit indicates that the principal traction system in its extension program is at least six years behind the average rate established by the company from 1900 to 1905, which was $6 \frac{2}{3}$ miles of single track per year. During the preceding decade an even higher rate was maintained— $8\frac{3}{4}$ miles per year. Furthermore, extensions are by no means keeping pace with the growth in population, and only about 8 miles more track is now being operated than in 1905.

2nd. The apparent needs of the immediate future, determined independently of the above facts, require the construction of about 75 miles of single track, 94% of which is under municipal jurisdiction; and by far the greater proportion of this mileage is to be regarded as simply completing a delayed program.

3rd. Upon the completion of the above construction, five years hence at the most, a second construction program should be entered upon involving about 50 miles of single track, which may possibly be warranted within the present decade.

4th. After this period further extension work should be steadily carried out as indicated, both in the outlying districts and within the city proper, solidifying and perfecting the present system. Inasmuch as San Francisco is hardly half developed, there remains much to be accomplished before a so-called saturation point shall have been reached, to justify retrenchment in extensions. This schedule of extensions does not include the necessary rehabilitation of the California Street line from Sixth Avenue to Cliff Avenue, which is now operating without a franchise.

5th. This work will call for an approximate expenditure of about \$6,000,000 in track and equipment within the next five years, and \$12,000,000 for all the extension work indicated herein, exclusive of all special street improvement work, such as regrades, tunnels, etc., and exclusive of all rapid transit undertakings, except the Twin Peaks tunnel project already recommended.

6th. At a very conservative estimate the investment in physical property should increase at the rate of \$3.00 per \$1.00 earned per year, and possibly at a higher rate. As the earnings for the future are conservatively estimated as *doubling* in from fourteen to eighteen years, this means that within the next decade probably \$18,-

000,000 will have to be invested in extensions, additions and betterments to the transportation facilities of San Francisco.

7th. A large proportion of these extensions must be operated as part of the private system having no possible connection with the municipal lines, present or contemplated. But if these various outlying fragments were built by the city, some form of contract should be entered into to guarantee through service during the life of the trunk line franchise.

8th. As the maximum benefit from service will be derived from extensions nearest the business center or into comparatively thickly settled suburbs, these should receive first consideration, prior to lines into thinly settled districts.

9th. Certain development lines, however, are so clearly desirable and have such a certain future, that these might well take precedence over those development lines which are more or less speculative in final results.

10th. For track in the outlying districts, a lighter and less expensive type of construction may be used which will serve amply for some years to come until the upbuilding of those districts requires rehabilitation with heavier track construction.

11th. Single track construction, with turn-outs, will be justifiable in the case of some extensions into very thinly settled districts. This, together with the lighter construction employed, will so reduce the relative investment as to make it possible to serve a *much greater territory* than if standard construction were used throughout. But such single-track lines, if of reasonably permanent construction, especially as regards the substructure, should be laid *at the side of the street*, so as to be in position when the line is double-tracked and rerailed.

12th. Extension lines should in general be so located as to best serve as feeders to future rapid transit trunk lines, and have been so considered here. This particularly applies to districts now requiring the longer rides in transit from the business center.

13th. In outlying territory, where the streets and topography permit, a spacing between adjacent lines should be adopted which will divide the undeveloped territory with reasonable equality of service, as herein indicated. In other words, parallel lines should not be located nearer than three or four blocks apart, unless through exceptionally dense settlements. Otherwise unwarranted duplication will occur, as in the case of the Richmond District.

14th. Several districts in San Francisco can never be adequately served except by the contour plan of street subdivision, as for example, University Mound and Larsen Heights, or the Sunset, Twin Peaks, and San Miguel slopes. If a method could be devised, a re-subdivision in many of these cases would undoubtedly be warranted, in order to secure the development desired. This has

already been urged in Report No. 8, dealing with the development of the territory to be served by the Market Street extension tunnel under Twin Peaks.

15th. A number of the extensions herein named lie partly or wholly outside of the jurisdiction of the city, as, for example, the Belt line around the waterfront, and the Presidio line. Special means must therefore be found for the financing of these extensions, particularly the Belt line. But until the project is financed, arrangements should be made whereby The Embarcadero will be kept open for the building of such a service line next to the dock wall.

16th. The Van Ness Avenue line is largely a matter of municipal policy. Without tunnels it will unquestionably be needed, as it will become of great strategic importance in the event of failure to reach a resettlement of existing difficulties, when the organization of a complete competitive municipal system will be the principal means of relief.

17th. It is probable that a number of the extensions recommended, especially those not in a direct line of through traffic, may be better handled for the present by means of a *shuttle service* rather than to attempt through service to the downtown district. On such lines, smaller car equipment would be permissible, such as would not be of sufficient capacity to warrant operating through the business district. And as shuttle cars can be readily operated on a *definite schedule* through the outlying districts, much better service results from transfer to a trunk line of frequent headway than to attempt a through service that will very likely be irregular at times, due to delays on the trunk line. Passengers then always have the opportunity of transferring to and from the *first* trunk line car passing.

18th. Only one cable line extension is recommended, on Diamond Street, and this is unavoidable as it is now the most feasible way to reach the southern slopes of Noe Valley, unless a resubdivision of all the surrounding slopes with contour streets is put into effect.

19th. In view of the completion of the Mission Viaduct an additional viaduct from Holly Street across the Islais Creek basin into University Mound district is not considered as of such pressing necessity for some years to come as the other extension projects herein outlined.

20th. The opening of Berry Street and the improvement of Division Street as a continuation of Fourteenth for cross-town connection will become advisable in the very near future; also the utilization of Potrero and San Bruno Avenues as a low-level outlet from the district south of Market down the Peninsula.

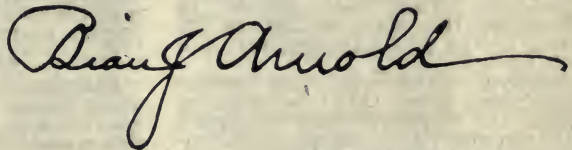
21st. The early improvement of Bernal Cut for handling

through traffic from the converging thoroughfares is extremely important, and special plans have been made therefor.

22nd. A comparatively easy grade along Church Street has been devised by means of a short diversion at Mission Park and a tunnel one block in length, which line reaches the heavily-settled Noe Valley district, which requires additional service perhaps more than any other district in the city. This project will be developed in detail under "Improvements in City Planning."

In conclusion, it is again necessary to draw the attention of your Board and the citizens of San Francisco to the serious fact, with which they are confronted, that *capital must be found* to build these extensions. The municipality, of course, has a free hand in this contemplated use of its streets; but many of the extensions are of such a fragmentary character that it is a grave question whether it should undertake, under present conditions, a capital burden of this nature. The only alternatives are for these extensions to be financed by assessment upon the property benefited thereby, or else by private capital, and to make this possible the passage of Charter Amendment No. 34, with proper restrictions, is therefore necessary and vital to the proper development of your city, particularly in time for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Respectfully submitted,



Consulting Engineer.

Prepared December 2, 1912.

Leave of Absence—Alexander L. O'Grady,
Police Commissioner.

The following communication was
presented and *read by the clerk*:
San Francisco Cal.,
December 9th, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors
of the City and County of San
Francisco, San Francisco, California.
Gentlemen:

Application has been made to me by
Hon. Alexander L. O'Grady, member of
the Board of Police Commissioners,
for leave of absence with permission
to leave the State of California, for a
period not to exceed twenty-five days.

Pursuant to the language of Section
3, Article XVI of the Charter of this
City and County, I recommend to
your Honorable Board that such leave

be granted, effective from December
7th, 1912.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES ROLPH, JR., Mayor.

Whereupon the following resolution
was presented under suspension of the
rules and *adopted*:

J. R. No. 518.

Resolved, That in accordance with
the recommendation of his Honor, the
Mayor, Police Commissioner Alexander
L. O'Grady be and he is hereby
granted a leave of absence of twenty-
five (25) days from and after Decem-
ber 7, 1912, with permission to leave
the State.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini,
Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings,

Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—15.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered filed:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Giannini, Chairman.

Health Committee, by Supervisor Caglieri, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, Chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Edw. L. Nolan, chairman.

Directing Eggs be Bought in Open Market.

The following resolution *laid over from last meeting* was taken up out of order on motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, The Sherry-Freitas Company, which now holds the contract for Item No. 1108, for cold storage eggs, has refused and failed to deliver same in conformity with the specifications and contract; therefore be it

Resolved, That said article be bought in the open market as required by the public institutions; and be it further

Resolved, That if said article should cost more than the price at which the Sherry-Freitas Company was awarded the contract, such excess cost shall be charged to said firm; and be it further

Resolved, That the sureties upon their bond be notified hereof, and that the City Attorney be directed to prosecute any claims that may arise hereunder against said Sherry-Freitas Company.

Motion.

Supervisor Hayden moved that matter be recommitted to Supplies Committee.

Ayes—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan—6.

Noes—Bancroft, Gaglieri, Giannini, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy—9.

Motion lost.

Privilege of the Floor.

Whereupon, E. C. Harrison, attorney, representing Sherry-Freitas, was granted the privilege of the floor and read the rules of the San Francisco Dairy Produce Exchange. He stated that the City was not in a position to complain of the

delivery of eggs inasmuch as it had received what the contract called for. Sherry-Freitas made deliveries under contract on condition that they be tested immediately on delivery. Goods were found to be up to grade by the chandlers. He declared that Mr. Harris was considered an expert in his line by the San Francisco Dairy Produce Exchange except in Sherry-Freitas contracts, because it has been found that in such contracts he has not been impartial. He also declared that Mr. Harris had made statements that the eggs furnished by Sherry-Freitas would not pass before ever he had tested them.

Arthur Sherry, member of the firm of Sherry-Freitas, also addressed the Board and stated that when this particular order was received his chandlers were instructed to be careful as expert would not give Sherry-Freitas any the best of it. The reason offered was that in course of competition in business Sherry-Freitas has taken business from Mr. Harris amounting to 60% of his trade. Mr. Sherry declared that he was not notified to be present at the examination held at the Board of Health as he had been promised. He stated that he had no motive for giving city bad eggs as he was getting a good price and better than the market now called for. The eggs rejected were afterwards sold in regular course of trade as firsts.

Action Deferred.

Supervisor Giannini moved that when Board adjourns it does so to meet at 3 p. m. tomorrow to consider this matter (No. 61 on the Calendar) and the ordinance licensing billboards (No. 62 on the Calendar).

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following resolutions, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up and on motion of Supervisor Jennings *indefinitely postponed*:

Authorizing Payment of \$265,656.68 to Percy V. Long, City Attorney, in Satisfaction of Award of Arbitrator in the Acquisition of Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of two hundred and sixty-five thousand, six hundred and fifty-six dollars and sixty-eight cents (\$265,656.68) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue of 1912, to Percy V. Long, City Attorney, which said amount is to be paid to Frank H. Powers, Trustee, by said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, in pay-

ment for amount of award in the findings of the arbitrator, filed and entered November 27, 1912, in the office of the County Clerk of the City and County of San Francisco, ascertaining and fixing the values of the interests of the Lexington Realty Company, a corporation, Heald's Business College, a corporation, Sunset Garage Company, a corporation, and the Pan-American Motor Car Company, a corporation, defendants in the action of the City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams et al., No. 41,542, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, in and to that certain lot, piece or parcel of land commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of McAllister street with the westerly line of Polk street; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Larkin street 120 feet to the northerly line of Ash street; running thence westerly along said northerly line of Ash street 152 feet 3 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the southerly line of McAllister street; running thence easterly along said southerly line of McAllister street 152 feet 3 inches to the said westerly line of Polk street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, which is required for public use of the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of a City Hall and Civic Center; and be it further

Resolved, That the payment of said sum of two hundred and sixty-five thousand, six hundred and fifty-six dollars and sixty-eight cents (\$265,656.68) to said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, out of the funds of said City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue of 1912, is hereby authorized and directed.

Authorizing Payment of \$19,814.33 to Percy V. Long, City Attorney, in Satisfaction of Judgment Rendered in Condemnation Proceedings for Certain Civic Center Lands.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nineteen thousand eight hundred and fourteen dollars and thirty-three cents (\$19,814.33) is hereby authorized to be made out of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue of 1912, to Percy V. Long, City Attorney, which said amount is to be paid into court by said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, in payment for amount of award in the decree of condemnation entered November 29, 1912, in the office of the County Clerk of the City and County of San Francisco, against Albert Knorp, George Knorp and Frank Knorp as executors of the last will and testament of Mary Ann Armstrong, deceased, defendants in the action of

the City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams et al., No. 41,542, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, wherein and whereby the lot, piece or parcel of land commencing at a point on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon 138 feet 4½ inches easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue; running thence easterly along said southerly line of McAllister street 38 feet 4½ inches; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the northerly line of Ash street; thence at a right angle westerly 38 feet 4½ inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the said southerly line of McAllister street and point of commencement, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66, was condemned for the public use of the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of a City Hall and Civic Center; and be it further

Resolved, That the payment of said sum of nineteen thousand, eight hundred and fourteen dollars and thirty-three cents (\$19,814.33) to said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, out of the funds of said City Hall and Civic Center Bond Issue of 1912, is hereby authorized and directed.

Final Passage.

The following matter, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9849 (New Series): Resolved, That Elmer Carlson is hereby granted an extension of sixty days from and after December 5, 1912, within which to complete the contract for yard work of the Lowell High School.

This extension is granted for the reason that work was stopped pending revision of plans; and be it

Further Resolved, That the advertising charges for printing this resolution are hereby remitted.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Authorizations.

Supervisor Jennings presented:
Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.
Caldwell & Co., eighth payment, construction Pumping Station No. 2 (claim dated Nov. 22, 1912).....\$10,018.49

Chas. C. Moore & Co., final payment, furnishing and installing mechanical equipment for Pumping Station No. 1 (claim dated Nov. 20, 1912)..... 21,175.96

Park Fund.

Spring Valley Water Company, water furnished Golden Gate Park and squares (claim dated Oct. 25, 1912) \$1,983.98

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

John G. Sutton Co., assignee of J. Looney, final payment, plumbing, service building, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912)..... \$3,940.00

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

W. L. Holman Co., first payment, furnishing and delivering street cars (claim dated Nov. 27, 1912) \$23,100.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

To Percy V. Long, City Attorney, said amount to be paid by the said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, to Frank H. Powers, trustee, for amount of award in findings of the arbitrator in fixing values of the interests of the Lexington Realty Company, Healds Business College, Sunset Garage Company, and the Pan-American Motor Car Company, defendants, in action of the City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams, et al., in the Superior Court for the acquisition of lands for City Hall-Civic Center purposes, situate at the southwest corner of McAllister and Larkin streets, of dimensions 120 feet by 152 feet and 3 inches (claim dated Nov. 29, 1912) \$265,656.68

To Percy V. Long, City Attorney, said amount to be paid by the said Percy V. Long, City Attorney, for amounts of award in decree of condemnation entered: action in the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams, et al., for the acquisition of land for City Hall-Civic Center purposes, situate on the south line of McAllister street 138 feet 4½ inches easterly from Van Ness avenue, of dimensions 38 feet 4½ inches by 120

feet (claim dated Nov. 29, 1912) 19,814.33

Reliance Automobile Company, for assignment of lease and bill of sale of fixtures, City Hall-Civic Center, land east line of Van Ness avenue, 35 feet south of Fulton, known as No. 342-352 Van Ness avenue (claim dated Nov. 15, 1912) 1,116.00

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Savings Union Bank and Trust Co., for erroneous payment of taxes (claim dated Nov 27, 1912)..... \$586.36

Miller & Lux, Inc., meats, Relief Home (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912) 2,015.28

The Rincon Publishing Company, printing public documents (claim dated Nov. 29, 1912) 693.75

Wold & Kohn, third payment, general construction, Fire Engine House No. 46 (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912) 8,116.50

Commery-Peterson Co., first payment, general construction, North End Police Station (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912) 5,100.00

Wold & Kohn, final payment, repairs to Tubercular Hospital (claim dated Nov. 27, 1912) 8,550.00

McSheehy Bros., hauling, erecting and storing election booths, per contract (claim dated Nov. 25, 1912) 1,172.08

Spencer Street Planing Mill, hauling and erection of election booths, per contract (claim dated Nov. 18, 1912) 1,637.70

Phillips & Van Orden Co., ballot paper (claim dated Nov. 16, 1912) 1,220.40

Daily Journal of Commerce, advertising (claim dated Nov. 25, 1912) 1,102.13

Keenan Bros., overhauling and repairing Police automobile (claim dated Nov. 21, 1912), as per contract.. 555.00

United States Tire Co., tires, bolts, etc., Fire Department (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912) 1,173.89

J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, Fire Department (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912) 1,732.54

Producers Hay Co., oats, Fire Dept. (claim dated Oct. 1, 1912) 1,546.90

Egan Bros., straw, Fire Dept. (claim dated Nov. 5, 1912) 515.38

American Ja France Fire Engine Co., automobile wheels and spinnles (claim dated Oct. 7 1912) 597.33

Associated Oil Co., fuel oil,

Fire Dept. (claim dated Nov. 12, 1912)	520.51
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Fire Dept. (claim dated Nov. 12, 1912)	628.24
Spring Valley Water Co., water for hydrants (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912)	10,956.84
Spring Valley Water Co., water, public buildings (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912)	1,871.99
E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., paving gravel (claim dated Nov. 11, 1912)	625.00
Bion J. Arnold, investigation street railway systems (claim dated Nov. 25, 1912)	3,401.18

Amendment.

Supervisor Jennings moved to amend by inserting under "Park Fund," "The Lewis Motor Truck Co., motor truck, \$4750."

Amendment carried.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the above resolution, as amended, was finally passed as Resolution No. 9850 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

(Supervisor McLeran stated that he wished to be recorded as voting no on the W. L. Holman item and aye on the balance of the resolution.)

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9851 (New Series): Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Polytechnic High School Fund, Bond Issue, January 1, 1910.

Pacific Tool and Supply Company, machine shop equipment, Polytechnic High School (claimed at Nov. 4, 1912), \$2671.90.

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue, 1912.

John Galen Howard, payment of retaining fee in accordance with Resolution No. 16838 of Board of Public Works (claim dated Nov. 14, 1912), \$2500.00.

Elizabeth F. Wainwright, for purchase of land, north line of McAllister street, 167½ ft. east of Polk street, 60 ft. by 120 ft. (claim dated Nov. 20, 1912), \$30,416.49.

Sullivan Estate Company, for purchase of land west line of Polk street,

97 ft. south of Fulton street, 40½ ft. by 137½ ft. (claim dated Nov. 18, 1912), \$18,014.13.

B. Katchinski, for purchase of land northwest corner Polk and Grove streets, 137½ ft. by 170 ft. (claim dated Nov. 13, 1912), \$96,063.70.

Hall of Justice Bond Issue, 1908.

Standard Electrical Const. Co., final payment, electric wiring, Hall of Justice (claim dated Apr. 4, 1912), \$897.50.

Geary Street Railway Fund, July 1, 1910.

Eccles & Smith, first payment, tie plates, Geary Street Railway (claim dated October 30, 1912), \$2304.00.

Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.

The Destructor Co., 8th payment, garbage incinerators (claim dated Nov. 18, 1912), \$6940.87.

Water Construction Fund, July 1, 1910.

J. H. Dockweiler, expense of preparation of data regarding water supply sources for submission to U. S. Engineers (claim dated Nov. 15, 1912), \$1135.90.

J. H. Dockweiler, preparation of data regarding water supply sources for submission to U. S. Engineers (claim dated November 15, 1912), \$750.00.

Cyril Williams, Jr., expenses of preparation of data regarding water supply sources Livermore Valley (claim dated Nov. 15, 1912), \$537.65.

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Selby Smelting and Lead Co., bolts, pig lead, etc. (claim dated Nov. 20, 1912), \$16,994.76.

Judson Manufacturing Co., 2nd payment, steel construction, Pumping Station No. 2 (claim dated Nov. 20, 1912), \$875.00.

General Fund, 1912-1913.

Harris & Cahen, eggs, Tuberculosis Hospital (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$586.40.

Miller & Lux Incorporated, meats, San Francisco Hospital (claim Oct. 31, 1912), \$604.83.

Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Nov. 8, 1912), \$1108.74.

Daily Journal of Commerce, advertising (claim dated Nov. 16, 1912), \$1390.96.

Daily Journal of Commerce, advertising (claim dated Nov. 19, 1912), \$1641.58.

State of California, maintenance in state schools (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$584.07.

Catholic Humane Bureau, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$4322.55.

The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$625.54.

The Albertinum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Nov. 2, 1912), \$621.14.

Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$1042.61.

Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$1270.10.

Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vincent's Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$1753.19.

Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912), \$671.00.

John Galen Howard, services as consulting architect, October, 1912, (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912), \$675.00.

G. W. McGinn & Co., 1st payment, improvement of roadway of Howard street, between Fourth and Eighth streets (claim dated Nov. 15, 1912), \$3177.90.

Fay Improvement Co., grouting over basalt blocks, Eighth street, Bryant to Harrison streets (claim dated Nov. 14, 1912), \$803.00.

Fay Improvement Co., grouting on Eighth street, Folsom to Harrison streets (claim dated Nov. 14, 1912), \$839.52.

Producers' Hay Co., hay and oats, Police Department (claim dated Oct. 30, 1912), \$525.14.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Appropriations.

Resolution No. — (New Series):
Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, 1912.

For payment to Bakewell & Brown, architects, for preparation of City Hall plans as per contract with Board of Public Works, \$10,000.00.

School Bond Fund, 1908.

For construction of Starr King School, additional to \$52,500.00 heretofore appropriated, as per recommendation by Board of Public Works, filed November 20, 1912, \$12,500.00.

For equipment of Grattan School, \$1150.00.

Geary Street Railway Bond Fund, 1910.

For painting trolley poles of Geary Street Railway, \$1200.00.

For purchase of two "cross-overs" for Geary Street Railway, per recommendation by Board of Public Works, filed November 16, 1912, \$2768.00.

Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904.

For construction of sewers and appurtenances in Stuart street from Howard to Folsom streets, additional appropriation, per recommendation by Board of Public Works, filed Nov. 16, 1912, \$368.58.

Amendment.

Supervisor Jennings moved to strike out item "For painting trolley poles of Geary Street Railway, \$1200."

Amendment carried.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the above resolution as amended was finally passed as Resolution No. 9852 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9853 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For repairs to Fire Department buildings during month of December, 1912.. \$1,500.00

For repairs to Police Department buildings during month of December, 1912.. 500.00

For general repairs to public buildings during month of December, 1912 1,000.00

For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets during month of December, 1912 40,000.00

For reconstruction of and repairs to sewers during month of December, 1912.. 12,000.00

For furnishing and equipping Hall of Justice and City Hall; to be expended under direction of Public Buildings Committee of the Board of Supervisors..... 5,000.00

For the Reconstruction, Etc., of School Department Buildings, Budget Item No. 551.

For repairs to School Department buildings during month of December, 1912.. \$5,500.00

For Expense of Maintenance, Cleaning Streets, Etc., Budget Item 553.

For maintenance and clean-

ing, sweeping and sprinkling streets during month of December, 1912.....\$27,000.00

For Special Emergency Sanitary Measures, Budget Item No. 382a.

To be expended by the Board of Health for the continuance of special sanitation measures, for the months of December, 1912, and January and February, 1913, at the rate of \$1233.00 per month \$3,699.00

Geary Street Railway Bond Fund, 1910.

For the purchase of rail spikes by the Board of Public Works for the use of the Geary Street Railway... \$427.50

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Rescinding Appropriation Heretofore Made for Construction of Sewers, etc., in Beach Street, Between Laguna and Webster Streets, etc.

Resolution No. 9854 (New Series):

Resolved, That so much of Resolution No. 9515 (New Series), as authorizes the expenditure of \$41,200.00 for the construction of sewer and appurtenances in Beach street, between Laguna and Webster streets; Webster street, between Beach and Tonquin streets, between Webster and Baker streets, approved June 26, 1912, be, and the same is hereby rescinded.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Transfer of \$11,433.82 to the Beale Street Assessment Fund.

Resolution No. 9855 (New Series):

Resolved, That the sum of eleven thousand four hundred and thirty-three and 82-100 dollars (\$11,433.82) heretofore appropriated from the General Fund by Resolution No. 9367 (New Series) and authorized to be expended for the Harrison Street Bridge, be and the same is hereby transferred to the Beale Street Assessment Fund and authorized to be expended in the payment of demands against said last named fund by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Transferring to Credit of Civil Service Commission \$5000 Appropriation Provided in Ordinance 1971 and Resolution 9603.

Resolution No. 9856 (New Series):

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars heretofore appropriated by Ordinance No. 1971 (New Series) and Resolution No. 9603 (New Series)

be transferred to the credit of the Civil Service Commission, the same to be expended by said Civil Service Commission as authorized and directed by said Ordinance and Resolution.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Authorizing and Directing the Board of Public Works to Enter Into Contract with Gorrill Brothers for the Construction of Sewers, etc., in Beach, Fillmore and Tonquin Streets.

Resolution No. 9857 (New Series):

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with Gorrill Brothers for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Beach, Fillmore and Tonquin streets, between Laguna and Pierce streets, at their bid price of \$32,719.37, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same out of "Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904," the sum of \$35,000.00, said amount to include inspection, incidentals and possible extras; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition of said contract for the construction of said sewers and appurtenances that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Jennings *laid over one week*:

Board of Public Works to Enter Into Contract With Karl Ehrhart for the Construction of Sewers, etc., in Tonquin Street, Between Baker and Pierce Street.

Resolution No. — (New Series):

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with Karl Ehrhart for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Tonquin street, between Baker and Pierce streets, at his bid price of \$20,120.60, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same out of "Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904," the sum of \$22,000.00, said amount to include inspection, incidentals and possible extras; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and per-

mitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the construction of said sewers and appurtenances that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Board of Public Works to Contract With R. C. Storrie & Co. for the Construction of Sewers and Appurtenances in Drumm Street, from Commercial to Jackson Streets, and in Jackson Street, from Commercial to Bay Street, and Appropriating \$66,000 Therefor.

Resolution No. 9858 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with R. C. Storrie & Co. for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Drumm street, from Commercial street to Jackson street and in Jackson street from Commercial street to the bay, at their bid price of \$63,066.00, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same out of "Sewer Construction Account Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908," the sum of \$66,000.00; said appropriation to include inspection, house connections and possible extras; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition of said contract for the construction of said sewers and appurtenances that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Board of Public Works to Contract With Flinn & Treacy for the Improvement of Geary Street, from Buchanan to Divisadero Streets, and Appropriating \$18,000 Therefor.

Resolution No. 9859 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with Flinn & Treacy for the improvement of Geary street from the easterly line of Buchanan street to the easterly line of Divisadero street at their bid price of \$17,254.19, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same out of "Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond

Issue 1910," the sum of \$6,380.00, and out of Budget Item No. 549, "For paving, repaving, repairs to streets, etc., the sum of \$11,620.00, a total of \$18,000.00; said appropriation to include inspection and possible incidentals; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition of said contract for the improvement of said Geary street that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Creating a Special Fund Designated "Municipal Railway Fund" and Transferring \$10,000 thereto.

Resolution No. 9860 (New Series):

Resolved, That a Special Fund is hereby created as provided in Section 16 of Article XII of the Charter, to be designated "Municipal Railway Fund," into which shall be paid all receipts resulting from the operation of the Geary Street Railway; also

Resolved, That the sum of ten thousand dollars is hereby transferred from the Geary Street Railway Construction Fund, Bond Issue, 1910, to said Municipal Railway Fund, and said sum is authorized to be expended in the initial equipment and contingent operating expenses of the Geary Street Railway. The sum hereby transferred is hereby declared to be a loan to the fund hereby created and so much thereof as may be used for operating expenses shall be retransferred to the Geary Street Railway Construction Fund from the surplus earnings of the Geary Street Railway.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 9861 (New Series):
Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted the McKenzie Estate to maintain a storage tank at the northwest corner of Van Ness avenue and Bush street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Pasteurization of Milk.

Bill No. 2329, Ordinance No. 2098 (New Series), Regulating the pasteurizing of milk, defining same and regulating the method under which the same shall be produced.

Be it ordained by the People of the

City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Pasteurizing milk is hereby defined as follows: To be the heating of every portion of the milk to not less than 140 degrees Fahrenheit, maintaining same at that temperature for at least 20 minutes and immediately cooling the same to at least 45 degrees Fahrenheit.

The use of this term shall be limited to milk produced and sold under the following conditions:

A. Any person, firm or corporation desiring to produce pasteurized milk for sale in the City and County of San Francisco shall make application to the Department of Public Health on blanks provided for that purpose.

B. A permit shall be granted by the Department of Public Health if it appears upon investigation that the pasteurizing equipment installed is such that 99 per cent of all bacteria and all pathogenic bacteria are killed in milk treated therein at a temperature of not less than 140 degrees F. maintained at that temperature for twenty minutes. Further, that the pasteurizing apparatus is equipped with a recording thermometer of such a type that the same may be kept locked by the Department of Public Health.

C. The thermometric record of all pasteurization of milk shall become the property of the Department of Public Health and shall be collected by its authorized representatives.

D. Milk intended for pasteurization shall conform to the following requirements:

It shall be the product of a dairy rating not less than 60 per cent on the score card Department of Public Health.

E. All pasteurized milk shall be plainly marked on each bottle or other container in which such milk is delivered to consumers with a label bearing the inscription "Pasteurized Milk" together with a serial number.

F. All utensils used in the production and handling of pasteurized milk must be properly cleaned and sterilized each time before using, and shall be so constructed that all parts are absolutely free from places where milk can accumulate or soak in so that it cannot be removed by simple washing and the surface coming in contact with the milk or cream must be smooth and free from rust.

G. Pasteurized milk shall be delivered to the consumer not later than twenty-four hours after pasteurization.

H. Milk once pasteurized must not be re-pasteurized.

I. Any violation of the regulations for the production of pasteurized milk shall result in a revocation of the per-

mit to produce pasteurized milk for sale in the City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Regulating the Sale of Milk or Cream.

Bill No. 2330, Ordinance No. 2099 (New Series), Regulating the sale of milk or cream in quantities of one quart or less.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. No person, firm or corporation shall sell, offer for sale, expose for sale, or keep with the intention of selling, any milk or cream in quantities of one quart or less, in stores or in other places where merchandise or commodities other than milk or cream is sold, offered for sale or exposed for sale, or kept with the intention of selling (except where the milk or cream is to be consumed upon the premises) unless the milk or cream is kept, offered for sale, exposed for sale, or sold in tightly closed bottles or receptacles of a similar character, upon the cap or covers of which is printed or inscribed in a conspicuous and legible manner the name of the person, firm or corporation bottling said milk or cream in such bottle or receptacle. It shall be unlawful for any such bottle or receptacle to have blown into it, or otherwise indicated thereon, the name of any person, firm or corporation other than or different from that which is indicated on said cover or cap.

Section 2. No person shall transfer any milk from one can, bottle or receptacle on any street, alley or thoroughfare, or upon a delivery wagon, or other vehicle, or in any place in the City and County of San Francisco, except in a milk-house or creamery, the sanitary condition of which has been approved by the Department of Public Health.

Section 3. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars and not more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not less than twenty-four hours, and not more than thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect January 1, 1913.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Ostrich Farm Permit.

Resolution No. 9862 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to the Golden Gate Ostrich Farm, to maintain an ostrich farm for 30 ostriches, in the block bounded by Forty-sixth avenue, Forty-seventh avenue, Sutro Heights avenue and Balboa street; said farm to be conducted in strict accordance with the sanitary regulations of the City and County and stipulations on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Imposing a License on Public Exhibitions of Animals.

Bill No. 2336, Ordinance No. 2100 (New Series), as follows:

Imposing a license on public exhibitions of animals and birds.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Every person, firm or corporation (except theaters and circuses) maintaining and conducting any place where animals or birds are exhibited, and an admission fee is charged, shall pay a license of six (6) dollars per quarter.

Section 2. Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine not to exceed five hundred (\$500) dollars, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Relative to Soliciting Business in Railroad Trains, Steamboat or Other Vehicle.

Bill No. 2337, Ordinance No. 2101 (New Series), as follows: Amending Ordinance No. 1898 (New Series), Regulating the use of hackney carriages, automobiles, taxicabs, and other public passenger vehicles, fixing the rates to be charged for the transportation of persons and personal baggage, regulating the use of boats in the waters of the bay, providing a punishment for any violation thereof and repealing Order No. 1614, Ordinances Nos. 446, 1033 and 514 (New Series), by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 34½, prohibiting the soliciting of patronage on trains or boats without permission of the

owners.

That Ordinance No. 1898 (New Series) be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 34½, and to read as follows:

Section 34½. No person shall solicit patronage for any hotel, vehicle or other business, upon any railroad train, steamboat or vehicle whatsoever within the corporate limits of the City and County of San Francisco without first having obtained permission in writing so to do from the owner, lessee or managing agent of such owner, charterer or lessee of such railroad, steamboat or other vehicle.

Section 2. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed five hundred (500) dollars or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Action Deferred.

The following bill, heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion laid over one week:

Granting United Railroads Permission to Use Portions of Bay and Laguna Streets for Street Railway Purposes.

The following entitled bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and, on motion of Supervisor McCarthy, indefinitely postponed:

Bill No. 2316, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the United Railroads of San Francisco to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes, subject to the conditions imposed herein."

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the following substitute bill was introduced by Supervisor Murphy and passed for printing:

Bill No. 2335, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes, subject to the conditions imposed herein.

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to lay down, construct, maintain and operate certain street railways in the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

First: To lay down, construct, maintain and operate a double track street railroad, upon and along the following streets, namely: Commencing at the intersection of Polk and Bay streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, there connecting with street railway tracks to be constructed on said Polk street; thence running westerly along said Bay street to a point approximately one hundred and fifty feet west of the westerly line of Van Ness avenue; and thence curving into Fort Mason Military Reservation, there to connect with certain railway tracks to be constructed within said reservation, in accordance with a revocable license issued to the United Railroads of San Francisco by the Secretary of War of the United States, under date of October 16, 1912.

Together with permission, likewise revocable at the pleasure of this Board, to operate said street railway by the overhead electric system.

Second: To lay down, construct, maintain and operate a single track street railway upon and along the following streets, namely: Curving out of Fort Mason Military Reservation at a point on Laguna street approximately fifty feet south of the south line of Beach street; thence south along Laguna street to a point approximately twenty-five feet north of the south line of North Point street; thence curving into Fort Mason Military Reservation, there to connect with the railway tracks to be constructed in Fort Mason Military Reservation in accordance with the revocable license of the Secretary of War above referred to.

Together with permission, likewise revocable at the pleasure of this Board, to operate said street railway by the overhead electric system.

Section 2. This permission hereby given is subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. That the Board of Supervisors may revoke this permit at any time without notice, and within forty-eight hours after receiving notice of such revocation said United Railroads shall cease operating its cars over any tracks constructed under the authority herein granted, and within three months thereafter shall remove all tracks, poles, wires and appurtenances in said streets and shall restore such streets to as good a condition as before such removal, and upon a failure to remove such tracks, poles, wires and appurtenances, the same shall revert to and become the property of the City and County, and no claim for damage on account of such reversion shall be made against said City and County or its officers.

1a. That the City and County of San Francisco shall have the privilege at any time of taking over all trackage

constructed under the terms of the permit located on city streets, upon payment to the United Railroads of the full appraised value thereof.

2. That no assignment of any right herein granted shall be made by said United Railroads, without first obtaining consent of the Board of Supervisors.

2a. That the said United Railroads shall pay to the City and County of San Francisco as a consideration for the use of said track privilege a proportion of the gross earnings of the Polk street route known as "9th and Polk" as now operated, which percentage is to be determined as the proportion which the length of the new track privilege granted by the City and County of San Francisco bears to the total length of the Polk street operating line, to-wit:

Polk and Larkin line, center line of Brannan street to center line of Bay street.

Bay street extension, center line of Polk street to southerly line of Fort Mason Reservation.

Laguna street loop, from westerly line of Fort Mason Reservation southerly on Laguna street and to westerly line of reservation.

Total length of operating line, single track, 34,586 feet.

Length of taxable portion, 1,614 feet.

Proportion of line taxable, 4.73 per cent.

Proportion of gross receipts taxable, 0.142 (142-1000ths) per cent.

3. That upon the order of the Board of Supervisors, said United Railroads shall pave the entire roadway of the streets occupied by its tracks, and construct such terminal system and facilities as may be deemed necessary for the convenience of the public.

4. That the City and County, for the purpose of operating a municipal street railway, shall have the right to use the tracks and appurtenances constructed in the streets under this permit, or any portion thereof, and also to use all or any portion of the tracks, terminals and appurtenances constructed by said United Railroads within the Fort Mason Military Reservation, sharing with said United Railroads the expense of operation and installation under such working and business agreement as may be approved by the Secretary of War.

Before exercising any rights under this ordinance, the United Railroads of San Francisco, by its proper officers, shall execute its acceptance hereof and file the same in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLaren, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Establishing Grades, Meacham Place.

Bill No. 2338, Ordinance No. 2102 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Meacham Place."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Full Acceptance.

Bill No. 2331, Ordinance No. 2103 (New Series), Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Tenth avenue, between Geary and Anza streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Conditional Acceptance.

Bill No. 2332, Ordinance No. 2104 (New Series), Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Seventeenth avenue, between Cabrillo and Fulton streets; intersection of Sears street and Sickles avenue; crossing of Geary street and Twentieth avenue; crossing of Geary and Eighteenth avenue; crossing of Cabrillo and Seventeenth avenue.

Accepting a Deed to Lands for the Opening of Ocean Avenue.

Bill No. 2333, Ordinance No. 2105 (New Series), Approving and accepting a deed from the Residential Development Company of San Francisco (a corporation), for the opening of Ocean avenue from the easterly line of Plymouth avenue to the westerly line of Corbett avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Accepting a Deed to Lands for the Opening of Corbett Avenue.

Bill No. 2334, Ordinance No. 2106 (New Series) approving and accepting a deed of lands from the Residential Development Company of San Francisco (a corporation) for the opening of Corbett avenue from the easterly line of San Miguel Rancho to the westerly line of San Miguel Rancho.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—12.

Billboard Ordinance.

Bill No. 2339, Ordinance No. 2107 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the construction, erection and maintenance of billboards and other boards, fences, signs and structures erected for advertising purposes or upon which any advertisement is shown painted or displayed in any

way, and regulating bill posting and bulletin sign painting and outdoor advertising."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy—10.

No—Supervisor Nolan—1.

Absent—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Hocks, Mauzy, McCarthy, Payot, Vogelsang—7.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$620,150.87, numbered consecutively 30,433 to 30,755, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee.*

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—10.

NEW BUSINESS.**Adopted.**

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Mayor to Sell Shacks in School Property at Bush and Hyde Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:
J. R. No. 519.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction, in accordance with provisions of the Charter, the certain shack buildings situate on school properties at the northwest corner of Bush and Hyde streets.

(Communication Board of Education filed December 5, 1912.)

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Y. W. C. A. and Women's Prison League
Granted Permission to Use "Night Jury Room" of the Superior Courts.

J. R. No. 520.

Resolved, That the Young Women's Christian Association and the Women's Prison League of California are hereby permitted to use the room known as the "Night Jury Room" of the Superior Courts, on the third floor in the Hall of Justice, and also the use of a closet therein, in the discharge of their labors among the female prisoners during hours to be agreed upon so as not to conflict with the duties of the night juries; and be it further

Resolved, That Journal Resolution No. 514 is hereby repealed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund 1912-1913.

Neal Publishing Co., printing charter amendments, Department of Elections (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912)	\$2,950.00
D. A. White, Chief of Police, contingent allowance (claim dated Dec. 2, 1912)	666.66
John Galen Howard, salary as Consulting Architect (claim dated Dec. 2, 1912)	625.00
Barber Asphalt Co., asphalt (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912)	1,995.17
Westdahl-Hennessy Co., first payment, paving Mission street between Bosworth and Marshall streets (claim dated Dec. 2, 1912)	4,781.36
San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for Public Pound (claim dated Dec. 2, 1912)	850.00
The General Fireproofing Co., file cases for County Clerk (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	800.00
M. M. Finlayson, second payment, general construction, Chemical Engine No. 12 (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	2,337.00
Pacific Gas & Electric Co., lighting (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	35,083.75
<i>Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Michael Murphy, final payment, hauling and laying pipe, Sec. 5 (claim dated Nov. 27, 1912)	\$3,318.23
Michael Murphy, ninth payment, hauling and laying pipe, Sec. 5 (claim dated Nov. 27, 1912)	1,993.60
Contra Costa Construction Co., fourth payment, hauling and laying pipe, Sec. 6 (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	22,526.39
<i>Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.</i>	
F. Rolandi, fifth payment, construction of Car House,	

etc. (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912) \$29,315.58

Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.

Daniel Contracting Co., sixth payment, North Point Main Sewer, Sec. "C-8" (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	\$8,240.11
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., third payment, North Point Main Sewer, Sec. "N" (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	6,869.48
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., sixth payment, North Point Main Sewer, Sec. "M" (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	3,816.93

Sewer Bond Fund, 1904.

C. J. Harney, third payment, Brannan street sewer, First street to Central Place (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	\$8,220.05
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School Bond Fund, 1904.

Wm. A. Newsom, second payment, general construction, Patrick Henry School (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	\$15,225.00
<i>School Bond Fund, 1908.</i>	
Wm. Henning, final payment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated Nov. 19, 1912)	\$65,050.00
Elmer Carson, first payment, yard work, Lowell High School (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	7,500.00

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

Grant Fee, second payment, general finishing, San Francisco Hospitals (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	\$6,300.00
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City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue, 1912.

Percy V. Long, City Attorney, for payment into Court in satisfaction of judgment and decree of condemnation in City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams et al., against the Mercantile Trust Co., a corporation, wherein the lot of land at southwest corner of Larkin and Fulton streets, 120 ft. on Larkin by 206¼ ft. on Fulton street, was condemned and damages were awarded said defendant	\$112,500.00
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Library Fund.

Emporium, books, public library (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	\$605.29
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Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized

to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For doing City's portion of street work at crossing of Randall and Chenery streets	\$41.85
For paving City's portion of Chenery street from Randall north	148.00
For removing the sand from roadway of Fifteenth avenue, between Anza and Balboa streets	495.00

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works Authorized and Directed to Advertise for Proposals for Construction of Sewers and Appurtenances in Cabrillo and Twenty-third Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9863 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Cabrillo street from Twenty-ninth avenue to Twenty-third avenue and in Twenty-third avenue from Cabrillo street to Anza street, out of Sewer Construction Bonds, issue of 1904;

Further Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to incorporate in the notice inviting proposals for the construction of said sewer and appurtenances, a condition that the contract will not be awarded until sufficient funds from the sale of Sewer Construction Bonds, issue of 1904, shall be in the Treasury to meet the cost of the work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Board of Public Works to Advertise for Proposals for Remaking Expansion Joints in Twin Peaks Reservoir.

Also, Resolution No. 9864 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for remaking expansion joints in Twin Peaks Reservoir.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Boiler, Garage and Oil Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

The following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

Galland Mercantile Laundry, No. 317-335 Eighth street, 200 horse power, for laundry purposes.

Del Monte Creamery, No. 386 Utah street, six horse power.

Goodyear Rubber Company, southeast side of Natoma street, 255 feet northeast of Second street, 75 horse power, for factory machines.

Garage.

F. R. Howard, Nos. 717-719 Divisadero street.

Storage Tanks.

Cerciat & Co., No. 1047 McAllister street, capacity 1300 gallons.

Goodyear Rubber Company, southeast side of Natoma street, 255 feet northeast of Second street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Oil Storage Permit, Pacific Gas and Electric Co.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted the Pacific Gas & Electric Company to maintain two oil storage tanks of 8000 gallons capacity each, and a boiler of 1500 horse power, at premises situate on the west side of Meacham Place, 75 feet south of Post street; said permit is granted with the express agreement and understanding that the Pacific Gas & Electric Company will, in the construction of the building, use the best obtainable deafening material, to the end that any noises that might be caused by the operation of the plant will be deadened.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Denying Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri:

J. R. No. 521.

Resolved, That in the exercise of the sound and reasonable discretion of the Board of Supervisors, permission is hereby denied Luigi Valerio to maintain a stable for one horse at 872 Wisconsin street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Providing for Conduct of Charter Amendments, Election and Ratification Acts of Election Commissioners and Registrar Heretofore Taken.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy:

Resolution No. 9865 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the official canvass of the election to be held on December 10, 1912, to vote upon Charter Amendments in the City and County of San Francisco, be made by the Board of Supervisors of said City and County, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 16th day of December, 1912, at the office of the Election Commission in said City and County, and that at that hour the Judiciary Committee of this Board, or a member thereof, attend at such place to represent and act for this Board, and that such clerks as are necessary in the making and conduct of such official canvass be designated at that time by the Registrar of Voters, and that the Board of Election Commissioners of said City and County and the said Registrar of Voters shall assist in making such canvass, and that the said clerks shall work under the supervision of said Election Commission and any member or members of the Judiciary Committee of this Board who may be present under this order, and that the sealed returns be opened and such official canvass be made in the usual manner, and that no change from the figures and tallies in such sealed tally list shall be made unless the same be initialed and stamped as officially canvassed by one of said Election Commissioners or by a member of said Judiciary Committee of this Board, and that if occasion require that any disputed points or matters which cannot be properly otherwise settled shall be reported by said Judiciary Committee of this Board to this Board for its action thereon. That as soon as the said canvass shall be completed and the additions and figures thereof properly ascertained save as to the footings, that the footings be made under the direction of the said Election Commission or of the said Judiciary Committee of this Board, and that the same be presented to this Board for its final consideration and action and the declaration of the final result thereof in the manner required by law; and be it

Further Resolved, That all the acts of the Board of Election Commissioners and of the Registrar of Voters heretofore had or taken in conduct of the said election are hereby ratified and approved.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Installation of Tungsten Lamps and Removal of Arc Lights on Clement Street.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 522.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas &

Electric Company is hereby instructed to supply electric current for 36-500 Watt Tungsten lamps at the herein-after mentioned locations, provided that the City and County of San Francisco shall be at no expense for the installation, upkeep or repairs of said lamps or apparatus connected therewith, nine of said lamps to be on the all-night lighting schedule, the remainder, as herein specified, to be extinguished at 11:00 p. m.

500 Watt Tungsten Lights, All Night.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Arguello boulevard, cesspool position.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Second avenue, cesspool position.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Third avenue, cesspool position.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Fourth avenue, cesspool position.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Fifth avenue, cesspool position.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Sixth avenue, cesspool position.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Seventh avenue, cesspool position.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Eighth avenue, cesspool position.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Ninth avenue, cesspool position.

500 Watt Tungsten Lights, 11 o'Clock.

North side of Clement street, 80 feet west of Arguello boulevard.

South side of Clement street, 160 feet west of Arguello boulevard.

Northeast corner of Clement street and Second avenue, cesspool position.

North side of Clement street, 80 feet west of Second avenue.

South side of Clement street, 160 feet west of Second avenue.

Northeast corner of Clement street and Third avenue, cesspool position.

North side of Clement street, 80 feet west of Third avenue.

South side of Clement street, 160 feet west of Third avenue.

Northeast corner of Clement street and Fourth avenue, cesspool position.

North side of Clement street, 80 feet west of Fourth avenue.

South side of Clement street, 160 feet west of Fourth avenue.

Northeast corner of Clement street and Fifth avenue, cesspool position.

North side of Clement street, 80 feet west of Fifth avenue.

South side of Clement street, 160 feet west of Fifth avenue.

Northeast corner of Clement street and Sixth avenue, cesspool position.

North side of Clement street, 80 feet west of Sixth avenue.

South side of Clement street, 160 feet west of Sixth avenue.

Northeast corner of Clement street and Seventh avenue, property line.

North side of Clement street, 80 feet west of Seventh avenue.

South side of Clement street, 160 feet west of Seventh avenue.

Northeast corner of Clement street and Eighth avenue, property line.

North side of Clement street, 80 feet west of Eighth avenue.

South side of Clement street, 160 feet west of Eighth avenue.

Northeast corner of Clement street and Ninth avenue, property line.

North side of Clement street, 80 feet west of Ninth avenue.

South side of Clement street, 160 feet west of Ninth avenue.

Northeast corner of Clement street and Tenth avenue, property line.

That upon installation of the above mentioned lamps, the said company is hereby instructed to remove arc lamps from the following locations:

Southwest corner of Clement street and Arguello boulevard.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Second avenue.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Third avenue.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Fourth avenue.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Fifth avenue.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Sixth avenue.

Southeast corner of Clement street and Seventh avenue.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Eighth avenue.

Southwest corner of Clement street and Ninth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Installation and Removal of Street Lights.

Also, J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby instructed to install and remove street lamps as follows:

Install Arc Lights.

On States street at Pole No. 13.

Corner Temple street and Serpentine avenue.

Corner Corbett avenue and Hopkins street.

Upper Terrace at Pole No. 14.

Twenty-second avenue, between California and Lake streets.

Nineteenth avenue, between California and Lake streets.

East side Fifteenth avenue, between Clement and Point Lobos avenue.

East side of Fifteenth avenue, between Clement and California streets.

Clay street at Pole No. 393, opposite Madison School.

Waterville street 350 feet north of Silver avenue.

Southeast corner of Pierce and Walker streets.

Tenth avenue, between Cabrillo and Fulton streets.

Install Single-Top Gas Lamps.

Southwest corner of Eighth and Stevenson streets.

Southwest corner of Adelaide and Taylor streets, at cesspool position

North side of Broadway, 103 feet west of Divisadero street.

South side of Broadway, 206 feet west of Divisadero street.

Southeast corner of Broadway and Broderick streets.

Northwest corner of Broadway and Broderick streets.

South side of Broadway, 103 feet west of Broderick street.

Southwest corner of Broadway and Baker streets.

South side of Broadway, 306 feet west of Broderick street.

North side of Broadway, 206 feet west of Broderick street.

Northeast corner of Broadway and Baker streets.

North side of Jersey street, 220 feet west of Diamond street.

West side of Chatham Place, 110 feet north of Bush street.

Remove Single-Top Gas Lamps.

South side Stevenson street, 110 feet west of Eighth street.

Southwest corner of Adelaide and Taylor streets (property line).

Southeast corner of Broadway and Baker streets.

Southwest corner of Broadway and Broderick streets.

North side of Jersey street 280 feet west of Diamond street.

North side of Broadway, 173 feet west of Divisadero street.

East side of Fillmore street, between Chestnut and Francisco streets.

Southwest corner of Webster and Bay streets.

Remove Arc Lamps.

Southwest corner of Franklin and Francisco streets.

Northwest corner of Franklin and Bay streets.

Southwest corner of Gough and Francisco streets.

Northwest corner of Gough and Bay streets.

Gore corner City Hall avenue and McAllister street.

Amendment.

Supervisor Nolan moved to amend by inserting under caption "Install Arc Lights" the words "Tenth avenue, between Cabrillo and Fulton streets."

Amendment carried.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution as amended was adopted as J. R. 523 by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:
Orders to Install Street Lights Not to Be Construed to Grant Any Other Rights.

J. R. No. 524.

Resolved, That any resolutions or orders of this Board, to install street lights at any given location shall not be construed to grant any rights to use any street for any purpose other than to operate such street lights, and the right is reserved to this Board to discontinue any street light, and when so discontinued all fixtures supplying the same shall be removed.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Masquerade Ball Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 525.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the times and locations hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable purposes, to-wit:

The Hungarians, at Garibaldi Hall, 441 Broadway, December 28, 1912.

Deutscher Krieger Verein, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, January 11, 1913.

S. F. Grutli-Verein, at the German House, Turk and Polk streets, January 18, 1913.

Cortland Avenue Improvement Association, in Bernal Alps Hall, corner of Wool street and Eugenia avenue, December 7, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Regulating the Making and Refilling of Excavations in Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2340, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the making and refilling of excavations in the public streets, alleys, sidewalks, and other public places, and repealing Ordinance No. 658 (New Series)."

Fixing Width of Sidewalks on Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2341, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the Width of Sidewalks,' approved

December 18, 1903, by adding thereto new sections to be numbered Four Hundred and Eighty-eight to Four Hundred and Ninety-two, inclusive," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Ordway street between San Bruno avenue and Ankeny street, shall be ten (10) feet; the width of sidewalks on Ward street between San Bruno avenue and Ankeny street, shall be ten (10) feet; the width of sidewalks on Harkness street between San Bruno avenue and a line 41.69 feet southwesterly from Goettingen street, shall be ten (10) feet; the width of sidewalks on Wilde street between San Bruno avenue and Goettingen street, shall be ten (10) feet; the width of sidewalks on Campbell avenue between San Bruno avenue and Alpha street, shall be ten (10) feet. Any expense caused by the above change of sidewalk widths, shall be borne by the property owners.

Establishing Grades, Costa Street.

Also, Bill No. 2342, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Costa street between San Bruno avenue and Holladay avenue."

Action Deferred.

The following bill was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on motion laid over one week:

Spur Track Permit, Ford Motor Co.

Also, Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the Ford Motor Company, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company in Harrison street, thence over, along and upon the following described route, to wit:

"Commencing at a connection with the existing main line of the Southern Pacific Company on Harrison street at a point 110 feet, more or less, northerly from the northerly line of Twenty-first street; thence running southerly curving to the right and reversing to the left, crossing Twenty-first street and entering private property at a point 30 feet, more or less, southerly from the southerly line of Twenty-first street to a point 72 feet southerly from the southerly line of Twenty-first street and 4 feet 5 inches westerly from the westerly line of Harrison street, a distance of 350 feet."

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2343, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Staples avenue between Foerster street and a point 375 feet westerly

from the westerly line of Genesee street, and on Genesee street, between Flood and Staples avenues."

Also, Bill No. 2344, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Surrey street between Castro and Diamond streets; on Laidley street at the intersection with Castro street, and Castro street between Chenery, Bemis and Sussex streets."

Also, Bill No. 2345, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Aztec street between Coso avenue and Shotwell street."

Also, Bill No. 2346, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Harrison street at the intersection with Sterling street, and on Sterling street for a distance of 100 feet southeasterly from Harrison street."

Also, Bill No. 2347, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Cabrillo street between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues."

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 2348, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of, which order the following street work:

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

That a 12-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with one brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Costa street, between the center and westerly lines of Holladay avenue; that a 12-inch vitrified, salt-glazed ironstone pipe sewer be constructed from the point of intersection of the center line of Costa street and the center line of Holladay avenue to the point of intersection of the center line of Costa street and the easterly line of Holladay avenue; and that a 12-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with 16 Y branches and one brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Costa street, between Holloway and San Bruno avenues.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

An eight (8) inch with sixteen (16) Y branches and three (3) brick man-

holes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Prentiss street from a point twenty (20) feet southerly from Powhattan street to Eugenia avenue; an eight (8) inch along the center line of Prentiss street between the northerly and center lines of Eugenia avenue; a twelve (12) inch with one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Prentiss street between the center and southerly lines of Eugenia avenue; a twelve (12) inch with nine (9) Y branches and one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Prentiss street from the southerly line of Eugenia avenue to the northwesterly line of Cortland avenue; and a twelve (12) inch with one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along a line at right angles to the northwesterly line of Cortland avenue from the point of intersection of the center line of Prentiss street with the northwesterly line of Cortland avenue to the center line of Cortland avenue.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed: An eight (8) inch with two (2) Y branches and one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Thornton avenue between the westerly and easterly lines of Lucy street produced; an eight (8) inch with six (6) Y branches along the center line of Thornton avenue from the easterly line of Lucy street produced to the westerly line of Latona street produced; and an eight (8) inch with one (1) Y branch along the center line of Thornton avenue between the westerly and center lines of Latona street produced.

That an eight (8) inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with 16 Y branches and two (2) brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Twentieth street from a point twenty (20) feet easterly from Missouri street to Texas street.

Than an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed ironstone pipe sewer with 15 Y branches and two (2) brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Texas street from a point 200 feet southerly from Nineteenth street to Twentieth street.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

An eight (8) inch along the center line of Texas street between the northerly and center lines of Twentieth street; a twelve (12) inch with 1 brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Texas street between the center and southerly lines of Twentieth street; and an eight (8) inch along the center line of Twentieth street, between the center and westerly lines of Texas street.

Referred to City Attorney.

The following matter was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and referred to City Attorney:

Accepting Easement for Sewer Right of Way From Gustave Peterson.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series, entitled, "Accepting an easement from Gustave Peterson (a widower, and Herman Poetsch and Ella A. Poetsch, his wife, for a right of way for a sewer in Treat avenue from a point 176 feet southerly from Twenty-sixth street; thence along the center line of Treat avenue produced for a distance of one hundred and seventy-eight (178) feet, more or less, to the northerly line of Army street.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Relative to Removal of Lumber from Berry Street.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

J. R. No. 526.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to advise this Board why the lumber has not been removed from the roadway of Berry street, between Second and Third streets, as directed by resolutions numbered

136, adopted March 25, 1912.

410, adopted September 23, 1912.

459, adopted October 31, 1912.

501, adopted November 18, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Southern Pacific Directed to Repair Certain Streets.

Also, J. R. No. 527.

Resolved, That the Southern Pacific Company (a corporation) is hereby directed to repair the roadway of the hereinafter named streets and street crossings:

The roadway of Townsend street from Fourth to Eighth streets.

The paving of the roadway of Seventh street from Hooper street to the first tunnel designated in Ordinance No. 1095, approved January 7, 1904.

The paving of Kentucky street at Sixteenth street, and on Sixteenth street in front of the approaches to the

viaducts designated in Ordinance No. 1095, approved January 7, 1904.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Recommitted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on his motion ordered referred to the Streets Committee:

Denial of Extension of Time to Willett & Burr for Beale Street Bridge.

Also, J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That Willett & Burr are hereby denied an extension of sixty days' time from and after October 23, 1912, within which to complete the construction of the bridge over Beale street.

City Engineer to Make Map of Sunnyside District.

Also, J. R. No. 528.

Resolved, That the City Engineer is hereby instructed and directed to make the necessary surveys and to make and transmit to the Board of Supervisors an official map or maps of the subdivision known as "Sunnyside," in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, under and pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled, "An Act to amend the Political Code by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 3658a, relating to official maps, the making, adoption and preservation thereof, and the description of property, as delineated thereon for the purpose of assessments and transfers," approved March 25, 1905 (Statutes 1903, page 408), to-wit:

Subdivision known as "Sunnyside," in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and bounded as follows:

On the southerly side of Balboa Park, on the northerly side by Melrose avenue and Mission and Thirtieth Streets Homestead, and on the easterly side by Bell Roche City, and on the westerly side by the Suto Lands.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Board of Public Works to Recommend Paving of Westerly Side of Stuart Street, Between Folsom and Harrison Streets.

Also, J. R. No. 529.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to recommend the paving of the roadway of the westerly side of Stuart street between Folsom and Harrison streets, with a basalt block pavement.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hil-

mer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Board of Public Works to Enforce Provisions of Ordinance No. 33, Relative to Permits for Street Work and to Grant No Extensions of Time for More Than Ninety Days.

Also. J. R. No. 530.

Whereas, The Board of Public Works, by Ordinance No. 33, approved April 6, 1900, is authorized and empowered to investigate all applications for permission to do street work or street improvements under private contract, and to grant permission therefor; and

Whereas, Section 1 of Ordinance No. 33, approved April 6, 1900, provides that the Board of Public Works shall fix the time within which the work or improvement shall be commenced, and when to be completed; but in no event shall the Board extend the time for the doing of the work or improvements more than ninety days beyond the time originally fixed for its completion unless authorized so to do by the Board of Supervisors; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be directed to enforce the provisions of Ordinance No. 33, approved April 6, 1900, and grant no extensions of time for more than ninety days beyond the time originally fixed for the completion of the work, unless authorized so to do by the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Intention to Change Grades.

Resolution No. 9866 (New Series); Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on Mission street, between Crescent avenue and Grant street, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed November 7, 1912, to wit: On Ward street, between Berlin and Goettingen streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Also, Resolution No. 9867 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on Duncan street, at the points hereinafter specified and at the elevations above City base, as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed November 30, 1912, to-wit: On Buena Vista avenue, between Congress and Java

streets; on Java street, at the intersection with Buena Vista avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Mayor to Sell Shack on Civic Center Site.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 531.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be authorized and requested to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, certain shack buildings located on the property recently purchased from Thos. G. Swortfinger, at the northeast corner of McAllister and Polk streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were introduced under suspension of the rules and *passed for printing*:

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Extension of Time, P. J. Gartland.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That P. J. Gartland is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after December 16, 1912, within which to complete contract for the work of curbing and paving Geary street, between Kearny street and Van Ness avenue, under public contract. This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor has been delayed by the service corporations working on the street.

Providing \$3950 for Preparation of Plans and Specifications for Glen Park School.

Resolution No. — (New Series):

Resolved, That the sum of \$3950.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908, for the preparation of plans for the Glenn Park School.

Assessments Collected for Stockton Street Tunnel.

Supervisor Mauzy presented:

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 9, 1912.

Mr. Byron Mauzy, Chairman Committee on Lands and Tunnels, Board of Supervisors, San Francisco.

Dear Sir:

For your information I beg to state

that I have collected for account of the Stockton street tunnel approximately as follows:

Assessments paid in full,	
about	\$281,000
First installment on about 388	
agreements, about	21,000
Interest on same.....	7,500

Total collection\$309,500

The agreements will represent a total valuation of assessments of about \$211,000.

These figures are within a few hundred dollars of the exact amounts.

Respectfully yours,

J. O. LOW,
Tax Collector.

Read and ordered filed.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Heat, Light and Power Companies to
Furnish Statement.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

Resolution No. 9868 (New Series):

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, the Great Western Power Company, the City Electric Company, the Consumers' Light and Power Company, the Equitable Light and Power Company, the South Side Light and Power Company, United Properties Company, Sierra and San Francisco Power Company, United Railroads of San Francisco, Alaska Commercial Company, the Mission Hotel, Haslett's Warehouse, Merchants Ice Company, Municipal Light and Power Company, Mills Building, Kohl Building, J. A. Folger & Co. and all other persons, companies or corporations supplying heat, light or power to this City and County or to the inhabitants thereof, be and they are hereby required to furnish this Board on or before February 1, 1913, with the following information, to-wit:

First—A detailed statement showing all revenue derived by such person, company or corporation supplying heat, light or power, from all sources, for the year ending December 31, 1912.

Second—An itemized statement showing all expenditures made for the manufacture and supply of heat, light or power for the year ending December 31, 1912.

Third—The original cost and the estimated present value of the plant used for the manufacture and supply of heat, light and power.

Fourth—A statement showing the monthly production and cost of heat, light or power during the year 1912.

Fifth—If it be a company or corporation the amount of the capital stock of the company or corporation outstanding, the amount of the bonds of the company or corporation outstanding, and the amount of the floating

debt of the company or corporation.

The above statements to be verified by the oath of the president of such company or corporation, or of such person, as the case may be.

The object of this inquiry is in order that this Board may obtain information upon which to fix and determine, in the month of February, the rates or compensation to be collected by any person, company or corporation in this City and County for the use of heat, light or power supplied to this City and County or to the inhabitants thereof, and to prescribe the quality of the service, as provided under the provisions of the new Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, Article II, Chapter II, Section 1, Subdivision 14, under the title "Powers of the Supervisors."

Further Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to forthwith serve a certified copy of this resolution upon the president and secretary of each company or corporation, or upon such person hereinbefore mentioned, and upon all other companies or corporations, or such persons, as the case may be, furnishing heat, light or power to this City and County or to the inhabitants thereof.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Telephone Companies to Furnish Statements.

Also, Resolution No. 9869 (New Series):

Resolved, That the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, the Bay Cities Home Telephone Company of San Francisco and the Direct Line Telephone Company be and they are hereby directed to file during the month of January of the year 1913, the statements required by Ordinance No. 342 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors, entitled, "Providing for statements being filed by companies, persons or corporations engaged in the business of furnishing telephonic service to the City and County or to the inhabitants thereof, and imposing a penalty for failure to file the same, approved January 8, 1908."

Further Resolved, That the Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to serve a copy of said Ordinance No. 342 (New Series) upon each of the aforesaid companies.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

Water Companies to Furnish Statements.

Also, Resolution No. 9870 (New Series):

Resolved, That the Spring Valley Water Company be and is hereby directed to furnish this Board not later

than February 1, 1913, an inventory of all its property actually used in supplying the City and County of San Francisco with a pure, wholesome supply of water, said inventory to set forth in detail each and every component of its system so used, together with a summary of the cost, showing in connection with each source of supply and the City distributing system, the cost of the lands, water rights, reservoir sites, improvements, works and personal property.

Resolved, That the Spring Valley Water Company be and is hereby directed to furnish, in a manner similar to that above set forth, an inventory of its properties not now actually used in supplying San Francisco with water, but which have been heretofore so used, and also all of its properties which are capable of development into a source of water supply for this City and County.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan—11.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, the Board at the hour of 6:05 p. m. adjourned to meet Tuesday, December 10, 1912, at 3 p. m.

JOHN W. ROGERS,
Acting Clerk.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, December 10, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph being absent, Supervisor Murdock was called to the chair.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The reading and approval of the Journal of the meeting of December 9, 1912, was laid over until next meeting.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Urgent necessities demands amounting to \$152.59 and numbered consecutively 30756 to and including 30764 which failed to pass at last meeting owing to lack of necessary votes were taken up, read and referred to the Finance Committee:

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee by Supervisor Jennings reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Payot and adopted:

City Attorney to Prepare Ordinances and Resolutions in re Subscription of \$750,000 for Municipal Opera House.

On motion of Supervisor Payot:

J. R. No. 532.

Whereas, The chairman of the Public Welfare Committee has been advised by the officers of the San Francisco Musical Association that the full sum of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000.00) has been subscribed for the purpose of the erection of a municipal opera house upon a portion of the proposed Civic Center to be devoted to that purpose; and

Whereas, An agreement has been prepared between the said San Francisco Musical Association and the City and County of San Francisco, providing for the erection of the said municipal opera house; it is therefore

Resolved, That the City Attorney be, and he is hereby requested to prepare and to submit to the Board of Supervisors such ordinances or resolutions as may be necessary to authorize the proper execution and delivery of the aforesaid agreement by the City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Clerk to Provide Stenographer.

Supervisor Hayden moved that Clerk be directed to provide a stenographer to make a transcript of the proceedings.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—15.

Action Deferred.

The following bill laid over from meeting of December 9, 1912, was on motion of Supervisor Giannini again laid over till next meeting:

Licensing Billboards

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), "Imposing a regulating license fee on persons, firms and corporations engaging in the business or occupation of maintaining billboards and bulletin sign boards or of bill posting, bulletin sign painting and outdoor advertising."

Sherry-Freitas Investigation.

The following resolution *laid over from last meeting* was taken out of order on motion of Supervisor Hayden:

Directing Eggs be Bought in Open Market.

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, The Sherry-Freitas Company, which now holds the contract for Item No. 1108, for cold storage eggs, has refused and failed to deliver same in conformity with the specifications and contract; therefore be it

Resolved, That said article be bought in the open market as required by the public institutions; and be it further

Resolved, That if said article should cost more than the price at which the Sherry-Freitas Company was awarded the contract, such excess cost shall be charged to said firm; and be it further

Resolved, That the sureties upon

their bond be notified hereof, and that the City Attorney be directed to prosecute any claims that may arise hereunder against said Sherry-Freitas Company.

Witnesses Examined.

The following persons were duly sworn and testified in the pending investigation:

Louis Remers, member of the firm of Marshal Remers.

Arthur Sherry, member of firm of Sherry-Freitas.

Edw. Lindley, with the firm of Schur Grandi.

L. T. Langworthy, with the firm of Fred B. Haight and Co.

Wm. R. Newman, chandler, with the firm of Sherry-Freitas.

Percy Hennessy, Auditor, Board of Health.

C. M. Wollenberg, Superintendent of Relief Home.

W. H. Roselle, member of the San Francisco Produce Exchange.

Thos. J. Harris, Inspector of the San Francisco Dairy Produce Exchange.

Adjournment.

Whereupon, the Board at the hour of 7:05 p. m. on motion adjourned.

JOHN W. ROGERS,
Acting Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors, December 16, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

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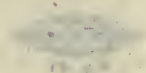
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MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, December 16, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Glannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presided.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

Amendment.

The Journals of the meetings of December 9 and 10, 1912, were read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Relative to Securing Funds for California Building at Exposition.

The following matters were presented and read by the Clerk:

Communication—From Sacramento Valley Exposition Commission, requesting attendance of Supervisor J. Emmet Hayden as representative of San Francisco at meeting of California Counties Exposition Committee at Exposition building, December 19, 1912, at 1:30 o'clock, for the purpose of devising ways and means of securing funds for the erection of a California building at Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

Referred to Publicity Committee.

Endorsement of Bond Issue Projects.

Also, *Communication*—From the Pope Tract Improvement Club, endorsing all of the proposed bond projects to be voted on December 20, 1912.

Ordered filed.

Relative to Navy Yard at Hunter's Point.

Also, *Communication*—From U. S. Senator Geo. C. Perkins, stating that matter of establishing navy yard at Hunter's Point is one in which Congress would take no action without the advice and commendation of the

Navy Department, and that the subject as yet has not been presented.

Ordered filed.

Also, *Communication*—From Congressman J. C. Needham, stating that he will be pleased to co-operate with other members of Congress for the establishment of a navy yard at Hunter's Point.

Ordered filed.

Also, *Communication*—From U. S. Senator John D. Works, stating that he will be glad to co-operate in the matter of the establishment of a navy yard at Hunter's Point.

Ordered filed.

Also, *Communication*—From Congressman John E. Raker, stating that he will give matter of establishment of a navy yard at Hunter's Point his earnest consideration.

Ordered filed.

Also, *Communication*—From Congressman Julius Kahn, stating that he will take up matter of establishment of navy yard at Hunter's Point with Secretary of Navy at earliest opportunity, and will do all he can to secure favorable action.

Ordered filed.

Protests Against Street Excavation Ordinance.

Also, *Communication*—From Spring Valley Water Company, opposing the passage of ordinance regulating the making of excavations in the public streets.

Ordered filed.

Also, *Communication*—From Pacific Gas and Electric Company, opposing the final passage of Bill No. 2340, regulating the making of excavations in the public streets.

Ordered filed.

Also, *Communication*—From Charles F. Curry, Congressman-elect, stating that he is not in favor of a navy yard at Hunter's Point.

Ordered filed.

Protest Against Main Street Change of Grade.

Also, *Protest*—From East End District Improvement Club, against proposed change of grade at Harrison and Main streets.

Ordered referred to Streets Committee.

Request for Postponement of Action on Ordinance Licensing Billboards.

Also, *Communication*—From Chamber of Commerce, requesting that action on ordinance licensing billboards be postponed until such time as books of J. Chas. Green may be investigated.

Referred to Public Welfare Committee.

Request for Privilege of Storing Lumber on Berry Street.

Also, *Communication*—From Wilson Bros. & Co., requesting that privilege they have enjoyed for twenty-three years of piling lumber on portion of Berry street be permitted to continue.

Ordered referred to the Streets Committee.

Report on Paving of Geary Street Between Kearny Street and Van Ness Avenue.

Also, *Communication*—From Assistant City Engineer C. E. Healy, submitting report on the paving of Geary street, between Kearny street and Van Ness avenue

Ordered referred to Streets Committee.

Request for Hearing in re Application for Spur Track on Harrison Street, Between Twenty-first and Twenty-second Streets.

Also, *Communication*—From Edward Tietjen and Geo. F. Welch, requesting hearing in matter of application for permit to construct spur track on Harrison street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets.

Ordered referred to Streets Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered filed:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Gianini, Chairman.

Health Committee, by Supervisor Caglieri, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, Chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, Chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizations.

Resolution No. 9871 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the

hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

General Fund 1912-1913.

Neal Publishing Co., printing charter amendments, Department of Elections (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912)	\$2,950.00
D. A. White, Chief of Police, contingent allowance (claim dated Dec. 2, 1912)	666.66
John Galen Howard, salary as Consulting Architect (claim dated Dec. 2, 1912)	625.00
Barber Asphalt Co., asphalt (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912)	1,995.17
Westdahl-Hennessy Co., first payment, paving Mission street between Bosworth and Marshall streets (claim dated Dec. 2, 1912)	4,781.36
San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for Public Pound (claim dated Dec. 2, 1912)	850.00
The General Fireproofing Co., file cases for County Clerk (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	800.00
M. M. Finlayson, second payment, general construction, Chemical Engine No. 12 (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	2,337.00
Pacific Gas & Electric Co., lighting (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	35,083.75

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Michael Murphy, final payment, hauling and laying pipe, Sec. 5 (claim dated Nov. 27, 1912)	\$3,318.23
Michael Murphy, ninth payment, hauling and laying pipe, Sec. 5 (claim dated Nov. 27, 1912)	1,993.60
Contra Costa Construction Co., fourth payment, hauling and laying pipe, Sec. 6 (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	22,526.39
Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue July 1, 1910.	
F. Rolandi, fifth payment, construction of Car House, etc. (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	\$29,315.58

Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.

Daniel Contracting Co., sixth payment, North Point Main Sewer, Sec. "C-8" (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	\$8,240.11
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., third payment, North Point Main Sewer, Sec. "N" (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	6,869.48
Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co., sixth payment, North Point Main Sewer, Sec.	

"M" (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	3,816.93	Chenery street from Randall north	148.00
<i>Sewer Bond Fund, 1904.</i>		For removing the sand from roadway of Fifteenth avenue, between Anza and Balboa streets	495.00
C. J. Harney, third payment, Brannan street sewer, First street to Central Place (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912) ..	\$8,220.05	Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.	
<i>School Bond Fund, 1904.</i>		Providing \$3950 for Preparation of Plans and Specifications for Glen Park School.	
Wm. A. Newsom, second payment, general construction, Patrick Henry School (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912) ..	\$15,225.00	Resolution No. 9873 (New Series):	
<i>School Bond Fund, 1908.</i>		Resolved, That the sum of \$3950.00 be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908, for the preparation of plans for the Glenn Park School.	
Wm. Henning, final payment, general construction, Girls' High School (claim dated Nov. 19, 1912)	\$65,050.00	Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.	
Elmer Carson, first payment, yard work, Lowell High School (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	7,500.00	Action Deferred.	
<i>Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.</i>		The following resolution, laid over from last meeting, was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Jennings again laid over one week:	
Grant Fee, second payment, general finishing, San Francisco Hospitals (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	\$6,300.00	Board of Public Works to Enter into Contract With Karl Ehrhart for the Construction of Sewers, etc., in Tonquin Street, Between Baker and Pierce Street.	
<i>City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue, 1912.</i>		Resolution No. — (New Series):	
Percy V. Long, City Attorney, for payment into Court in satisfaction of judgment and decree of condemnation in City and County of San Francisco vs. Albert Abrahams et al., against the Mercantile Trust Co., a corporation, wherein the lot of land at southwest corner of Larkin and Fulton streets, 120 ft. on Larkin by 206¼ ft. on Fulton street, was condemned and damages were awarded said defendant	\$112,500.00	Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with Karl Ehrhart for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Tonquin street, between Baker and Pierce streets, at his bid price of \$20,120.60, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same out of "Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904," the sum of \$22,000.00, said amount to include inspection, incidentals and possible extras; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the construction of said sewers and appurtenances that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.	
<i>Library Fund.</i>		Final Passage.	
Emporium, books, public library (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	\$605.29	The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up and finally passed by the following vote and numbered as follows. to-wit:	
Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.		Boiler, Garage and Oil Permits.	
Appropriations.		Resolution No. 9874 (New Series), as follows:	
Resolution No. 9872 (New Series), as follows:			
Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:			
For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.			
For doing City's portion of street work at crossing of Randall and Chenery streets	\$41.85		
For paving City's portion of			

The following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Boilers.

Galland Mercantile Laundry, No. 317-335 Eighth street, 200 horse power, for laundry purposes.

Del Monte Creamery, No. 386 Utah street, six horse power.

Goodyear Rubber Company, southeast side of Natoma street, 255 feet northeast of Second street, 75 horse power, for factory machines.

Garage.

F. R. Howard, Nos. 717-719 Divisadero street.

Storage Tanks.

Cerciat & Co., No. 1047 McAllister street, capacity 1300 gallons.

Goodyear Rubber Company, southeast side of Natoma street, 255 feet northeast of Second street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Aye.—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Oil Storage Permit, Pacific Gas and Electric Co.

Resolution No. 9875 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted the Pacific Gas & Electric Company to maintain two oil storage tanks of 8000 gallons capacity each, and a boiler of 1500 horse power at remises situate on the west side of Meacham Place, 75 feet south of Post street; said permit is granted with the express agreement and understanding that the Pacific Gas & Electric Company will, in the construction of the building, use the best obtainable deafening material, to the end that any noises that might be caused by the operation of the plant will be deadened.

Aye.—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Granting United Railroads Permission to Use Portions of Bay and Laguna Streets for Street Railway Purposes.

File No. 2335. Ordinance No. 2108 (New Series), Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to use portions of Bay and Laguna streets for street railway purposes, subject to the conditions imposed herein.

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to the United Railroads of San Francisco, to lay down, construct,

maintain and operate certain street railways in the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

First: To lay down, construct, maintain and operate a double track street railroad, upon and along the following streets, namely: Commencing at the intersection of Polk and Bay streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, there connecting with street railway tracks to be constructed on said Polk street; thence running westerly along said Bay street to a point approximately one hundred and fifty feet west of the westerly line of Van Ness avenue; and thence curving into Fort Mason Military Reservation, there to connect with certain railway tracks to be constructed within said reservation, in accordance with a revocable license issued to the United Railroads of San Francisco by the Secretary of War of the United States, under date of October 16, 1912.

Together with permission, likewise revocable at the pleasure of this Board, to operate said street railway by the overhead electric system.

Second: To lay down, construct, maintain and operate a single track street railway upon and along the following streets, namely: Curving out of Fort Mason Military Reservation at a point on Laguna street approximately fifty feet south of the south line of Beach street; thence south along Laguna street to a point approximately twenty-five feet north of the south line of North Point street; thence curving into Fort Mason Military Reservation, there to connect with the railway tracks to be constructed in Fort Mason Military Reservation in accordance with the revocable license of the Secretary of War above referred to.

Together with permission, likewise revocable at the pleasure of this Board, to operate said street railway by the overhead electric system.

Section 2. This permission hereby given is subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. That the Board of Supervisors may revoke this permit at any time without notice, and within forty-eight hours after receiving notice of such revocation said United Railroads shall cease operating its cars over any tracks constructed under the authority herein granted, and within three months thereafter shall remove all tracks, poles, wires and appurtenances in said streets and shall restore such streets to as good a condition as before such removal, and upon a failure to remove such tracks, poles, wires and appurtenances, the same shall revert to and become the property of the City and County, and no claim for damage on account of such reversion shall be made against said City and County or its officers.

1a. That the City and County of San Francisco shall have the privilege at any time of taking over all trackage constructed under the terms of the permit located on city streets, upon payment to the United Railroads of the full appraised value thereof.

2. That no assignment of any right herein granted shall be made by said United Railroads, without first obtaining the consent of the Board of Supervisors.

2a. That the said United Railroads shall pay to the City and County of San Francisco as a consideration for the use of said track privilege a proportion of the gross earnings of the Polk street route known as "9th and Polk" as now operated, which percentage is to be determined as the proportion which the length of the new track privilege granted by the City and County of San Francisco bears to the total length of the Polk street operating line, to-wit:

Polk and Larkin line, center line of Brannan street to center line of Bay street.

Bay street extension, center line of Polk street to southerly line of Fort Mason Reservation.

Laguna street loop, from westerly line of Fort Mason Reservation southerly on Laguna street and to westerly line of reservation.

Total length of operating line, single track, 34,586 feet.

Length of taxable portion, 1,614 feet.

Proportion of line taxable, 4.73 per cent.

Proportion of gross receipts taxable, 0.142 (142-1000ths) per cent.

3. That upon the order of the Board of Supervisors, said United Railroads shall pave the entire roadway of the streets occupied by its tracks, and construct such terminal system and facilities as may be deemed necessary for the convenience of the public.

4. That the City and County, for the purpose of operating a municipal street railway, shall have the right to use the tracks and appurtenances constructed in the streets under this permit, or any portion thereof, and also to use all or any portion of the tracks, terminals and appurtenances constructed by said United Railroads within the Fort Mason Military Reservation, sharing with said United Railroads the expense of operation and installation under such working and business agreement as may be approved by the Secretary of War.

Before exercising any rights under this ordinance, the United Railroads of San Francisco, by its proper officers, shall execute its acceptance hereof and file the same in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,

Hocks, Jennings, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

No—Supervisor Koshland—1.

Absent—Supervisors Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher—2.

Regulating the Making and Refilling of Excavations in Streets.

Bill No. 2340, Ordinance No. 2109 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the making and refilling of excavations in the public streets, alleys, sidewalks, and other public places, and repealing Ordinance No. 658 (New Series)."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Fixing Width of Sidewalks on Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2341, Ordinance No. 2110 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the Width of Sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto new sections to be numbered Four Hundred and Eighty-eight to Four Hundred and Ninety-two, inclusive," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Ordway street between San Bruno avenue and Ankeny street, shall be ten (10) feet; the width of sidewalks on Ward street between San Bruno avenue and Ankeny street, shall be ten (10) feet; the width of sidewalks on Harkness street between San Bruno avenue and a line 41.69 feet southwesterly from Goettingen street, shall be ten (10) feet; the width of sidewalks on Wilde street between San Bruno avenue and Goettingen street, shall be ten (10) feet; the width of sidewalks on Campbell avenue between San Bruno avenue and Alpha street, shall be ten (10) feet. Any expense caused by the above change of sidewalk widths, shall be borne by the property owners.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Establishing Grades, Costa Street.

Bill No. 2342, Ordinance No. 2111 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Costa street between San Bruno avenue and Holladay avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2343, Ordinance No. 2112 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on

Staples avenue between Foerster street and a point 375 feet westerly from the westerly line of Genesee street, and on Genesee street, between Flood and Staples avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 2344, Ordinance No. 2113 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Surrey street between Castro and Diamond streets; on Laidley street at the intersection with Castro street, and Castro street between Chenery, Bemis and Sussex streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 2345, Ordinance No. 2114 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Aztec street between Coso avenue and Shotwell street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 2346, Ordinance No. 2115 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Harrison street at the intersection with Sterling street, and on Sterling street for a distance of 100 feet southeasterly from Harrison street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Bill No. 2347, Ordinance No. 2116 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on Cabrillo street between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Action Deferred.

The following bill heretofore passed for printing was taken up and on motion *laid over one week*:

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2348, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following street work:

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

That a 12-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with one brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Costa street, between the center and westerly lines of Holladay avenue; that a 12-inch vitrified, salt-glazed ironstone pipe sewer be constructed from the point of intersection of the center line of Costa street and the center line of Holladay avenue to the point of intersection of the center line of Costa street and the easterly line of Holladay avenue; and that a 12-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with 16 Y branches and one brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Costa street, between Holloway and San Bruno avenues.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

An eight (8) inch with sixteen (16) Y branches and three (3) brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Prentiss street from a point twenty (20) feet southerly from Powhattan street to Eugenia avenue; an eight (8) inch along the center line of Prentiss street between the northerly and center lines of Eugenia avenue; a twelve (12) inch with one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Prentiss street between the center and southerly lines of Eugenia avenue; a twelve (12) inch with nine (9) Y branches and one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along a line at right angles to the northwesterly line of Cortland avenue from the point of intersection of the center line of Prentiss street with the northwesterly line of Cortland avenue to the center line of Cortland avenue.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed: An eight (8) inch with two (2) Y branches and one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Thornton avenue between the

westerly and easterly lines of Lucy street produced; an eight (8) inch with six (6) Y branches along the center line of Thornton avenue from the easterly line of Lucy street produced to the westerly line of Latona street produced; and an eight (8) inch with one (1) Y branch along the center line of Thornton avenue between the westerly and center lines of Latona street produced.

That an eight (8) inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with 16 Y branches and two (2) brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Twentieth street from a point twenty (20) feet easterly from Missouri street to Texas street.

That an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed ironstone pipe sewer with 15 Y branches and two (2) brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Texas street from a point 200 feet southerly from Nineteenth street to Twentieth street.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

An eight (8) inch along the center line of Texas street between the northerly and center lines of Twentieth street; a twelve (12) inch with 1 brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Texas street between the center and southerly lines of Twentieth street; and an eight (8) inch along the center line of Twentieth street, between the center and westerly lines of Texas street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Final Passage.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing, was taken up and *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Extension of Time, P. J. Gartland.

Resolution No. 9876 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That P. J. Gartland is hereby granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after December 16, 1912, within which to complete contract for the work of curbing and paving Geary street, between Kearny street and Van Ness avenue, under public contract. This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor has been delayed by the service corporations working on the street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$370,240.81, numbered consecutively 30,769 to 31,228, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid by the following vote*:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were *adopted*:

Accepting Offer of Roger Johnson to Sell for \$59,000 Certain Land Required for Civic Center Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9877 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, An offer has been received from Roger Johnson to convey to the City and County of San Francisco certain land and improvements, being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4, the said land being required for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and

Whereas, The price at which said parcel of land is offered is in accordance with the appraised value thereof, be it

Resolved, That the offer of Roger Johnson to convey for \$59,000 to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the following described land, free of all incumbrances, including taxes, is hereby accepted, the said land being described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 150 feet westerly from the westerly line of Larkin street; running thence westerly along said northerly line of Fulton street 42 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle northerly 120 feet to the southerly line of Ash street, thence easterly along said southerly line of Ash street 42 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line of Fulton street and point of commencement. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 4.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to examine the title to said land and improvements, and if the same is found to be vested in the aforesaid owner, free from all incumbrances, and that the taxes for the current fiscal year are paid, and that the so-called McEnerney Title has been procured, or sufficient money reserved for the procuring of same, to report the result of his examination to the Board of Supervisors, and also to cause a good and sufficient deed to be executed and delivered to the city and county upon the payment of the agreed purchase price, as aforesaid.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Accepting Offer of The Welsbach Company to Transfer Its Lease of Premises on Land Purchased by City for Civic Center Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 9878 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The City and County of San Francisco has purchased, for Civic Center purposes, the lot of land situated on the southerly line of McAllister street, distant thereon one hundred and ninety-two (192) feet six (6) inches westerly from Larkin street, and running thence westerly thirty-six (36) feet eight (8) inches, and having a uniform southerly depth of one hundred and twenty (120) feet, which said premises are occupied by The Welsbach Company, a corporation, under lease; and

Whereas, Said The Welsbach Company has offered to transfer and assign its said lease on said premises to the City and County of San Francisco in consideration of said The Welsbach Company being permitted to remain in possession of said premises, rent free and without charge, until the first day of October, 1913, and to make no other claim or charge against said City and County of San Francisco for or in consideration of said leasehold; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the offer of the said The Welsbach Company, a corporation, to assign and transfer its said lease to the City and County of San Francisco be and the same is hereby accepted and the Mayor and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be and they are hereby authorized to enter into an agreement on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco with said The Welsbach Company, a corporation, to permit said The Welsbach Company, a corporation, to remain in possession of said premises without rent charge, to and until the first day of October, 1913. And be it further

Resolved, That the City and County of San Francisco hereby waives and

abandons all claims it may have to any deposit or bond given by said The Welsbach Company to insure or secure the payment of rents by it under the said lease.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Room 303 Assigned to Use of Supplies Committee.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft:

J. R. No. 533.

Resolved, That Room No. 303, situated on the third floor in Temporary City Hall building, is hereby set aside and assigned for use and purposes of the Supplies Committee of this Board.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Board of Public Works to Turn Over to Superintendent of Relief Home Oil Tank Now in Basement of City Hall.

Also, J. R. No. 534.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and requested to turn over to the Superintendent of the Relief Home the certain oil storage tank now in the basement of the old City Hall, for use and purposes at said Relief Home.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolutions were passed for printing:

Authorizations.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

Roebbling Construction Co., extras, construction, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Nov. 21, 1912)..... \$1,153.75

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Enterprise Foundry Co., cast iron specials (claim dated Dec. 10, 1912)..... \$1,163.16

Sewer Bond Fund, 1904.

Karl Fhrhart, final payment, Woolsey Street Sewer (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912) \$741.16

Karl Ehrhart, 3rd payment, Woolsey Street Sewer (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	2,550.91	street, 4th to 8th street (claim dated Dec. 11, 1912)	5,013.90
Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Is- sue July 1, 1910.		A. Freed, motorcycles, Police Department (claim dated Nov. 7, 1912)	2,880.00
W. L. Holman Co., 2nd pay- ment, railway street cars (claim dated Dec. 10, 1912)	\$34,650.00	Whitcomb Estate, by Jas. Otis, Tr., rent, temporary City Hall, December, 1912 (claim dated Dec. 6, 1912)	5,250.00
Paynes Bolt Works, in full payment, tie rods and nuts (claim dated Dec. 3, 1912)	656.25	Tearing Up Streets Fund, 1912-1913.	
Gruver & McCaffrey, 3rd pay- ment, underground conduit (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	15,656.29	Robinson Nugent, repaving over side sewers (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	1,027.80
General Fund, 1912-1913.		City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.	
A. Carlisle & Co., printing public documents (claim dated Dec. 12, 1912)	\$650.00	Roger Johnson, purchase of land for Civic Center pur- poses, situate north line of Fulton street, 150 feet west of Larkin street, of dimen- sions 42½ feet by 120 feet, with improvements (claim dated Dec. 6, 1912)	\$59,000.00
Catholic Humane Bureau, maintenance of minors (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	4,380.00	Boardman Bros. & Co., ap- praising lands purchased for Civic Center purposes (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	790.00
Roman Catholic Orphan Asy- lum, S. F., maintenance of minors (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	1,377.52	Appropriations.	
Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vin- cent's Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	1,801.04	Also, Resolution No. — (New Se- ries), as follows:	
Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Or- phan Asylum, maintenance of minors (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	976.42	Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and author- ized to be expended out of the herein- after mentioned funds for the follow- ing purposes, to-wit:	
The Boys and Girls' Aid So- ciety, maintenance of min- ors (claim dated Dec. 1, 1912)	611.22	School Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.	
Children's Agency of Asso- ciated Charities, mainten- ance of minors (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912)	3,862.43	To cover deficit in construc- tion and for installation of Natural Slate Blackboards in Girls' High School, as per Resolution No. 20445 (Second Series) by the Board of Public Works....	\$10,670.00
The State of California, for account Preston School of Industry, maintenance of minors (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	578.97	For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item 549.	
D. J. Sullivan, repair of Fire Department Stables (claim dated Nov. 22, 1912)	617.00	For repair of railroad right of way along 5th avenue from Geary to Anza street, and the crossing of 5th avenue and Anza street by the Street Repair Depart- ment, Board of Public Works, as per Resolution No. 20505 (Second Series)	\$350.00
Owen McHugh, construction of 18-inch sewer, etc., in Fourteenth avenue between Geary and Anza streets (claim dated Nov. 27, 1912)	696.35	For construction of an as- phalt sidewalk in front of Bernal School on Cortland avenue by the Street Re- pair Department of the Board of Public Works, as per Resolution No. 20658 (Second Series)	135.00
Sperry Flour Company, cere- als, Relief Home (claim dated Dec. 2, 1912)	819.00	Ordering Construction of a Hospital on Relief Home Tract.	
Peter Caubus, milk, San Fran- cisco Hospital (claim dated Dec. 2, 1912)	643.50	Also, Bill No. 2349, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Order- ing the construction of a hospital for the infirm poor on the Relief Home	
Harris & Cahan, eggs, Tuber- culosis Hospital (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	706.00		
Fay Improvement Co., 1st payment, paving Sansome street, Bush to Pacific street (claim dated Dec. 9, 1912)	1,328.93		
G. W. McGinn & Co., 2nd payment, paving Howard			

Tract in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works, which specifications are hereby approved; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said hospital, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland:
Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series) be and is hereby granted to Mrs. J. J. Kenny to maintain a stable for one horse in the rear of 538 Twenty-sixth avenue, Richmond District.

Boiler and Oil Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:
Resolution No. — (New Series), granting the following revocable permits:

Boiler.

R. H. Norton, Jr., rear of No. 1727 Cabrillo street, one and one-half horse power, for operating printing plant.

Storage Tanks.

T. L. Ayres, southeast corner of Divisadero street and Golden Gate avenue, capacity 1500 gallons.

Emanuel Sarantitis, southwest side of Third street, 100 feet southeast of Folsom street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Mrs. Katharine Seipel, northeast corner of Laguna and Linden streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

L. Kingwell, northwest side of Natoma street, 123 feet 10 inches southwest of Mary street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Masquerade Ball Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 535.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the locations and times hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable purposes, to wit:

Golden Gate Parlor No. 29, N. S. G. W., at Native Sons' Hall, Geary and Mason streets, January 11, 1913.

Court Bonita No. 43, F. of A., et al., at Mission Turn Verein Hall, No. 3541 Eighteenth street, January 4, 1913.

Gladys Day, at Richmond Hall, Fourth avenue and Clement street, December 21, 1912.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland,

Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2350, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Lisbon street between Excelsior and Brazil avenues; Congress street from Masonic avenue westerly to the Pope and Talbot Tract; intersection of Cortland avenue and Wool street."

Establishing Grades, Horace Street.

Also, Bill No. 2351, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Establishing grades at certain points on Horace street between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets.

Accepting Easement for Sewer Right of Way from Gustave Peterson.

Bill No. 2352, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting an easement from Gustave Peterson, a widower, and Herman Poetsch and Ella A. Poetsch, his wife, for a right of way for a sewer in Treat avenue from a point 176 feet southerly from Twenty-sixth street; thence along the center line of Treat avenue produced for a distance of one hundred and seventy-eight (178) feet, more or less, to the northerly line of Army street.

Recommended.

The following bill laid over from last meeting was taken up and on motion ordered *recommended to the Streets Committee*:

Spur Track Permit, Ford Motor Co.

Also, Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to the Ford Motor Company, to construct, maintain and operate a spur track from the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company in Harrison street, thence over, along and upon the following described route, to wit:

"Commencing at a connection with the existing main line of the Southern Pacific Company on Harrison street at a point 110 feet, more or less, northerly from the northerly line of Twenty-first street; thence running southerly curving to the right and reversing to the left, crossing Twenty-first street and entering private property at a point 30 feet, more or less, southerly from the southerly line of Twenty-first street to a point 72 feet southerly from the southerly line of Twenty-first street and 4 feet 5 inches westerly from the westerly line of Harrison street, a distance of 350 feet."

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Service Tunnel Permit, The Insurance Exchange.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted The Insurance Exchange (Incorporated) to construct under Leidesdorff street approximately one hundred feet south of California street, a reinforced concrete pipe and service passageway tunnel connecting the sub-basements of the Merchants' Exchange Building and the Insurance Exchange Building; the said tunnel to be used for the passage of service operators between the two buildings, and a passage for elevator pumping and steam pipes between the two buildings.

The said tunnel to be constructed under the supervision and direction of the Board of Public Works, and in accordance with provisions of Ordinance No. —, regulating the making and refilling of excavations in the public streets, alleys, sidewalks and other public places, and repealing Ordinance No. 658 (New Series).

Steam Pipe Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to the Palace Hotel Company to lay and maintain one ten-inch pipe and one five-inch pipe to be used for the purpose of conveying steam; also one four-inch and one three and one-half inch conduit for the purpose of conveying electricity from the basement of the Palace Hotel building, situate on the southwest side of New Montgomery street between Market and Jessie streets, across New Montgomery street to the Sharon Building basement, situate on the northeast side of New Montgomery street, distant about two hundred and forty feet southeast of Market street.

The said pipes and conduits shall be laid to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works and the Department of Electricity, in accordance with Ordinance No. —, entitled, "Regulating the making and refilling of excavations in the public streets, alleys, sidewalks and other public places," and repealing Ordinance No. 658 (New Series).

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher and on motion *laid over one week*:

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Flinn & Treacy are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for a period of thirty days during the construction of a sewer in States street between Levant and Castro streets; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said Flinn & Treacy, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Extension of Time.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Willett and Burr, assignees of Foster & Vogt, are hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after October 23, 1912, within which to complete contract for the construction of the Beale street bridge.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the concrete abutments to the bridge have been constructed the entire width of Harrison street, and some provision must be made for holding the sides of the earth filled approach in a vertical position.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. 9879 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Rhode Island street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office December 11, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street, or streets, upon which proposed change of grade is

contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Also, Resolution No. 9880 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Fifteenth avenue and on Pacheco street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office December 12, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Manzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Also, Resolution No. 9881 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on San Bruno avenue in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office on December 12, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Also, Resolution No. 9882 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Wisconsin street in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office on December 11, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Change of Grade, Main Street.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher presented:

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change

and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Main street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed November 23, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. J. Lerman, property owner, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board. He stated that his chief objection to the change of grade on Main street was that this was a piecemeal method of reducing the hill and that proposed grade on Main street will increase grade on Harrison street from seven to fourteen inches, thereby greatly depreciating his property on the hill. He declared that he has suffered losses in rent at the rate of \$150 per month since reduction of hill commenced and believed that during change of grade transit would be retarded and that his losses would be still greater. He feared that under the Charter he could not obtain damages and would have to sue City on his constitutional rights. He declared further that the Chamber of Commerce is preparing a plan for the reduction of the hill and a scheme for financing the proposition so that property owners will not be injured and that said plans will be ready in about one week. He therefore requested that the matter go over and that the Mayor and Board of Supervisors visit Rincon Hill and see the situation for themselves.

City Engineer M. M. O'Shaughnessy also addressed the Board and stated that the Board should take a very broad view of the situation at Rincon Hill in deference to the large commercial interests that require level streets and access to the docks of the water front in that part of the City. He realized the situation of Mr. Lerman and sympathized with him, but believed that the larger interests of the City should not be overlooked.

Hugo Asher, attorney representing property owners, also addressed the Board and stated that there was no objection to the proposed scheme of the Chamber of Commerce provided it can be done in a reasonable time. He stated that the original resolution was passed in June or July of last year and what his clients wanted was some action in the matter. The object, he declared, of reducing the grade was not for the purpose of beautification but of commercial necessity. The removal of the hill is necessary in order that commerce may have level roads to the water front and the new docks that are now under construction by

the state. He declared that the damage to Lerman had been done by the cutting down of the grade on Beale street and that no damage, but possibly good, would come to him by change of grade on Main street. When change is made the grade on the east side of Harrison street will be exactly the same as that on the west side and cars can come up the hill as heretofore. He stated further that the people on Main street were in favor of the grade change and were willing to pay for it.

Motion.

Supervisor Murdock moved that the Board assemble in a body at Main and Harrison streets at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning for the purpose of investigating the situation.

Motion carried.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following Resolution heretofore recommitted to Streets Committee was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher *indefinitely postponed* by the following vote:

Denying Extension of Time to Willett and Burr.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That Willett and Burr are hereby denied an extension of sixty days' time from and after October 23, 1912, within which to complete the construction of the bridge over Beale street.

Licensing Bill Boards.

The following Bill, laid over from last meeting, was taken up:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a regulating license fee on persons, firms and corporations engaging in the business or occupation of maintaining bill boards and bulletin sign boards or of bill posting, bulletin sign painting and out-door advertising."

Privilege of the Floor.

A. Uhl, representing the Chamber of Commerce, was granted the privilege of the floor and read a communication from said organization, stating that the ordinance has not been prepared in accordance with its views and requesting postponement of action on the Bill until such time as the books of J. Chas. Green can be inspected and a proper basis for determining license charge established.

J. Chas. Green also addressed the Board and declared that the statement had been made that he was doing a business of over \$2,000,000 a year and to controvert that he had agreed to have an expert go over his books at his expense. He objected, however, to such an investigation as would make public property of his business relations, but was willing to give to the committee all the information it was entitled to for the purpose of arriving

at a proper basis for licensing the bill board business. He opposed the "square foot method" as impracticable and unfair and favored the "gross receipts method" as a basis for licensing the bill board business. He called attention to what he believed was an error in Ordinance No. 2107 requiring the payment of \$1.00 fee for each bill board installed. At that rate he declared he would have paid \$20,000 last year for this item alone.

Recommitted.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Payot, above entitled Bill was ordered recommitted to the Public Welfare Committee.

Directing Eggs be Bought in Open Market.

The following Resolution *laid over from last meeting* was taken up:

J. R. No. —.

Whereas, The Sherry-Freitas Company, which now holds the contract for Item No. 1108, for cold storage eggs, has refused and failed to deliver same in conformity with the specifications and contract; therefore be it

Resolved, That said article be bought in the open market as required by the public institutions; and be it further

Resolved, That if said article should cost more than the price at which the Sherry-Freitas Company was awarded the contract, such excess cost shall be charged to said firm; and be it further

Resolved, That the sureties upon their bond be notified hereof, and that the City Attorney be directed to prosecute any claims that may arise hereunder against said Sherry-Freitas Company.

Privilege of the Floor.

E. C. Harrison, attorney, representing Sherry-Freitas, was granted the privilege of the floor and declared that the testimony adduced at the last meeting of the Board showed that 3¼ cases that were chandled from the 22 cases delivered afterward in the market as California cold storage extras, that other departments having contracts with the firm made no objection to the eggs supplied. He referred to the rules of the San Francisco Dairy Produce Exchange and declared that disinterested witnesses had testified that the eggs were a good delivery of cold storage extras in accordance with rules of the Exchange and that no certificate was required from the inspector of the Produce Exchange under the specifications of the Board. On the other hand he declared that the witnesses called by the Committee on Supplies knew nothing personally of the quality of the eggs and that the inspector who signed the report had not made a personal inspection. He

also stated that no complaint was made against the two cases sent to the Isolation Hospital before rehandling.

Dr. Broderick, Health Officer, testified that the Board of Health had had difficulty in getting eggs delivered as per specifications. He explained that the two cases of eggs that had been mentioned as taken and used were delivered at the urgent request of the officials of the City and County Hospital, who stated that there was necessity for immediate delivery for use of patients on special diet. On the same day the twenty-two cases that were subsequently rejected were also delivered.

C. M. Wollenberg, Superintendent of Relief Home, testified that the eggs furnished the Relief Home were not up to specifications and that complaint had been made to him regarding them by the cooks and others at his institution. It was at his suggestion that an outside inspector was employed.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the above Resolution was adopted as J. R. No. 536 by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—10.

Noes—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Hayden—2.

Absent—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Mauzy McLeran, Nolan, Payot—6.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

In Memory of Geo. Caglieri.

On motion of Supervisor Giannini:

J. R. No. 537.

Whereas, One of our number mourns the loss of his father, a respected citizen of the commonwealth, a man of character and enterprise; therefore be it

Resolved, That his fellow-members extend to Supervisor Guido E. Caglieri their sincere sympathy with him in the loss he has sustained.

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it shall be in respect to the memory of Mr. George Caglieri.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—12.

Endorsement of Open Air Christmas Festival

On motion of Supervisor Hayden:

J. R. No. 538.

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors hereby indorses the undertaking of the philanthropic citizens of this City to provide an open-air Christmas trees festival for the benefit of the thousands of children who might not otherwise participate in the holiday festivities. This festival in the Golden Gate Park besides serving its worthy purpose is another evidence to the world of the mildness of the climate that permits of this open-air celebration on Christmas Day.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—12.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Koshland and ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee:

Bion J. Arnold to File All Reports on Transportation Problem That Are Ready for Submission.

J. R. No. —.

Resolved, That Bion J. Arnold be and he is hereby requested to file with this Board all such reports on the transportation problem as are ready for submission.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor McCarthy and passed for printing:

Repealing Weights and Measures Ordinance.

Bill No. 2353, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), entitled "An Ordinance relating to weights and measures, establishing the standard thereof, creating the office of Sealer of Weights and Measures, providing for the appointment of a Sealer of Weights and Measures and his deputies and fixing their compensation" is hereby repealed.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, G. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Vogelsang—12.

Absent—Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan, Payot—6.

Referred.

The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murphy and ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee:

Abandonment of Portions of Franchise on Folsom Street and the Embarcadero by United Railroads.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the abandonment by United Railroads of San Francisco of certain portions of its road, a franchise for which was granted by Order No. 2086, approved August 2, 1889, which abandonment was filed in the office of the Clerk October 18, 1912, be and is hereby accepted, to-wit:

On and along that portion of East street (now The Embarcadero) from Folsom to Howard streets, and on and along that portion of Folsom street from the east line of Steuart street to East street (now The Embarcadero).

Refused Passage.

The following Bill was introduced under suspension of the rules by Supervisor McCarthy and refused passage by the following vote:

Limiting Speed of Fire Department Vehicles to Twenty-five Miles Per Hour.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 1857 (New Series), regulating moving travel and traffic upon the streets and other public places of the City and County of San Francisco, and providing a punishment for any violation thereof.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. That Section No. 39 of Ordinance No. 1857 (New Series) be amended to read as follows:

Section 39. The provisions of Sections 37 and 38 of this Ordinance shall not apply to the driver or occupant of any vehicle belonging to the Police Department or to the Fire Department, Fire Marshal, Underwriters Fire Patrol when on duty, or to the driver or occupant of any auxiliary fire apparatus belonging to any person, firm or corporation engaged in the

business of furnishing gas or electricity to the City and County of San Francisco or to its inhabitants, when such apparatus is responding to a call to a fire, and shall not apply to the driver or occupant of any vehicle belonging to any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of transporting persons to the premises of the persons transported, when such vehicle is responding to a call to a fire or to a burglar alarm; provided, however, that when any such apparatus is responding to such call there shall be displayed on both front and rear of such apparatus, in such manner as to be plainly visible, the words "Auxiliary Fire Apparatus", with the name of the Company by which the same is owned or operated. The letters composing such words shall be black on white background, each not less than three inches in height, and each stroke shall be not less than one-half inch in width; and provided further, that nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to permit any motor apparatus or vehicle exempted by the terms of this Section to exceed a speed of twenty-five (25) miles per hour.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Giannini, Hilmer, Jennings, McCarthy, Murphy, Vogelsang—7.

Noes—Supervisors George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Koshland, Murdock—5.

Absent—Supervisors Caglieri, A. J. Gallagher, Mauzy, McLeran, Nolan, Payot—6.

Referred.

Whereupon on motion of Supervisor Koshland the above Bill was ordered referred to the *Streets Committee*.

ADJOURNMENT.

Thereupon the Board at the hour of 6:05 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors December 23, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
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MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, December 23, 1912, 2:30 p.m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Gianini, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Manzy, McCarthy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—14. Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph being absent, Supervisor Murdock was called to the chair.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journals of the meeting of December 23, 1912, were read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Protest Against Main Street Grade Change.

The Clerk presented and read:

Protest—Of Roman Catholic Archbishop and others, against reduction of grade on Main street.

Referred to Streets Committee.

Endorsement of Ford Motor Co. Spur Track

Also, *Communication*—From Bryant Street Improvement Club, endorsing spur track permit to Ford Motor Co. *Referred to Streets Committee.*

Christmas Celebration at County Jail.

Also, *Communication*—From Sheriff, inviting members to attend Christmas celebration at County Jail on Christmas eve.

Referred to Publicity Committee.

Resubdivision Charter Amendment No. 34.

Also, *Communication*—From Mission Promotion Association, recommending resubmission of Charter Amendment No. 34.

Referred to Judiciary Committee.

Arnold's Report No. 11.

Also, *Communication*—From Bion J. Arnold, transmitting Report No. 11.

Relative to City's Rights on Harrison Street.

Also, *Communication*—From Edw. Tietjen, recommending that action be brought to determine respective rights of Southern Pacific and City to use of Harrison street, between Seventeenth and Twenty-second streets.

Referred to Judiciary Committee.

Mayor in Chair.

His Honor the Mayor assumed the chair at the hour of 3:40 p. m.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective chairmen presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered filed; to-wit:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Gianini, Chairman.

Health Committee, by Supervisor Caglieri, Chairman.

Streets and Sewers Committee, by Supervisor G. E. Gallagher, Chairman.

Supplies Committee, by Supervisor Adolf Koshland, Chairman.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Bancroft, Chairman.

Police Committee, by Supervisor Hocks, Chairman.

Lighting and Rates Committee, by Supervisor Nolan, Chairman.

Public Utilities Committee, by Supervisor Vogelsang, Chairman.

Public Welfare Committee, by Supervisor Payot, Chairman.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Authorizations.

The following resolution heretofore passed for printing was taken up:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.

Roebing Construction Co., extras, construction, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Nov. 21, 1912)..... \$1,153.75

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.

Enterprise Foundry Co., cast iron specials (claim dated Dec. 10, 1912)..... \$1,163.16

Sewer Bond Fund, 1904.

Karl Ehrhart, final payment,
Woolsey Street Sewer
(claim dated Dec. 3, 1912) \$741.16
Karl Ehrhart, 3rd payment,
Woolsey Street Sewer
(claim dated Dec. 3, 1912) 2,550.91
Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Is-
sue July 1, 1910.

W. L. Holman Co., 2nd pay-
ment, railway street cars
(claim dated Dec. 10, 1912) \$34,650.00

Paynes Bolt Works, in full
payment, tie rods and nuts
(claim dated Dec. 3, 1912) 656.25

Gruver & McCaffrey, 3rd pay-
ment, underground conduit
(claim dated Dec. 4, 1912) 15,656.29
General Fund, 1912-1913.

A. Carlisle & Co., printing
public documents (claim
dated Dec. 12, 1912)..... \$650.00

Catholic Humane Bureau,
maintenance of minors
(claim dated Nov. 30, 1912) 4,380.00

Roman Catholic Orphan Asy-
lum, S. F., maintenance of
minors (claim dated Nov.
30, 1912) 1,377.52

Brother Paul, Supt. St. Vin-
cent's Asylum, maintenance
of minors (claim dated
Nov. 30, 1912) 1,801.04

Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Or-
phan Asylum, maintenance
of minors (claim dated
Nov. 30, 1912) 976.42

The Boys and Girls' Aid So-
ciety, maintenance of min-
ors (claim dated Dec. 1,
1912) 611.22

Children's Agency of Asso-
ciated Charities, mainten-
ance of minors (claim dat-
ed Nov. 1, 1912)..... 3,862.43

The State of California, for
account Preston School of
Industry, maintenance of
minors (claim dated Nov.
30, 1912) 578.97

D. J. Sullivan, repair of Fire
Department Stables (claim
dated Nov. 22, 1912)..... 617.00

Owen McHugh, construction
of 18-inch sewer, etc., in
Fourteenth avenue between
Geary and Anza streets
(claim dated Nov. 27, 1912) 696.35

Sperry Flour Company, cere-
als, Relief Home (claim
dated Dec. 2, 1912) 819.00

Peter Caubu, milk, San Fran-
cisco Hospital (claim dated
Dec. 2, 1912) 643.50

Harris & Cahan, eggs, Tuber-
culosis Hospital (claim dat-
ed Nov. 30, 1912)..... 706.00

Fay Improvement Co., 1st
payment, paving Sansome
street, Bush to Pacific

street (claim dated Dec.
9, 1912) 1,328.93

G. W. McGinn & Co., 2nd
payment, paving Howard
street, 4th to 8th street
(claim dated Dec. 11, 1912) 5,013.90

A. Freed, motorcycles, Police
Department (claim dated
Nov. 7, 1912) 2,880.00

Whitcomb Estate, by Jas.
Otis, Tr., rent, temporary
City Hall, December, 1912
(claim dated Dec. 6, 1912) 5,250.00

Tearing Up Streets Fund, 1912-1913.

Robinson Nugent, repaving
over side sewers (claim
dated Nov. 30, 1912) 1,027.80

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement
Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

Roger Johnson, purchase of
land for Civic Center pur-
poses, situate north line of
Fulton street, 150 feet west
of Larkin street, of dimen-
sions 42½ feet by 120 feet,
with improvements (claim
dated Dec. 6, 1912) \$59,000.00

Boardman Bros. & Co., ap-
praising lands purchased
for Civic Center purposes
(claim dated Oct. 31, 1912) 790.00

Amendment.

Supervisor Jennings moved to
amend by inserting "Sherry-Freitas
Co. Inc., groceries, Relief Home (claim
dated Nov. 1, 1912), passed to print
Nov. 18, 1912, \$1549.85" under "Gen-
eral Fund" authorizations.

Amendment carried.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the above resolution as
amended was finally passed as Resolu-
tion No. 9883 (New Series), by the
following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore
passed for printing, were taken up
and finally passed by the following
vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Appropriations.

Resolution No. 9884 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the following
amounts be and the same are hereby
set aside, appropriated and author-
ized to be expended out of the herein-
after mentioned funds for the follow-
ing purposes, to-wit:

School Construction Account, Public
Building Fund, Bond Issue 1908.

To cover deficit in construc-
tion and for installation of

Natural Slate Blackboards in Girls' High School, as per Resolution No. 20445 (Second Series) by the Board of Public Works... \$10,670.00
For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item 549.

For repair of railroad right of way along 5th avenue from Geary to Anza street, and the crossing of 5th avenue and Anza street by the Street Repair Department, Board of Public Works, as per Resolution No. 20505 (Second Series) \$350.00

For construction of an asphalt sidewalk in front of Bernal School on Cortland avenue by the Street Repair Department of the Board of Public Works, as per Resolution No. 20658 (Second Series) 135.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following resolution laid over from last meeting was taken up and on motion of Supervisor Jennings *indefinitely postponed*:

Board of Public Works to Enter Into Contract With Karl Ehrhart for the Construction of Sewers, etc., in Tonquin Street, Between Baker and Pierce Street.

Resolution No. — (New Series):
 Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with Karl Ehrhart for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Tonquin street, between Baker and Pierce streets, at his bid price of \$20,120.60, and there is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended in payment of same out of "Sewer Construction Account, Public Building Fund, Bond Issue, 1904," the sum of \$22,000.00, said amount to include inspection, incidentals and possible extras; and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and permitted to incorporate a condition in said contract for the construction of said sewers and appurtenances that progressive payments shall be made in the manner set forth in specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and in the office of the Board of Supervisors.

Action Deferred.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up and on motion *laid over one week*:

Ordering Construction of a Hospital on Relief Home Tract.

Bill No. 2349, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of a hospital for the infirm poor on the Relief Home Tract in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works, which specifications are hereby approved; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said hospital, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Repealing Weights and Measures Ordinance.

Also, Bill No. 2353, Ordinance No. — (New Series). Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), entitled "An Ordinance relating to weights and measures, establishing the standard thereof, creating the office of Sealer of Weights and Measures, providing for the appointment of a Sealer of Weights and Measures and his deputies and fixing their compensation" is hereby repealed.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up and *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to wit:

Boiler and Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 9885 (New Series), granting the following revocable permits:

Boiler.

R. H. Norton, Jr., rear of No. 1727 Cabrillo street, one and one-half horse power, for operating printing plant.

Storage Tanks.

T. L. Ayres, southeast corner of Divisadero street and Golden Gate avenue, capacity 1500 gallons.

Emanuel Sarantitis, southwest side of Third street, 100 feet southeast of Folsom street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Mrs. Katharine Selpel, northeast corner of Laguna and Linden streets, capacity 1500 gallons.

L. Kingwell, northwest side of Natoma street, 123 feet 10 inches southwest of Mary street, capacity 1500 gallons.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Stable Permit.

Resolution No. 9886 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors, and in accordance with Sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series) be and is hereby granted to Mrs. J. J. Kenny to maintain a stable for one horse in the rear of 538 Twenty-sixth avenue, Richmond District.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Conditional Acceptance, Certain Streets.

Bill No. 2350, Ordinance No. 2117 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Lisbon street between Excelsior and Brazil avenues; Congress street from Masonic avenue westerly to the Pope and Talbot Tract; intersection of Cortland avenue and Wool street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Establishing Grades, Horace Street.

Bill No. 2351, Ordinance No. 2118 (New Series), Establishing grades at certain points on Horace street between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Accepting Easement for Sewer Right of Way on Treat Avenue from Gustave Peterson.

Bill No. 2352, Ordinance No. 2119 (New Series), entitled, "Accepting an easement from Gustave Peterson, a widower, and Herman Poetsch and Ella A. Poetsch, his wife, for a right of way for a sewer in Treat avenue from a point 176 feet southerly from Twenty-sixth street; thence along the center line of Treat avenue produced for a distance of one hundred and seventy-eight (178) feet, more or less, to the northerly line of Army street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Service Tunnel Permit, The Insurance Exchange.

Resolution No. 9887 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted The Insurance Exchange (Incorporated) to construct under Leidesdorff street approximately one hundred feet south of California street, a reinforced concrete pipe and service passageway tunnel connecting the sub-basements of the Merchants' Exchange Building and the Insurance Exchange Building; the said tunnel to be used for the passage of service operators between the two buildings, and a passage for elevator pumping and steam pipes between the two buildings.

The said tunnel to be constructed under the supervision and direction of the Board of Public Works, and in accordance with provisions of Ordinance No. 2109, regulating the making and refilling of excavations in the public streets, alleys, sidewalks and other public places, and repealing Ordinance No. 658 (New Series).

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Steam Pipe Permit.

Resolution No. 9888 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to the Palace Hotel Company to lay and maintain one ten-inch pipe and one five-inch pipe to be used for the purpose of conveying steam; also one four-inch and one three and one-half inch conduit for the purpose of conveying electricity from the basement of the Palace Hotel building, situate on the southwest side of New Montgomery street between Market and Jessie streets, across New Montgomery street to the Sharon Building basement, situate on the northeast side of New Montgomery street, distant about two hundred and forty feet southeast of Market street.

The said pipes and conduits shall be laid to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works and the Department of Electricity, in accordance with Ordinance No. 2109, entitled, "Regulating the making and refilling of excavations in the public streets, alleys, sidewalks and other public places," and repealing Ordinance No. 658 (New Series).

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9889 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Willett and Burr, assignees of Foster & Vogt, are hereby granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after October 23, 1912, within which to complete contract for the construction of the Beale street bridge.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the concrete abutments to the bridge have been constructed the entire width of Harrison street, and some provision must be made for holding the sides of the earth filled approach in a vertical position.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 2348, Ordinance No. 2120 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following street work:

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

That a 12-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with one brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Costa street, between the center and westerly lines of Holladay avenue; that a 12-inch vitrified, salt-glazed ironstone pipe sewer be constructed from the point of intersection of the center line of Costa street and the center line of Holladay avenue to the point of intersection of the center line of Costa street and the easterly line of Holladay avenue; and that a 12-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with 16 Y branches and one brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Costa street, between Holloway and San Bruno avenues.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

An eight (8) inch with sixteen (16) Y branches and three (3) brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Prentiss street

from a point twenty (20) feet southerly from Powhattan street to Eugenia avenue; an eight (8) inch along the center line of Prentiss street between the northerly and center lines of Eugenia avenue; a twelve (12) inch with one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Prentiss street between the center and southerly lines of Eugenia avenue; a twelve (12) inch with nine (9) Y branches and one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Prentiss street from the southerly line of Eugenia avenue to the northwesterly line of Cortland avenue; and a twelve (12) inch with one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along a line at right angles to the northwesterly line of Cortland avenue from the point of intersection of the center line of Prentiss street with the northwesterly line of Cortland avenue to the center line of Cortland avenue.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed: An eight (8) inch with two (2) Y branches and one (1) brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Thornton avenue between the westerly and easterly lines of Lucy street produced; an eight (8) inch with six (6) Y branches along the center line of Thornton avenue from the easterly line of Lucy street produced to the westerly line of Latona street produced; and an eight (8) inch with one (1) Y branch along the center line of Thornton avenue between the westerly and center lines of Latona street produced.

That an eight (8) inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewer with 16 Y branches and two (2) brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Twentieth street from a point twenty (20) feet easterly from Missouri street to Texas street.

Than an 8-inch, vitrified, salt-glazed ironstone pipe sewer with 15 Y branches and two (2) brick manholes with cast-iron frames and covers and galvanized wrought-iron steps be constructed along the center line of Texas street from a point 200 feet southerly from Nineteenth street to Twentieth street.

That the following vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe sewers and appurtenances be constructed:

An eight (8) inch along the center line of Texas street between the north-

erly and center lines of Twentieth street; a twelve (12) inch with 1 brick manhole with cast-iron frame and cover and galvanized wrought-iron steps along the center line of Texas street between the center and southerly lines of Twentieth street; and an eight (8) inch along the center line of Twentieth street, between the center and westerly lines of Texas street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$162,301.18, numbered consecutively 31229 to 31795, inclusive, were presented, read and ordered *referred to Finance Committee*.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered *paid* by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Accepting Offer of Reo-Pacific Company to Assign Lease and Sell Fixtures of Premises in Civic Center.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: Resolution No. 9890 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The City and County of San Francisco has purchased for Civic Center purposes the lot of land described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 175 feet westerly from the westerly line of Polk street; running thence westerly along said northerly line of Fulton street 50 feet; thence at a right angle northerly 53 feet 6½ inches; thence northwesterly 13 feet 8¼ inches; thence northerly 60 feet 10¼ inches to the southerly line of Ash street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Ash street 62 feet 6 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 120 feet to the said northerly line of Fulton street and point of commencement. Being a portion of West-

ern Addition Block No. 66; which said premises, known and designated as Nos. 142-154 Fulton street, are occupied by J. J. De Vaux, L. A. Reniff and Norman De Vaux, a co-partnership doing business under the firm name and style of "Reo-Pacific Company", under lease; and

Whereas, Said J. J. De Vaux, L. A. Reniff and Norman De Vaux have offered to sell their said lease on said premises to the City and County of San Francisco, and to sell the fixtures installed on said premises to them for the sum of twenty-seven hundred and forty-two dollars and twenty-five cents (\$2742.25), and have also agreed to vacate said premises by the 15th day of December, 1912; therefore be it

Resolved, That the offer of said J. J. De Vaux, L. A. Reniff and Norman De Vaux to assign their said lease and to sell their said fixtures to the City and County of San Francisco for the sum of twenty-seven hundred forty-two dollars and twenty-five cents (\$2742.25), is hereby accepted; and be it further

Resolved, That the City and County of San Francisco hereby waived and abandons all claims it may have on any deposit or bond given by said J. J. De Vaux, L. A. Reniff and Norman De Vaux to insure or secure the payment of rents by them under their said lease.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Mayor to Enter Into Agreement With Splidfors Electrical Co. for Transfer of Its Leases and Interests to Certain Premises in Civic Center.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: J. R. No. 539.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized and requested to enter into agreement with the Splidfors Electrical Company of California, a corporation, whereby the said company agrees to the certain cash consideration and conditions contained in said agreement to release and transfer all its leases, interests or claims of any sort to the City and County upon the premises known and designated No. 430 Van Ness avenue; the said premises being located on lands required by the City and County for City Hall and Civic Center purposes, and situate as follows:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Van Ness avenue with the northerly line of Ash street; running thence northerly along said easterly line of Van Ness avenue 50 feet, by a uniform depth of 100 feet. Being a por-

tion of Western Addition Block No. 66.
 Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagliari, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Ordering Construction of Le Conte School.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Bill No. 2354, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of the Le Conte School, situate on school properties at Norwich, Alabama and Harrison streets in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works, which specifications are hereby approved; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said school, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Ordering the Removal of the High School of Commerce to the Library Site.

Also, Bill No. 2355, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the moving of the High School of Commerce building, situate on the north line of Grove street between Larkin and Polk streets, to other properties of the City situate at Fell and Franklin streets and known as 'library site', in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works, which specifications are hereby approved; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the moving of said school building and authorizing progressive payments during progress of said work."

Ordering Construction of Culvert Under San Bruno Avenue at Islais Creek.

Also, Bill No. 2356, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of a culvert under San Bruno avenue at Islais Creek channel in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works, which specifications are hereby approved; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said culvert, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Ordering Moving of Fire Engine House on Civic Center Site.

Also, Bill No. 2357, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the moving of the fire engine house situate at southerly line of McAllister street between Polk street and Van Ness avenue, to certain land of the City and County situate at west line of Polk street intersecting south line

of Redwood street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works, which specifications are hereby approved; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the moving of said engine house, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Authorizations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series, as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Polytechnic High School Bond Fund, Bond Issue, January 1, 1910.

Eccles & Smith Co., machine shop equipment, in full as per bid, Polytechnic High School (claim dated Dec. 9, 1912) \$910.00

Geary Street Railway Fund, Bond Issue, July 1, 1910.

P. J. Gartland, 2nd payment in re track construction work, paving Geary street from Kearny street to Van Ness avenue (claim dated Dec. 5, 1912) \$1,132.50

Park Fund, 1912-1913.

Spring Valley Water Company, water for parks and squares (claim dated Nov. 26, 1912) \$1,641.77

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue 1912.

J. J. DeVaux, L. A. Reniff and Norman DeVaux, for assignment of lease and bill of sale of fixtures, Geilfuss Building, north line of Fulton street, 175 feet west of Polk street (claim dated Dec. 19, 1912) \$2,742.25

Water Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1910.

J. S. Dunnigan, for Ragsdale and Corbett, 5 transcripts of testimony in re Hetch Hetchy, before Secretary of Interior, Washington, D. C. (claim dated Dec. 17, 1912) \$1,406.00

The Rincon Publishing Company, printing 2500 copies John R. Freeman's report on Hetch Hetchy water supply (claim dated Dec. 14, 1912) \$7,250.00

Garbage Bond Fund, 1908.
 McLean, Haggans and Aden, 6th payment, construction Islais Creek Incinerator (claim dated Dec. 19, 1912) \$5,473.35

Hospital Bond Fund, 1908.
 Butte Eng. & Elec. Co., 3rd

payment, electric work, San Francisco Hospitals (claim dated Dec. 10, 1912)	\$1,725.00	Egan Bros., straw, Fire Department (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	503.70
Pacific Fire Extinguisher Co., 3rd payment, heating and ventilating, San Francisco Hospitals (claim dated Dec. 13, 1912)	1,050.00	J. O'Keefe & Co., hay, etc., Fire Department (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	1,846.14
<i>General Fund, 1912-1913.</i>		Producers Hay Co., oats, Fire Department (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912)	1,791.64
Neal Publishing Co., printing, envelopes, etc., Department of Elections (claim dated Dec. 5, 1912)	\$627.50	Union Iron Works Co., repairs, etc., Fire Boat David Scannell (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	1,425.00
Phillips & Van Orden Co., sample ballots, Department of Elections (claim dated Dec. 5, 1912)	889.00	Bowers Rubber Works, fire hose, etc., Fire Department (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	17,400.00
Phillips & Van Orden Co., ballots, Department of Elections (claim dated Dec. 5, 1912)	590.00	Marshall Newell Supply Co., test gauges, nuts, etc., Fire - Department (claim dated Dec. 11, 1912)	517.72
The Albertinum Orphanage, maintenance of minors (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	659.64	Western Fuel Co., coal, Fire Department (claim dated Aug. 31, 1912)	1,645.20
P. J. Gartland, 2nd payment, repaving Geary street from Kearny street to Van Ness avenue (claim dated Dec. 5, 1912)	8,548.13	Western Fuel Co., coal, Fire Department (claim dated Sept. 30, 1912)	1,289.30
Miller & Lux Incorporated, meats, Relief Home (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	1,733.15	Western Fuel Co., coal, Fire Department (claim dated Oct. 31, 1912)	1,285.00
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, Relief Home (claim dated Dec. 9, 1912)	1,022.28	Western Fuel Co., coal, Fire Department (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	1,208.25
Sherry Freitas Co. Inc., supplies, Relief Home (claim dated Dec. 1, 1912)	1,229.93	Appropriations.	
Sherry Freitas Co. Inc., supplies, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Dec. 1, 1912)	951.43	Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:	
Eureka Benevolent Society, maintenance of minors (claim dated Nov. 30, 1912)	682.00	Resolved, That the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the herein-after mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:	
Children's Agency of the Associated Charities, maintenance of minors (claim dated Dec. 1, 1912)	3,753.74	<i>For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.</i>	
Sherry Freitas Co. Inc., supplies, San Francisco Hospital (claim dated Nov. 1, 1912)	1,271.23	For the construction of the necessary outlet for the sewer from the southerly termination of Treat avenue across private lands, for which an easement has been granted	\$495.00
Standard Underground Cable Co., cable, etc., Department of Electricity (claim dated Nov. 13, 1912)	6,203.10	For the payment of City's portion of construction of sewer in San Jose avenue from a point 570 feet southerly from Santa Ynez avenue to a point 850 feet southerly therefrom	460.00
Reininger & Co., vehicle tags (claim dated Dec. 19, 1912)	758.88	For the payment of City's portion of construction of sewer in San Jose avenue southerly from Santa Ynez avenue	350.00
Antloch Sand Co., sand, Board of Public Works (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912)	660.79	For the payment of City's portion of the construction of sewer in San Jose avenue southerly from Ocean avenue	229.00
Dalziel Moller Co., plumbing supplies, repairs to school buildings (claim dated Nov. 20, 1912)	984.92	For the construction of cases and shelves for the Bureau	
Associated Oil Co., fuel oil, Fire Department (claim dated Dec. 11, 1912)	662.27		

of Engineering, as directed by the City Engineer..... 352.50
 For installation of photographic department for and under the direction of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works 4,000.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund, 1908.
 For the purchase of bolts, tie rods, nuts and washers for the Auxiliary Water Supply System for Fire Protection \$3,000.00
School Bond Fund, 1908.

For payment of deficit in the construction of Lowell High School, as per Resolution No. 20445 (Second Series) of the Board of Public Works \$5,180.00

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Tax Collector Authorized to Draw His Warrant in Sum of \$220.00 on City Treasury for Payment of Sundry Small Balances Outstanding for Taxes on Assessment Roll of Unsecured Personal Property for 1912-1913.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. 9891 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Tax Collector be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to draw his warrant in the sum of \$220.00 upon the treasury of the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of crediting the proceeds thereof to the payment of sundry small balances outstanding for taxes on the assessment roll of unsecured personal property for the fiscal year 1912-1913, said balances being doubtful of collection or collectible at a greater cost than amount of possible receipts, the aforesaid amount of \$220.00 to be payable out of the appropriation for urgent necessities in the budget of the fiscal year 1912-13, and being hereby set aside and appropriated out of that fund for this purpose.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagheri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Manzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Pavot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Oil, Boiler and Cabinet Shop Permits.
 On motion of Supervisor Giannini: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following revocable permits are hereby granted:

Storage Tanks.

Charles E. Reinhart, northwest corner of Twenty-fifth and Castro streets;

capacity 1500 gallons.

Maria Kip Orphanage Association, northeast corner of Lake street and Seventh avenue, capacity 2000 gallons.

Workman Packing Company, south-east side of Clara street, 350 feet southwest of Fourth street; capacity 2500 gallons.

Boiler.

Workman Packing Company, south-east side of Clara street, 350 feet southwest of Fourth street; capacity 200-horsepower; for manufacturing purposes.

Cabinet Shop.

Store Equipment Company, 564 Jessie street, wherein will be used a planer, jointer, swing saw, combination saw, rip saw, band saw, sticker, double spindle shaper, belt sander and emery grinder, providing no fire shall be used on said premises except gas fire.

Engine and Boiler.

Emanuel Sarantitus, south side of Third street, 100 feet west of Folsom street; 6-horsepower.

Action Deferred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Giannini, and on motion laid over two weeks:

Extension of Time, Caldwell & Co.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an extension of sixteen days' time from and after December 27, 1912, is hereby granted Caldwell & Co., within which to complete contract for the general construction of Pumping Station No. 2, situate in Fort Mason Military Reservation (Contract 34, Section A).

This extension is granted upon the recommendation and report of the Board of Public Works filed December 17, 1912, which report sets forth that owing to a delay of fourteen days, caused by changes of plans, and two days on account of delay of steel contractor in erecting steel frame, said Caldwell & Co. are unable to complete their work within the time specified in their contract; and be it further—

Resolved. That the advertising charges for printing this resolution be remitted.

Adopted.

The following resolution was adopted:

Installation and Removal of Street Lights.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 540.

Resolved, That the Pacific Gas and Electric Company is hereby instructed to install and remove street lamps as follows:

Install Arc Lamps.

Northeast corner of Chestnut and Montgomery streets.

Irwin street, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

Corner of Railroad avenue and Hudson street.

Thirty-first avenue, between California and Lake streets.

Tenth avenue, between California and Lake streets.

Corner of Thornton avenue and Neptune street.

Milton street, 250 feet north of Bosworth street.

Two arc lamps in lane leading from San Jose avenue to County Jail.

Corner of Donner and Quint streets.

Corner of Parnassus and Woodland avenues.

Install Single Top Gas Lamps.

North side of Broadway, 309 feet west of Divisadero street.

North side of Broadway, 103 feet west of Fillmore street.

South side of Broadway, 206 feet west of Fillmore street.

North side of Broadway, 309 feet west of Fillmore street.

Northeast corner of Laskie and Mission streets.

Southwest corner of Fifth and Stevenson streets.

Northwest corner of Sixth and Stevenson streets.

East side of Pierce street, 91 feet south of Vallejo street.

Southeast corner of Sacramento and Divisadero streets.

West side of Steiner street, 91 feet north of Pacific street.

East side of Guerrero street, 110 feet south of Market street.

West side of Guerrero street, 150 feet south of Market street.

South side of Nineteenth street, 123 feet west of Hartford street.

Remove Single Top Gas Lamps.

West side of Fifth street, 110 feet south of Market street.

West side of Sixth street, 110 feet south of Market street.

East side of Guerrero, 188 feet south of Market street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was passed for printing:

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Caglieri: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at the will of the Board of Supervisors and in accordance with sections 197 and 198 of Ordinance No. 1008 (New Series), be and the same is hereby granted to the following named to maintain stables at the hereinafter described locations:

M. Jacobson, in the rear of 999 Silver avenue, corner of Boyleston street, for one cow.

S. W. Mahoney, on west side of Twenty-second avenue, 225 feet north of N street, Sunset District, for two horses.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Masquerade Ball Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 541.

Resolved, That the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the locations and times hereinafter set forth without the payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable purposes, to-wit:

Turn Verein Eintracht, at Mission Turn Verein Hall, 3541 Eighteenth street, January 11, 1913.

Verein Eintracht, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, February 15, 1913.

San Francisco Schwaben Verein, at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, January 25, 1913.

Jolly Few Social Club, at Guadalupe Hall, 4551 Mission street, January 4, 1913.

Aerial Rowing Club, at Majestic Hall, Fillmore and Geary streets, January 18, 1913.

Norddeutscher Verein, at the German House, Turk and Polk streets, January 11, 1913.

Germania Club, at German House, corner of Turk and Polk streets, February 8, 1913.

White Eagle Tribe No. 74, I. O. R. M., at Maenerbund Hall, Potrero avenue and Twenty-fourth street, February 1, 1913.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Boxing Permits (Class B).

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 542.

Resolved, That the following named domestic incorporated athletic Class "B" clubs are hereby granted permission to hold four round boxing exhibitions during the year 1913, on the dates selected by the Police Committee of this Board, provided said exhibitions are conducted in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 1791 (New Series) and the rules of the Police Committee of the Board of Supervisors, to-wit:

American Athletic Club.

Ormonde Club.

Bay View Athletic Club.

Observatory Athletic Club.

Richmond Athletic Club.

Royal Athletic Club.
Market Athletic Club.
University Mound Athletic Club.
Hawthorne Athletic Club.
Dreamland Athletic Club.
National Athletic Club.
Crescent Athletic Club.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher,
Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jen-
nings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Mc-
Leran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
Vogelsang—18.

Boxing Permits (Class A).

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 543.

Resolved, That the following named
domestic incorporated athletic Class
"A" clubs are hereby granted permis-
sion to hold Class "A" boxing ex-
hibitions during the months herein-
after stated, provided said exhibitions
are conducted in accordance with the
provisions of Ordinance No. 1791 (New
Series) and the rules of the Police
Committee of the Board of Super-
visors, to-wit:

Shasta Club, January, 1913.

Humboldt Athletic Club, February,
1913.

Tuxedo Club, March, 1913.

Canal Club, April, 1913.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, A. J. Gallagher, G. E. Gallagher,
Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jen-
nings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Mc-
Leran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot,
Vogelsang—18.

Public Dance Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 544.

Resolved, That the Woman's Out-
door Club is hereby granted permis-
sion to hold public dances at 1970
Page street, during the month of Jan-
uary, 1913, without payment of the fee
required by Ordinance No. 754.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Abandonment of Portions of Franchise on
Folsom Street and The Embarcadero
by United Railroads.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

Resolution No. 9892 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the abandonment by
United Railroads of San Francisco of
certain portions of its road, a fran-
chise for which was granted by Order
No. 2086, approved August 2, 1889,
which abandonment was filed in the
office of the Clerk October 18, 1912, be
and is hereby accepted, to-wit:

On and along that portion of East
street (now The Embarcadero) from
Folsom to Howard streets, and on and
along that portion of Folsom street

from the east line of Steuart street to
East street (now The Embarcadero).

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cag-
lieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, Geo. E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Passed for Printing.

The following bill was *passed for
printing*:

Relative to Opening of Third and Fourth
Street Bridges.

Bill No. 2358, Ordinance No. —
(New Series), entitled, "Amending
Section 74 of Ordinance No. 1857 (New
Series), entitled, 'Regulating moving
travel and traffic upon the streets and
other places,' etc., approved March 26,
1912.

Be it ordained by the people of the
City and County of San Francisco, as
follows:

Section 74 of Ordinance No. 1875
(New Series), is hereby amended so
as to read as follows:

Section 74. It shall be unlawful for
any person to open or turn the Third
street drawbridge between the hours
of half past 6:00 o'clock and half past
7:00 o'clock a. m., 12:00 o'clock m. and
1:00 o'clock p. m., and 5:00 o'clock and
6:00 o'clock p. m., or at any time that
would prevent said bridge from being
closed between the hours named.

It shall be unlawful for any person to
open or turn the Fourth street draw-
bridge between the hours of 6:30 a. m.
and 8:00 a. m., 12:00 o'clock m. and
1:00 o'clock p. m., and 5:00 o'clock
p. m. and 6:00 o'clock p. m., or at any
time that would prevent said bridge
from being closed between the hours
named.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take
effect immediately.

Spur Track Permit, Ford Motor Co.

The following bill heretofore recom-
mended to the Streets Committee was
taken up:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. —
(New Series), entitled, "Granting per-
mission, revocable at will of the Board
of Supervisors, to the Ford Motor
Company, to construct, maintain and
operate a spur track from the tracks
of the Southern Pacific Company in
Harrison street, thence over, along and
upon the following described route,
to wit:

"Commencing at a connection with
the existing main line of the Southern
Pacific Company on Harrison street
at a point 110 feet, more or less, north-
erly from the northerly line of Twen-
ty-first street; thence running southerly
curving to the right and reversing
to the left, crossing Twenty-first street
and entering private property at a
point 30 feet, more or less, southerly

from the southerly line of Twenty-first street to a point 72 feet southerly from the southerly line of Twenty-first street and 4 feet 5 inches westerly from the westerly line of Harrison street, a distance of 350 feet."

Amendment.

Supervisor Geo. E. Gallagher moved to amend by inserting the following:

"Further provided, That the permission hereby granted shall be without prejudice to the rights of the City and County of San Francisco to claim at any time hereafter that the Southern Pacific Railway Company or their predecessors have no right and never had any right to operate cars on Harrison street between Twentieth and Twenty-second streets."

Amendment *carried*.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon the above Bill, as amended, was *passed for printing* and numbered Bill No. 2359.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Full Acceptance, Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Bill No. 2360, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for full acceptance of the roadway of Quane street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets; Kansas street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets; Midway street, between Francisco and Bay streets; Fifteenth avenue, between Geary and Clement streets."

Conditional Acceptance, Vienna Street.

Also, Bill No. 2361, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for conditional acceptance of the roadway of Vienna street, between Brazil and Persia avenues."

Changing Grades, Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 2362, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and re-establishing the official grades on O'Farrell street, between the westerly line of Larkin street and the westerly line of Polk street, and on Polk street, between Ellis and Myrtle streets."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted*:

Intention to Change Grades.

Resolution No. 9893 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Potrero avenue in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office December 18, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a

notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Also, Resolution No. 9894 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Howard street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed in this office December 18, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street, or streets, upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Also, Resolution No. 9895 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Madison street in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed in this office on December 17, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Change of Grade, Main Street.

The following resolution, laid over from last meeting, was taken up:

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Main street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed November 23, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this Resolution of Intention.

Privilege of the Floor.

J. J. Lerman, property owner, was granted the privilege of the floor and opposed the adoption of the resolution. He declared that the matter of the reduction of Rincon Hill is paved with broken promises. The Ocean Shore

Railway promise, made in consideration of spur track privilege, was broken. The promise made when Beale street was cut down that the grading of said street would afford ample transportation facilities to the docks has been broken. The promise the bridge would be completed by first of January this year, has not been kept. It is now claimed, he said, that the cutting down of Main street is absolutely necessary and that the other streets are not sufficient to carry the traffic. He declared that in view of these things it is foolish to rely on the promises that are now being made. He did not question the honesty of the committee in arriving at its conclusion, but, he stated, the adoption of the resolution will work a great injustice to the people living on the top of the hill and will greatly damage their property. He stated that the person most persistent in the matter of the grade change did not own one piece of property on Main street, although he is a large property owner on Beale street and other streets. He feared that when the Main street cut was finished Fremont street would then be graded and he objected to such a piecemeal reduction of the hill. He declared that the hill should be removed in its entirety.

Hugo Asher, attorney representing property owners, also addressed the Board and stated that all the objection to the grade change on Main street centered about Lerman. No others offered objection. He declared that the people he represented were not making any promises to anyone and so would not have any promises to keep. He believed that the change of grade is for the general welfare of the city. The people he represents were going to pay for the work and were not going to ask the city for anything. He admitted that the condition of the hill was bad, but did not see what that had to do with the change of grade on Main street.

City Engineer O'Shaughnessy also addressed the Board and stated that there would be no further damage to the hill by the change of grade and that the proposed grade is a desirable improvement.

J. Campbell, representing the Chamber of Commerce, also addressed the Board and stated that it was not so that the Beale street cut was the only one contemplated. The original resolution providing for the Beale street cut also included Main street.

M. Kentfield also addressed the Board and declared that the property owners on the hill would not be shut off from profitable use of their property by reason of the grade change on Main street.

Minority Report.

Whereupon, the following report was read and *refused adoption* by the following vote:

San Francisco, Cal. Dec. 23, 1912.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco—Gentlemen: A minority of the Committee on Streets and Sewers respectfully begs leave to report against the adoption of Resolution No.—, declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Main street, in accordance with recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed November 23, 1912, and directing said Board of Public Works to cause to be conspicuously posted along the street or streets upon which proposed change of grade is contemplated a notice of the passage of this resolution of intention.

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. NOLAN.

Ayes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Hocks, Nolan—3.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—13.

Absent—Supervisor Hilmer—1.

Excused from voting—Supervisor Vogelsang—1.

Explanation of Vote.

Andrew J. Gallagher explained his vote by saying that he believed in the removal of the hill as a whole.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the above resolution was adopted as Resolution No. 9896 (New Series) by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Payot—14.

Noes—Supervisors Andrew J. Gallagher, Nolan—2.

Absent—Supervisor Hilmer—1.

Excused from voting—Supervisor Vogelsang—1.

Recommended.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor George E. Gallagher and on motion *recommended to the Streets Committee*:

Granting Presidio and Ferries Railway Company Permission to Install Temporary Track on South Side of Jackson Street, Between Drumm Street and The Embarcadero.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, is hereby granted to the Presidio and Ferries Railway Company to install a temporary track on the south side of

Jackson street, between Drumm street and The Embarcadero, the said track to be placed in Jackson street, between Drumm street and The Embarcadero, five feet from the property line, and to be used by said company during construction of the sewer in Jackson street, between Drumm street and The Embarcadero.

Passed for Printing.

The following resolution was *passed for printing*:

Blasting Permit.

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Flinn & Treacy are hereby granted permission, revocable at will of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for a period of thirty days during the construction of a sewer in States street between Levant and Castro streets; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204; provided also, that said blasts shall be exploded only between the hours of 7:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m., and that the work of blasting shall be performed to the satisfaction and under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, and if any of the conditions of this resolution be violated by the said Flinn & Treacy, then the privilege and all rights accruing thereunder shall immediately become null and void.

Adopted.

The following resolution was *adopted*:

Award of Contract, Furniture Police Courts, Hall of Justice.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland: J. R. No. 545.

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing, delivering and installing, complete, the following furniture in the respective departments of the Police Court hereinafter mentioned and situated in the Hall of Justice, be and it is hereby awarded to the Rucker-Fuller Desk Company at the prices herein stated and in accordance with their proposal submitted therefor September 23, 1912, to-wit:

In Police Court No. 1.

1 mahogany revolving arm chair, high back, leather upholstered back and spring seat, for Judge at bench, \$35.35.

1 mahogany flat top desk, 36 inches by 66 inches, full pedestal, for Clerk of Court, \$56.70.

1 mahogany revolving arm chair, leather upholstered back, perforated leather seat, for Clerk of Court, \$24.85.

1 mahogany table, 24 inches by 36 inches, square line construction, with

one locking drawer, for Court Reporter, \$15.20.

1 mahogany table, 24 inches by 36 inches, to comply with the specifications for Item No. 4 on this page, for use of Prosecuting Attorney, \$15.20.

1 revolving arm chair, to comply with the specifications for Item No. 3 on this page, for Prosecuting Attorney, \$24.85.

1 mahogany table, to comply with the specifications for Item No. 4 on this page, for use of Bailiff, \$15.20.

16 mahogany arm chairs, leather backs, saddle seat, for use as jury chairs and behind rail in courtroom, per chair \$19.95—\$319.20.

1 mahogany table, 36 inches by 72 inches, with two drawers, for use as attorneys' table, \$34.30.

In Police Court No. 2.

1 mahogany revolving arm chair, high back, leather upholstered back and spring seat, for use of Judge at bench, \$35.35.

1 mahogany flat top desk, 36 inches by 66 inches, full pedestal, for Clerk of Court, \$56.70.

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1 mahogany table, 36 inches by 72 inches, with two drawers, for use as attorneys' table, \$34.30.

1 couch, 30 inches wide by 76 inches long, leather upholstered, on golden quartered oak frame, square posts, for Judge's Chambers, \$40.60.

In Police Court No. 3.

1 mahogany revolving arm chair, high back, leather upholstered back and spring seat, for use of Judge at bench, \$35.35.

1 mahogany flat top desk, 36 inches by 66 inches, full pedestal, for Clerk of Court, \$56.70.

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16 mahogany arm chairs, leather back, saddle seats, for use as Jury chairs and behind rail in courtroom, per chair, \$19.95—\$319.20.

1 mahogany table, 36 inches by 72 inches, with two drawers, for use as attorneys' table, \$34.30.

1 couch, 30 inches wide by 76 inches long, leather upholstered, on golden quartered oak frame, square posts, for Judge's Chambers, \$40.60.

In Police Court No. 4.

1 mahogany revolving arm chair, high back, leather upholstered back and spring seat, for use of Judge at bench, \$35.35.

1 mahogany flat top desk, 36 inches by 66 inches, full pedestal, for Clerk of Court, \$56.70.

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 and be it further

Resolved, That the bond to be furnished by the said Rucker-Fuller Desk Company for the faithful performance of this contract is hereby fixed at the sum of \$500.00; and be it further

Resolved, That all other bids for the foregoing articles are hereby rejected.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Absent—Supervisors Hilmer, McCarthy—2.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Mayor to Sell Carpenters' Hall Building on Civic Center Site.

On motion of Supervisor Bancroft: J. R. No. 546.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized and requested to sell at public auction in accordance with the provisions of the Charter, the certain building situate on properties recently purchased in the Civic Center, being as follows, to-wit:

Situate on the northerly line of Fulton street, distant thereon 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Polk street, of dimensions 50 feet frontage on Fulton street by a uniform depth of 120 feet through to Ash street. Being a portion of Western Addition Block No. 66; and be it further

Resolved, That the proceeds from said sale be deposited in the City Treasury to the credit of the City Hall and Civic Center Bond Fund.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogel-sang—16.

Absent—Supervisors Hilmer, McCarthy—2.

Municipal Street Railway on Van Ness Avenue.

Supervisor George E Gallagher presented:

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Determining that public interest and necessity demand the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to-wit, a municipal street railway on Van Ness avenue from Market street to Bay street.

Ordered referred to Public Utilities Committee.

Permitting Municipal Railway on Van Ness Avenue.

Also, Bill No. —, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Amending Section 1 of Order No. 2980, approved March 31, 1896, permitting municipal railway on Van Ness avenue.

Ordered referred to Streets Committee.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

Approving Appeal for Funds for California Building for State Fair.

On motion of Supervisor Hayden: J. R. No. 547.

Whereas, it is highly desirable that

the State of California should have a State Fair that would be educational with respect to the great resources and possibilities of our state, and

Whereas, the present funds are inadequate to provide for a fitting State Fair, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of this City and County approves of the appeal for funds, either by bond issue or by State appropriation made by the State Agricultural Society, and respectfully requests the representatives of San Francisco in the State Legislature to favor whatever method or measure shall be deemed necessary to provide the necessary funds.

Ayes—Supervisors—Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—16.

Absent—Supervisors Hilmer, McCarthy—2.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing* under suspension of the rules:

Increasing Boxing License.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks: Bill No. 2363, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 1791 (New Series), providing for licensing boxing or sparring exhibitions and regulating the same."

Muzzling Ordinance.

On motion of Supervisor Koshland: Bill No. 2364, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Requiring the muzzling of dogs."

Approved by the Board of Supervisors December 30, 1912.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

Relative to the Commencement of the Operation of the Geary Street Municipal Railway.

His Honor the Mayor announced that ten cars of the Municipal Railway had been completed and asked the members of the Board if they thought it desirable at this time to commence the operation of the road with that number.

Motion.

Supervisor Mauzy moved that it be the sense of the Board that the operation of the road be started with the ten cars on the 28th inst.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Vogelsang—14.

No—Supervisor McLeran—1.

Absent—Supervisors Hilmer, McCarthy, Payot—3.

Motion.

Supervisor Murphy moved that the ceremony of opening the road to operation be left to Mayor Rolph, the Superintendent of the Railway, the Board of Public Works and the Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee.

Amendment.

Supervisor Giannini moved as an amendment that the matter be left to the Mayor.

Amendment *carried*.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at the hour of 6:10 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

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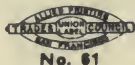
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1912.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, December 30, 1912, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hayden, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Rolph presiding.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The Journal of the meeting of December 23, 1912, was read and approved.

ROLL CALL FOR PETITIONS FROM MEMBERS.

Relative to Roseberry Law Providing for Compulsory Compensation.

The following matters were presented and read:

Communication—From Will J. French, Industrial Accident Board, in re relations of city employees to Roseberry law providing for compulsory compensation.

Ordered referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Relative to Repeal of Weights and Measures Ordinance.

Also, *Communication*—From San Francisco Labor Council, advising of appointment of committee in re proposed repeal of Weights and Measures ordinance.

Read and ordered filed.

Chamber of Commerce and Reduction of Rincon Hill.

Also, *Communication*—From the Chamber of Commerce, in re its labors in the matter of the reduction of Rincon Hill and taking exception to Mayor's strictures thereon.

Arbitration in Matter of Purchase of the Spring Valley Properties.

Also, *Communication*—From Congressman Kent, suggesting that some

system of arbitration in matter of purchase of Spring Valley properties required by the Secretary of the Interior, be formulated.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following Bill heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote and numbered as follows, to-wit:

Ordering Construction of a Hospital on Relief Home Tract.

Bill No. 2349, Ordinance No. 2121 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of a hospital for the infirm poor on the Relief Home Tract in accordance with plans and specifications prepared therefor by the Board of Public Works, which specifications are hereby approved; authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for the construction of said hospital, and authorizing progressive payments to be made during the progress of said work."

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Repealing Weights and Measures Ordinance.

The following matter laid over from last meeting was taken up:

Bill No. 2353, Ordinance No. — (New Series), Repealing Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), relating to weights and measures.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Ordinance No. 1650 (New Series), entitled "An Ordinance relating to weights and measures, establishing the standard thereof, creating the office of Sealer of Weights and Measures, providing for the appointment of a Sealer of Weights and Measures and his deputies and fixing their compensation" is hereby repealed.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Privilege of the Floor.

John I. Nolan, Secretary of the San Francisco Labor Council, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, suggesting that inasmuch as the validity of the above ordinance providing for the inspection of weights and measures had been upheld by the Supreme Court, that it be not repealed. He declared that if it was repealed the whole ground would have to be gone over again and the consumers in the meantime would continue to suffer enormously by reason of false weights and measures. Mr. Nolan believed that the Board could accomplish its purpose by amending the ordinance instead of repealing it entirely.

Paul Schaarenburg, representing the San Francisco Labor Council, also addressed the Board and declared that any action at this time repealing the weights and measures ordinance would only strengthen the hands of those who were bitterly fighting it, and that such influences in the state legislature would use any action of the Board in repealing the ordinance to the utmost if it ever came before the legislature. The poor man, he said, would be the loser by the repeal of the ordinance.

State Senator R. Welch also addressed the Board and stated that he introduced the original bill in the Senate in 1909 and in 1911 introduced the constitutional amendment on this subject which was subsequently carried by a very large vote. He urged the Board not to repeal the measure, but to recommit it to the committee. If the Board acted otherwise, he believed, it would be putting a whip in the hands of the opposition with which to fight it if ever again it was brought up.

Motion.

Supervisor Vogelsang moved recommitment to the Judiciary Committee.

Amendment.

Supervisor Giannini moved as an amendment that bill be laid over one week.

Amendment carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, Murphy, Nolan, Payot—12.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, McLeran, Murdock, Vogelsang—6.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demand's on the treasury amounting to \$16,605.33, and numbered consecutively 31,796 to 32,167 inclusive,

were presented, read and ordered referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Jennings, Chairman, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed For Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Providing \$3,250,000 for Construction of City Hall.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of three million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of the City Hall-Civic Center Construction Fund, Bond Issue 1912, for the construction of a City Hall.

Authorizations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following expenditures be and the same are hereby authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned accounts to the following named claimants, to-wit:

Geary Street Railway Fund,
Bond Issue July 1, 1910.

U. S. Steel Products Co., in full of contract for trolley poles for the Geary Street Municipal Railway (claim dated Dec. 18, 1912)\$3,509.00

City Hall-Civic Center Improvement Fund, Bond Issue, 1912.

Bakewell & Brown, 3rd progressive payment, for architectural services on plans for new City Hall (claim dated Dec. 20, 1912)\$10,000.00

Fire Protection Bond Fund. 1908.

Payne Bolt Works, purchase of bolts, tie rods, etc. (claim dated Oct. 30, 1912). \$857.18
Michael Murphy, 12th payment, hauling and laying high pressure mains, contract No. 50 (claim dated Dec. 17, 1912)39,171.99

<i>Tearing Up Streets Fund</i> , 1912-1913.	
P. J. Gartland, for repaving over side-sewer trenches (claim dated Dec. 4, 1912) ..	\$794.30
<i>General Fund</i> , 1912-1913.	
F. E. Pearson, overhauling Supervisors Peerless automobile (claim dated Dec. 16, 1912) ..	\$621.00
Pacific Portland Cement Co., powdered lime rock, Board of Public Works (claim dated Dec. 9, 1912) ..	1,561.50
Fay Improvement Co., grouting with asphalt and gravel basalt block pavement on Howard street, Main to First streets (claim dated Dec. 7, 1912) ..	924.88
Daily Journal of Commerce, advertising Special Election notice (claim dated Dec. 13, 1912) ..	960.00
M. A. Terry, furnishing lamps, chairs, etc., for 479 polling places (claim dated Dec. 21, 1912) ..	1,087.33

Appropriations.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, that the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the hereinafter mentioned funds for the following purposes, to-wit:

For Paving, Repaving, Repairs to Streets, Etc., Budget Item No. 549.

For paving the northerly half or Lincoln Way from the westerly line of Thirty-sixth avenue to the westerly line of Forty-first avenue, in accordance with Resolution No. 21337, second series, by the Board of Public Works ..	\$12,042.10
For paving, repaving, grading and repairs to streets during the month of January, 1913 ..	45,000.00
For resurvey of the Excelsior Homestead, Mission, Horner's and Western Additions, Bernal, Syndicate and West End Homesteads during the months of January, February and March, 1913 ..	12,000.00

Sewer Bond Fund, 1908.

For the purchase of 24-inch cast iron pipe for use in the handling of sewage of the west Richmond and Sunset districts via Ca-brillo street to Twenty-ninth avenue, per recommendation by the Board of

Public Works, filed Dec. 11, 1912 .. \$20,000.00

School Bond Fund, 1908.

For the purchase of window shades for the John Swett School .. \$213.75

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Correcting Errors in Resolutions Relating to Percentages Due on Gross Receipts of the United Railroads.

On motion of Supervisor Jennings:

J. R. No. 548.

Whereas, certain errors are contained in Resolutions Nos. 9806 and 9825 (New Series) affecting the settlement of the United Railroads for percentages due to the City and County on account of operation of the certain franchises and

Whereas, the true amount due to the City and County on account of aforesaid is \$3.96 greater than the amount set forth in said resolutions for which settlement is to be made; therefore

Resolved, that said resolutions be corrected accordingly and the amount to be paid under Resolution No. 9806 shall be corrected to read \$1,274.19, and the amount to be paid under Resolution No. 9825 shall be corrected to read \$619.29.

Ayes — Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Masquerade Ball Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Hocks:

J. R. No. 549.

Resolved, that the following named are hereby granted permission to hold masquerade balls at the locations and times hereinafter set forth, without payment of the usual license fee, provided the proceeds of said balls are devoted to charitable purposes, to-wit:

United California Finn Sisterhood, at Murtaya Hall, No. 425 Hoffman avenue, January 25, 1913.

Golden Gate Parlor N. S. G. W., at Native Sons Hall, Post and Mason streets, January 11, 1913.

Arbeiter Turn-Verein, at Brewery Workers' Hall, Seventeenth and Capp streets.

Gesellschaft Rheinbund, at Mission Turn Hall, January 18, 1913.

Helvetia Verein and Alpenroestlis, at San Francisco Turn-Verein Hall, 2450 Sutter street, February 8, 1913.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallag-

her, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

*The following resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and *adopted*:

On motion of Supervisor George E. Gallagher;

Extension of Time.

Resolution No. 9897 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, that the Fay Improvement Company is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 20, 1912, within which to complete contract for paving and sewerage King street between Second and Third streets.

This extension of time is granted upon recommendation of the Board of Public Works, for the reason that the contractor was unable to finish the work on account of the delay of the Railroad Company in installing new tracks.

The sewer is completed, but the paving remains to be done.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Board of Public Works to Recommend Ordering of Sewer Work in San Jose Avenue.

Also, J. R. No. 550.

Resolved, that the Board of Public Works be directed to recommend to the Board of Supervisors, the ordering of sewers in San Jose avenue from Liebig street to the County line.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Referred.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Hayden and on motion of Supervisor A. J. Gallagher *referred to the Finance Committee* by the following vote:

J. R. No.—.

Whereas, the open air exercises given at Lotta's Fountain on three successive Christmas eves have been unqualified successes and have added immeasurably to the enjoyment of the holiday season by our people, and

also have advertised our unexcelled and unequalled climate to the world; and

Whereas, these exercises were made possible by the energy and enterprise of private citizens, and it is desirable that the custom of giving them on Christmas be perpetuated; therefore be it

Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors hereby gives official sanction to Christmas eve, and respectfully requests its Finance Committee to provide the means for continuing them, when preparing the Budget for the next fiscal year.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Caglieri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Hayden, Hilmer, Hocks, Koshland, Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—15.

Noes—Supervisors Giannini, Jennings, McCarthy—3.

Mayor to Solicit Extension of Option on Sutro Property.

Supervisor Mauzy presented the following under suspension of the rules and moved its *adoption*:

J. R. No.—.

Whereas, the canvass of the returns of the bond election held on December 20, 1912, shows that 28,848 votes were cast in favor of the acquisition of the Sutro properties, as against 17,497 votes in opposition; and

Whereas, this vote, while not sufficient to carry the proposition (the Charter declaring a two-thirds vote of the total vote cast at a bond election necessary to carry any bond project submitted), shows that more than 11,000 votes in excess of a majority vote were polled in favor of the acquisition of the Sutro properties; and

Whereas, since the election there has been a growing sentiment in favor of the City purchasing these properties, and there exists a belief that the proposition would carry if again submitted to the people; therefore be it

Resolved, that his Honor the Mayor be respectfully requested to confer with the heirs of the Sutro Estate and solicit an extension of the option on the Sutro lands, which option expires at midnight, December 31, 1912, to the end that another opportunity may be given to the people to acquire the Sutro properties.

Motion.

Supervisor McLeran moved as an amendment that resolution be *referred to the Judiciary Committee*.

Point of Order.

Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher raised the point of order that proper

reference was to Lands and Tunnels Committee.

His Honor, the Mayor, declared the point of order well taken.

Referred.

Whereupon, the above resolution was on motion ordered referred to the Lands and Tunnels Committee by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E. Gallagher, Giannini, Hilmer, Hocks, Jennings, McCarthy, McLeran, Murphy, Payot—11.

Noes—Supervisors Caglieri, Hayden, Koshland, Maury, Murdock, Nolan, Vogelsang—7.

Adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Murphy under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Canvass of the Returns of the Special Election Held on December 10, 1912.

Resolution No. 9898 (New Series).

Whereas, returns of the Special Election held on the 10th day of December, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the electors for their approval or rejection, thirty-seven proposed amendments to the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, having been made and filed with this Board as required by law, and this Board having met for the purpose of canvassing such returns, ascertaining the vote cast in favor of and against each of the proposed Charter Amendments submitted, and declaring the result thereof, and said returns having been canvassed by this Board as required by law, and the number of votes cast thereat and the number of votes cast in favor of and against each proposed Charter Amendment submitted having been duly ascertained and all things required to be done in this connection having been done and performed in time and manner required by law, therefore be it

Resolved, 1. It is hereby declared that the Special Election called and ordered to be held on December 10, 1912, by Ordinance No. 2085 (New Series), was held and conducted as required by said Ordinance and according to the laws of the State of California governing such elections; that the votes cast thereat were properly counted and the returns thereof made in time, form and manner as required by law.

2. That the returns of said election were duly filed, and thereafter were duly canvassed and the result thereof was ascertained and determined to be as shown in the Record Book marked "A", statement of votes polled in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, on Tues-

day, December 10, 1912, and said record book is hereby constituted the record of the official canvass of the Special Election held in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, December 10, 1912, and that said statement shows the whole number of votes cast in said City and County, and the votes cast for and against each proposed Charter Amendment submitted and voted upon in each voting precinct.

3. That at the special election held on December 10, 1912, it is hereby declared that the whole number of votes cast in the four hundred and seventy-nine election precincts in said City and County was 83,850.

4. That it is hereby declared that of the vote so cast, each proposed Charter Amendment submitted received the number of votes in favor thereof (duly cast and counted) as herein set forth after the word "Yes" printed after the title of each such amendment, and of the vote so cast, each Charter Amendment received the number of votes not in favor thereof (duly cast and counted) as herein set forth after the word "No" printed after the title of each such amendment, as follows, to-wit:

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 1

Amending Chapter II of Article II by adding a new section thereto, designated as Section 10, authorizing the Board of Supervisors to acquire and exchange parcels of land for Civic Center purposes and authorizing the erection of an Auditorium, Library, Opera House, State Building and other structures in the Civic Center.

Yes, 50,210.

No, 24,145.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 2.

Adding a new subdivision to Section 1 of Chapter II or Article II, designated as Number 37, and adding a new section to Article XIV designated as Section 13, relating to the temporary use of streets and Lobos Square by the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company until January 1, 1917.

Yes, 47,962.

No, 24,720.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amending Sections 1, 2, 5, 8, 9, 11, 12, 17 and 19 of Article XIII, and adding a new section designated as Section 7½ to Article XIII, relating to the Civil Service Commission, its powers and duties and appointments to be made and regulations for the employes serving under the Civil Service laws.

Yes, 44,403.

No, 30,522.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amending Section 1 of Chapter IV of Article IV, Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter VI of Article IV, Section 1 of Chapter VII of Article IV, Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter V of Article V, Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter VI of Article V, and adding a new section to Article XVI, designated as Section 42, relating to the election, term of office and compensation of certain county officers and their deputies and employees.

Yes, 14,779.

No, 58,153.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amending Section 1 and adding a new section to be known as Section 2 of Chapter IV of Article IX, relative to establishing a two platoon or two shift system, in the San Francisco Fire Department, increasing the number of officers and members and creating shifts and watches therefor.

Yes, 33,644.

No, 46,178.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amending Article XII by adding thereto Chapter I to consist of Sections 1 to 16, inclusive, of said Article XII, Chapter II and Chapter III, relating to public utilities, the acquisition and construction thereof, the appointment, organization and powers of a Public Service Commission and the appointment, organization and powers of a Board of Water Construction.

Yes, 20,719.

No, 49,975.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amending Sections 2, 3 and 4 of Chapter I of Article XI and adding a new section to Article XVI designated as Section 42 relating to the qualifications and salaries of the employees of the Department of Elections.

Yes, 26,351.

No, 44,551.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amending Section 1 of Chapter III of Article IV, Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter II of Article IV Section 1 of Chapter II of Article V and adding a new section to Article XVI designated as Section 42, relating to and increasing the salaries of the officers and employees in the offices of the Treasurer, Auditor, Tax Collector and increasing the salary of the City Attorney.

Yes, 5,855.

No, 63,471.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amending Sections 1, 2 and 3 of Chapter IX of Article IX, adding new sections of Chapter IX of Article IX, designated as Sections 7, 8 and 9, and adding a new chapter to Article IX designated as Chapter X, relating to

the Department of Electricity, the compensation of its deputies and employees, and providing for increase in salaries.

Yes, 7,117.

No, 62,296.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amending Section 6 of Chapter V of Article VIII and adding a new section to Article XVI designated as Section 42, relating to the increase of the detective force of the Police Department and the salaries thereof.

Yes, 7,089.

No, 63,246.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 11.

Amending Section 1 of Chapter IV of Article VIII, and adding a new section to Article XVI designated as Section 42, relating to the increase of the salary of the Chief of Police.

Yes, 5,430.

No, 64,603.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 12.

Amending Subdivision 18 of Section 1 of Chapter II of Article II, providing for appropriations for the celebration of Independence Day, Admission Day and Memorial Day.

Yes, 32,735.

No, 38,022.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 13.

Amending Section 2 of Article XVI, relating to the residence of officers and employees of the City and County, excepting experts.

Yes, 41,215.

No, 30,474.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 14.

Amending Section 9 of Article XII, relating to the limit of bonded indebtedness and exceptions therefrom.

Yes, 15,656.

No, 51,913.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 15.

Amending Section 11 of Chapter I of Article III thereof, relating to the rate of taxation.

Yes, 13,039.

No, 54,597.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 16.

Amending Section 11 of Article XIV thereof, relating to the expenditure of taxes levied for the maintenance of parks.

Yes, 30,194.

No, 38,627.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 17.

Amending Subdivision 36 of Section 1, Chapter II of Article II thereof, relating to the appropriation of Exempt Firemen.

Yes, 35,014.

No, 35,216.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 18.

Amending Sections 1, 2 and 14 of Chapter III, Article VI thereof, relating to the opening, extending, widen-

ing, straightening and closing of streets and the condemnation and acquisition of land and property necessary therefor and the performance of street work in connection therewith.

Yes, 41,029.

No, 28,379.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 19.

Amending Chapter VIII of Article VI thereof, relating to tunnels, subways and viaducts.

Yes, 38,767.

No, 29,962.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 20.

Amending Section 33 of Chapter II of Article VI thereof, relating to the method of improving streets.

Yes, 37,492.

No, 30,840.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 21.

Adding a new section to Article XVI, designated as Section 29½ of Article XVI, relating to the establishment of a Revolving Fund for tunnel and street improvements.

Yes, 37,955.

No, 30,371.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 22.

Adding a new section to Chapter II of Article II, to be designated Section 10, relating to exchange of a portion of Relief Home Tract.

Yes, 39,118.

No, 29,472.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 23.

Adding a new section to Article XVI thereof, to the numbered Section 1½, relating to the qualifications of officers.

Yes, 34,779.

No, 31,856.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 24.

Amending Section 3 of Chapter V of Article IV, relating to duties of City Attorney.

Yes, 38,137.

No, 28,905.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 25.

Amending Section 1 of Chapter VII of Article V thereof, relating to Justices' Courts and Justices of the Peace.

Yes, 30,500.

No, 34,111.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 26.

Amending Section 4 of Chapter X of Article VIII, and Section 5 of Chapter VII of Article IX, relating to the pensioning of the family of any officer, member or employe of the Police or Fire Departments who may be killed while in the performance of his duty.

Yes, 26,062.

No, 33,392.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 27.

Adding a new Chapter to Article XI

designated as Chapter VI, relating to local option for districts.

Yes, 14,751.

No, 64,139.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 28.

Amending Sections 1, 2 and 4 of Chapter II of Article VIII; Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter I of Article IX, adding a new section to Chapter II of Article IX to be designated Section 5; Sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Article X and repealing Sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 of Article X, relating to the organization, membership and powers of the Police, Fire and Health Departments.

Yes, 31,971.

No, 36,310.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 29.

Amending Chapter I of Article XI by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 6, relating to additional power for the Board of Election Commissioners.

Yes, 15,689.

No, 51,931.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 30.

Adding four subdivisions to Section 1 of Chapter II of Article II, designated as Subdivisions 38, 39, 40 and 41, relating to the powers of the Board of Supervisors.

Yes, 35,512.

No, 31,569.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 31.

Adding a new subdivision to Section 1 of Chapter III of Article VIII, designated as Subdivision 8, relating to the powers of the Police Commissioners to conduct investigations affecting the Police Department.

Yes, 36,156.

No, 31,275.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 32.

Adding a new section to Article XIV, designated as Section 6a, relating to use of Jefferson Square for a Fire Alarm Signal Station.

Yes, 38,787.

No, 29,432.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 33.

Amending Sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Chapter I of Article VI, and adding a new section to Chapter I of Article VI, designated as Section 5a, relating to the organization, membership and powers of the Board of Public Works.

Yes, 27,956.

No, 39,933.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 34.

Amending Section 12 of Chapter I and Sections 5, 6 and 7 of Chapter II of Article II thereof, and by repealing Sections 7a, 7b, and 7c of Chapter II of Article III thereof, relating to the granting of franchises for street railways and other public utilities, and providing for the surrender and re-settlement of franchises and rights

now held by persons, companies or corporations operating street railways or other public utilities within the limits of said City and County.

Yes, 33,814.

No, 36,811.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 35.

Amending Section 12 of Article XII, relating to tax levy to provide for payment of the interest and bonds of the City and County.

Yes, 12,673.

No, 53,165.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 36.

Adding a new section, to be numbered Section 10a, to Article XII, relating to and permitting the sale of 3½ per cent Library Bonds of 1904 for the purpose of securing a library building in the Civic Center.

Yes, 35,878.

No, 31,677.

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 37.

Adding a new subdivision to Section 1 of Chapter 11 of Article II, designated as Subdivision 42, relating to a Planning Commission.

Yes, 34,355.

No, 33,744.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Refused Passage.

The following entitled bill hereto-
fore referred to Streets Committee
was presented by Supervisor McCarthy
under suspension of the rules and re-
fused passage by the following vote:

Limiting Speed of Fire Department Ap-
paratus.

Bill No. —, Ordinance No. —
(New Series), entitled, "Amending
Section 39 of Ordinance No. 1857
(New Series) known as the 'Traffic
Ordinance,' relating to fire and police
apparatus."

Ayes—Supervisors Giannini, Hilmer,
Jennings, McCarthy, Murphy, Payot.
Vogelsang—7.

Noes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Hayden, Hocks, Koshland,
Mauzy, McLeran, Murdock, Nolan—11.

Adopted.

The following resolutions were in-
troduced under suspension of the rules
and adopted:

Removal of Electric Light Pole at Fourth
and Minna Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Nolan:

J. R. No. 551.

Resolved, that the Pacific Gas &
Electric Company is hereby instructed

to remove the electric light pole lo-
cated at the southeast corner of
Fourth and Minna streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy, Mc-
Carthy, McLeran, Murdock, Murphy,
Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Consenting to Assignment of Portion of
Contract of W. L. Holman Co. for
Geary Street Railway Cars to Union
Iron Works.

On motion of Supervisor Vogelsang:

Resolution No. 9899.

Whereas, By an agreement and in-
denture made and entered into on the
17th day of December, 1912, by and
between W. L. Holman Company, a
corporation, party of the first part,
and Union Iron Works Company, a
corporation, party of the second part,
the said W. L. Holman Company did
assign, transfer and set over to said
Union Iron Works Company so much
of that certain contract entered into
and between said W. L. Holman Com-
pany and the Board of Public Works
of the City and County of San Fran-
cisco, State of California, on the 11th
day of June, 1912, said Board acting
for and on behalf of said City and
County of San Francisco, as applies
to the building of twenty-three cars
out of the forty-three cars which the
said W. L. Holman Company agreed
in and by said contract entered into
on the said 11th day of June, 1912, to
deliver and furnish the City and
County of San Francisco, now there-
fore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Super-
visors hereby consents to the assign-
ment of so much of said contract as
applies to said twenty-three cars. This
consent is made upon condition, how-
ever, that the surety of the said W.
L. Holman Company shall file with
the Board of Public Works a written
stipulation agreeing to said assign-
ment by said W. L. Holman Company
to said Union Iron Works Company,
and further agreeing that said assign-
ment shall not affect the liability as-
sumed by said surety on the bond of
said surety and it shall in no way re-
lieve said surety from said liability,
but said liability shall remain the
same as if said assignment had not
been made.

Ayes—Supervisors Bancroft, Cagli-
eri, Andrew J. Gallagher, George E.
Gallagher, Giannini, Hayden, Hilmer,
Hocks, Jennings, Koshland, Mauzy,
McCarthy, McLeran, Murdock, Mur-
phy, Nolan, Payot, Vogelsang—18.

Relative to Condition of Channel Street.

His Honor Mayor Rolph stated that
it had been called to his attention that

Channel street was greatly in need of dredging owing to the large amount of sewage that has been dumped therein. He thought that proper committee should take up matter of providing funds to defray City's portion of assessment to clean it.

Motion.

Supervisor Murphy moved that matter be referred to the Streets and

Finance Committees to take up with State Board of Harbor Commissioners.

Motion *carried*.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5:30 p. m. adjourned.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors January 6, 1913.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 3402 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, I, J. S. Dunnigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the dates thereon stated, and approved as above recited.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
City and County of San Francisco.

